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**I Semester B.A./B.Sc./B.Com./B.B.M./B.S.W./B.P.A./B.C.A/
B.C.S./ B.T.H./B.Sc. (Fc.Sc) Examination, Oct./Nov. - 2019**

(Semester Scheme) (Prior to 2006)

ENGLISH LANGUAGE - I

Poetry and Language Component

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

1. Annotate four of the following : [4 × 5 = 20]

a) If thou dost seek to have what thou dost hide.

By self – example mayst thou be denied!

b) Perhaps my semblance might deceive the truth,

That ! to manhood am arrived so near,

c) Love, all alike, no season knowes, nor clyme

No hours, days months which are the rags of time.

d) How the chimney – sweeper’s cry Every block’ning church appalls.

e) The Dog is not a mountain breed ;

Its motions, too, are wild and shy;

f) The frost performs its secret ministry.

Unhelped by any wind

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2. Answer two of The following :

[2 × 10 = 20]

- a) Discuss the theme of the poem a “Love is my son”
- b) Critically Comment on the poem “ London”
- c) Bring out the summary of the poem “sunne rising”
- d) How does john Milton express his sorrow in the sonnet “How soon Hath Time”?

3. Answer two of the following :

[2 × 10 = 20]

- a) How does William words worth bring out the faithfulness of the dog in the poem “fidelity”?
- b) How does S.T. Coleridge Show his love towards nature through the poem “Frost At midnight”?
- c) Attempt a critical study on the poem “When I have fears”.
- d) Bring out the main theme of the poem “mending Wall” by Robert Frost.

Language Component

4. a) Fill in the blanks with the correct : form of the verbs gives in brackets.

[5 × 1 = 5]

- i) The principal ___ on leave yesterday (to be)
- ii) The sun ___ in the East (to rise)
- iii) The students are ___ to the classroom now. (to go)
- iv) The results ___ been announced already (to have)
- v) I have ___ a first class (to get)

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[3 × 1 = 3]

b) Fill in the blanks with appropriate Prepositions :

- i) They worked _____ midnight.
- ii) They are going _____ the market.
- iii) I came _____ a rich family.

c) Fill in the blanks with appropriate Articles :

[3 × 1 = 3]

- i) He is _____ European.
- ii) She Carries _____ umbrella always.
- iii) Mr. Harish is _____ tallest man.

d) Use four of the following idioms and phrases in sentences of your own :

[4 × 1 = 4]

- i) Search for
- ii) give up
- iii) Look into
- iv) Carry on
- v) In Stead of
- vi) In front of

e) Expand the following into a paragraph.

[5]

Once on a Summer day a crow felt thirsty It _____. For water here and there. But there was a pot _____. Which was not _____. The crow thought of a plan. It put little pieces of then the water came to the _____. The crow drunk water and _____. Flow aways.



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