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**3014**

**B. Tech. 1st Semester (Common for  
All Branches)**

**Examination – December, 2022**

**ENGLISH**

**Paper : HSMC-ENG-101-G**

***Time : Three Hours ]***

***[ Maximum Marks : 75***

*Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard, will be entertained after examination.*

**Note :** Attempt *five* questions in all, selecting *one* question from each Unit. Question No. 1 is *compulsory*. All questions carry equal marks.

**1.** Answer the following questions briefly :  $2.5 \times 6 = 15$

- (a) What is the central theme of 'The Secret of Work' ?
- (b) What is Intellectual Rubbish ?
- (c) Differentiate between 'Course' and 'Coarse' by using in sentence.

- (d) Make words using the prefixes -inter, -extra, -in, -im, ambi
- (e) Describe a Scientific Calculator.
- (f) What are Diphthongs ?

### UNIT – I

2. (a) Make sentences based on following verb patterns : 5 × 3 = 15

- (i) Sub+Verb+Gerundican Infinitive
- (ii) Sub+Verb+Noun Complement
- (iii) Noun Phrase+Verb+Direct Object
- (iv) Subjet+Verb+Subject Complement
- (v) To Infinitive+Verb+Noun

- (b) Correct the following sentences :

- (i) I live in Delhi since 2004
- (ii) I have received your letter yesterday
- (iii) The doctor saw my pulse

(iv) I begged him a favour

(v) I am looking forward to hear from you

(c) Do as directed :

(i) He died ..... cholera.

(insert preposition)

(ii) He is fool, He is knave.

(make compound)

(iii) Honesty is ..... best policy.

(insert article)

(iv) Three and three ..... four.

(insert correct verb form)

(v) I, you and he will go. (re-arrange pronouns)

**3.** Use the following pairs in your sentences so as to make the meanings of the individual words clear :

**3 × 5 = 15**

(i) Lately, Late

(ii) Serial, Cereal

(iii) Currant, Current

(iv) Lather, Leather

(v) Dessert, Desert

## UNIT – II

4. (a) Supply One-word Substitutes :  $7.5 \times 2 = 15$

- (i) After death
- (ii) Absence of law and order
- (iii) Fear of books
- (iv) Absence of government
- (v) The study of birds

(b) Supply meanings of the following foreign words and make sentences :

- (i) Ad infinitum
- (ii) Alma-mater
- (iii) Bon Voyage
- (iv) Honorarium
- (v) Ex-gratia

5. (a) Make sentences with the following idioms :

$7.5 \times 2 = 15$

- (i) Dark horse,

(ii) Break the ice,

(iii) Run into

(iv) Turn down

(v) Watch out

(b) Change into passive voice :

(i) He has finished editing his copy.

(ii) Sit down please.

(iii) Who has asked you for chocolate ?

(iv) They have thrown it.

(v) The government has passed a legislation.

### UNIT – III

6. Write short notes on any *two* :

7.5 × 2 = 15

(a) Respiratory system

(b) Nansal Consonants

(c) Articulatory Organs

**OR**

Draw a neat diagram of Speech Mechanism and mark all speech organs.

7. Define Monophthongs. Why are they called pure vowels ? List all Monophthongs ? 15

**UNIT – IV**

8. Record your impression of Bertrand Russell's essay *An Outline of Intellectual Rubbish* 15 × 1 = 15

**OR**

Describe *a typical day of a sister of charity* commenting on the four vows taken by the Missionaries.

9. Write an essay on Swami Vivekanand's idea of "Working like a master, not like slave". 15 × 1 = 15

**OR**

Draft an application to the Vice Chancellor of your university and request for review of your curriculum by academic council and upgrade the same in line with industry demands.

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