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First Semester

Common Course I - EN1CCT01 - ENGLISH - FINE - TUNE YOUR ENGLISH

Common for all UG Programmes

2017 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

Part A

*Answer any **ten** questions.*

*Each question carries **2** marks.*

1. A. The cackling of geese saved Rome. (Underline the subject.)
B. Islamabad is the capital of Pakistan. (Underline the predicate.)
2. Write two sentences with an adjective phrase each.
3. A. The building's roof is damaged.
B. The film's beginning is very scary. (Rewrite the sentences in a better form.)
4. A. The hunter shot the lion.
B. A policeman caught the thief. (Turn the sentences into passive voice)
5. A. John remained inactive.
B. What Mary said is true. (Identify the kind of adjective)
6. Explain the body vocabularies. A. Crouching B. Pout
7. A. She will be twenty five _____ August 11th .
B. Christmas day is _____ December 25th. (Supply the appropriate prepositions)
8. Explain the following expressions. A. Gordian knot B. to clear the Aegean stable.
9. Convert the following verbs into nouns by the process of affixation. A. examine. B. govern
10. Use the following expressions in sentences of your own.
A. to rain cats and dogs. B. a bee in one's bonnet
11. A. He told me a story. B. Lara works very hard. (Change into interrogative sentences)
12. A. He will come, _____? B. I didn't hurt you, _____? (Add question tag)

(10×2=20)

Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries **5** marks.

13. Replace the clauses (given in *italics*) by a noun/adjective/adverb of similar meaning.
1. A man of industrious habit is sure to succeed.
 2. It is to be regretted that he retired from the world so early.
 3. He couldn't find a place where he could dwell safely.
 4. He met a girl whose eyes were blue.
 5. The price is too high for a car that is used.
14. (Fill up the blanks using the suitable form of the given verbs)
1. Tom _____ (walk) down the street, he _____ (see) Jack. He _____ (say) hello. They decide to sit and talk. They _____ (sit) in the garden. In no time it _____ (start) raining.
15. Use the present continuous form of the given verb.
1. The clouds (move) across the sky. 2. She (sing). 3. I (go) to the cinema today. 4. My uncle (arrive) tomorrow. 5. They (have) lunch.
16. Frame five sentences with the auxiliary 'can' to express ability or capacity.
17. Identify the adverbs in the given sentences.
1. She listened intensely to the audience response.
 2. He sang delightfully at the concert.
 3. They were very kind to us.
 4. He certainly went wrong.
 5. Govind reads clearly.
18. List five animal cries and use them in sentences of your own.
19. Use the following phrasal verbs in sentences of your own.
1. blow over 2. figure out 3. call off 4. do away with 5. act up.
20. Many people did not attend the function; Not many people attended the function. Given here is an example of an alternative negative. Frame three similar pairs of alternative negatives.
21. List a few polite expressions.

(6×5=30)

Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries **15** marks.



22. Prepare a job application for the job of a Physiotherapist in a Multispeciality Hospital.
23. A. Write a conversation between you and the health inspector of your village on the recent spread of Dengue fever in your locality.
B. Prepare a short speech on the topic "Reading habit".
24. Write a review of a science fiction movie which has impressed you.
25. A. Write a letter to the Editor of a newspaper on reckless driving .
B. Write a short essay on the Influence of cinema on Society.

(2×15=30)