



III Semester B.Com./B.B.A./B.H.M./B.Com. (LS)
Examination, December 2024/January 2025
(NEP Scheme) (Freshers and Repeaters)
LANGUAGE ENGLISH
Generic English – III

Time : 2½ Hours

Max. Marks : 60

Instructions : 1) Answer *all* the Units.
2) Write the correct question *numbers*.

UNIT – 1

(Receptive Skills : Reading Skills and Listening Skills)

- I. Answer **any five** of the following in **two** or **three** sentences **each**. (5×2=10)
- 1) Mention the name of the Chief Priest who performs the fire sacrifice.
 - 2) Why did Yavakri spend ten years in the forest ?
 - 3) Who is Nittilai ?
 - 4) Vishaka is Yavakri's wife. True/False.
 - 5) Name the blind character in the play.
 - 6) How long was the fire sacrifice conducted in the play ?
 - 7) _____ killed Nittilai in the play.
- II. Answer **any two** of the following questions in **a page each**. (2×5=10)
- 1) Sketch the character of Nittilai.
 - 2) Explain the role of the Brahma Rakshasa.
 - 3) How is Vishaka related to Yavakri ?
 - 4) Write a short note on Andhaka.
- III. Answer **any one** of the following in about **two** pages **each**. (1×10=10)
- 1) Bring out the significance of the title of the play 'The Fire and the Rain'.
 - 2) Discuss how 'The Fire and The Rain' revolves around the clash of egos, revenge, misuse of knowledge and fragility of human nature.
 - 3) Analyze the character of Nittilai and Aravasu in the play.

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IV. Answer **any two** of the following questions in **a page each**.

(2×5=10)

- 1) What were the lessons learnt in the past ten months according to Churchill ?
- 2) Write a note on J. K. Rowling's motivation.
- 3) What is Dr. B. R. Ambedkar's message to women ? Explain.
- 4) What does the western value system teach us according to Narayana Murthy ?

UNIT – 2

(Productive Skills : Speaking Skills and Writing Skills)

V. Answer **any one** of the following :

(1×5=5)

- 1) Draft a presentation on 'Benefits of Electric Vehicles in India' using 5–6 slides.
- 2) Draft a presentation on 'Yoga and its importance' using 5–6 slides.

VI. Develop a paragraph on **any one** of the following using the given hints : (1×5=5)

- 1) Doctors__important and responsible__society__they support__health__profound knowledge__diseases__symptoms__treatments__work day and night__selflessly__good health__serving__army__rarely take a break__available__necessary__reliability__hard work and sincerity__qualities__doctor possesses.
- 2) Trees__important__valuable and necessary__life essentials__food and oxygen__Carbon dioxide__fresh oxygen__planting__more trees__clean air__reduce the ill__global warming.

VII. Answer **any one** of the following :

(1×5=5)

- 1) Write a letter to Amazon about the damaged mobile phone you received and request for a replacement.
- 2) Write a letter to the Sales Manager, Dell Computers, New Delhi, placing order for 50 computers that you need for your organization.



VIII. Answer **any one** of the following :

(1×5=5)

1) Design a product manual for Eureka Forbes Vacuum Cleaner using the following details.

- Version – Forbes Wet and Dry Bold.
- 1400 Watts Powerful Motor.
- Powerful Blower.
- 20 litres tank capacity.
- Top quality wheels.
- Auto shut off technology.
- 7 ranges of easy-to-use accessories.

Draw an image if possible and mention precautionary warnings.

2) Your college is celebrating Kannada Rajyotsava and it is going to be a week-long celebration filled with competitions, exhibitions, food stalls, cultural shows, concerts, etc. Prepare a brochure to invite all the colleges to attend this event. It should include the following points :

- About the college.
 - Details of each event.
 - Time and venue.
 - Instructions.
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