

**AL-202**

**B. A. (First Year) Examination, 2018-19**

(For Regular Students)

(Foundation Course)

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE**

*Paper : Second*

*Time Allowed : Three hours*

*Maximum Marks : 30*

*Note : Attempt questions of all three sections as directed.*

*Distribution of marks is given with questions.*

**Section-'A'**

**(Objective Type Questions)**

**4×1=4**

*Note : Attempt any four questions. Each question carries*

*1 mark.*

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**1. Choose the correct answer :**

(i) Mind is influenced by God :

(a) True

(b) False

(ii) Who the hero of 'A Hero'?

(a) Swami

(b) Father

(c) Mother

(d) Granny

(iii) Who made tryst with destiny?

(a) Jawaharl Lal Nehru

(b) R. K. Narayan

(c) People of India

(d) People of World

(iv) The 'Solitary Reaper' is a beautiful poem on memories and human thoughts :

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(a) True

(b) False

Section-'B'

(Short Answer Type Questions)

2. Answer the following questions :  $3 \times 2 = 6$

(any three)

(i) What are the two qualities of mind present in the poem?

(ii) Where had Swami always slept?

(iii) What does Service of India imply?

(iv) Do you think that the weavers are hardworking people?

(v) How does the Solitary Reaper affect the poet?

3. Do as directed :  $8 \times 1 = 8$

(any eight)

Select the correct word :

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(i) The (principal/principle) was formulated by English.

(ii) Where is the (stationary/stationery) kept?

(iii) The (wear/weir) shawls.

(iv) India is a (piece/peace) loving country.

(v) He is very (week/weak).

(vi) My (dear/deer) friends did not come here.

Use correct form of verb :

(vii) You do not ..... (play) cricket now.

(viii) Mohan ..... (bring) milk every day.

(ix) I am ..... (take) exercise daily.

(x) I ..... (read) a book when he came in.

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Section-‘C’

(Long Answer Type Questions)

2×6=12

4. Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow :

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Prevention is better than cure, and it is recognized that the only way to get rid of Malaria completely is to get rid of the mosquitoes which cause it. Malaria is always associated with damp and marshy land. This is not because the land is damp, but because the standing water is the breeding place of the mosquito, which begins its life as a larva. Malaria doesn't frequently occur in dry desert countries because mosquitoes cannot breed there. The only way to destroy mosquitoes is to prevent their breeding in standing water. This can be done by draining all ponds and pools and by keeping them covered in the breeding season with a film of kerosene oil which by depriving the larvae from air, kills them.

Questions :

- (i) How can Malaria be prevented?
- (ii) In what places does Malaria occur most?

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- (iii) In what places does malaria not occur most?
- (iv) How can we prevent the breeding of mosquitoes?
- (v) Give the meaning of the word 'depriving'.
- (vii) Give a suitable title to the passage.

5. Write a paragraph on any one of the following topics : 6

- (i) Evils of Drug Addiction
- (ii) Child Labour
- (iii) All that glitter is not gold

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