

B.A DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER – 2020**FIRST YEAR
ENGLISH & COMMUNICATION
SOCIAL HISTORY OF ENGLAND****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 75****Part-A****(3x5=15Marks)****Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words each:**

1. Describe Renaissance in England.
2. Bring out the conflict between the King and the Parliament in Stuart England.
3. Write the effects of the French Revolution.
4. What are the Coffee Houses in Queen Anne's age.
5. Write a note on Humanitarian movements.
6. Write a note on Welfare state and social security.

Part –B**(3x10=30Marks)****Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words each:**

7. Reformation in Tudor England
8. The Puritan Age.
9. Colonial Expansion in England
10. Comment on the emerging of the Political Parties in England.
11. The effect of World War I
12. Industrial Revolution.

Part –C**(2x15=30Marks)****Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words each:**

13. Examine Renaissance and its impact in England.
14. Restoration England.
15. Describe the Agrarian Revaluation in detail.
16. Bring out the development of transport and communication in the Twentieth century.

B.A. Degree Examination- December -2020

B.A English and Communication

First Year

Social History of England

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Part – A

(3X3=9 Marks)

Answer any Three questions out of Five questions in 100 words

All question carry equal marks

1. Write a short note on social life in Queen Ann's England.
2. How was the concept of public health considered in the 20th century?
3. The Wars of the Roses
4. The Chartist Movement.
5. When did the first Stuart King assume the throne of England? How?

Part – B

(3X7=21 Marks)

Answer any Three questions out of Five questions in 200 words

All question carry equal marks

6. Write a note on history of Tudor England.
7. Describe the impact of the Stuart Period in the History of England
8. The Shape of the Elizabethan Theatre.
9. Social Impact of Puritanism.
10. Causes of the Second World War.

Part – C

(4X10=40 Marks)

Answer any Four questions out of Seven questions in 500 words

All question carry equal marks

11. Discuss the development of English stage during the Restoration Period.
12. Comment on the role of Coffee-houses in Queen Ann's England.
13. Write an essay on the impact of education.
14. Bring out the causes and consequences of Reformation in England.
15. Illustrate the development of science.
16. Discuss the effects of French Revolution on life in England and on English Literature.
17. Write an essay on the development of education in the 19th century.

B.A DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER – 2020**FIRST YEAR****ENGLISH & COMMUNICATION
AGE OF CHAUCER**

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Part –A**(3x5=15Marks)****Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words each:**

1. Comment on the theme of Donne's "The Sunne Rising" ?
2. How does the poem "Prothalamion" open?
3. How does Bacon distinguish truth?
4. What is the contract between Faustus and Mephistopheles?
5. Analyze the function of Bildad in The Book of Job.
6. What is the advantage of making Lilliputians small?

Part –B**(3x10=30Marks)****Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words each:**

7. Comment on the occasion of the poem "Prothalamion"
8. How is the Parson portrayed in Chaucer's The "Prologue to the Canterbury Tales?"
9. Comment on the role of Mephistophilis in Doctor Faustus.
10. What are Bacon's remarks on adversity?
11. How does Swift use scientific knowledge in Gulliver's Travels?
12. What traits do you admire most in Robinson Crusoe's character?

Part –C**(2x15=30Marks)****Answer any TWO of the following in about 250 words each:**

13. Analyze Chaucer's portrait of the military estate in The Prologue to the Canterbury Tales.
14. Examine the tragic downfall of Faustus.
15. Comment on the aphoristic style of Bacon's essays.
16. Bring out the chief attributes of Joseph's character in Joseph Andrews.

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ENGLISH

FIRST YEAR

AGE OF CHAUCER

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Part – A

(3x3=9 Marks)

Answer any three questions out of five in 100 words.

All questions carry equal marks

1. What is the refrain in “Prothalamion”?
2. How does Job react to his losses in “The Book of job”?
3. Explain the role of seven deadly sins in “Doctor Faustus”.
4. Who is Raphael Hythloday in “Utopia”?
5. What is the central theme of “The Sun Rising”?

Part – B

(3x7=21 Marks)

Answer any Three questions out of Five in 200 words

All questions carry equal marks

6. Comment on the theme of love in “The Sun Rising.”
7. How does Chaucer describe spring in Prologue to the “Canterbury Tales”?
8. What are Bacon’s remarks on truth?
9. Narrate the story of Utopia.
10. How does Book of Job defend the absolute glory and perfection of God?

Part – C

(4x10=40 Marks)

Answer any Four questions out of Seven in 500 words

All questions carry equal marks

11. Examine the aphoristic style of Bacon's essays.
 12. How does Spencer appeal to the sense of nationalism among those in attendance at the wedding in "Prothalamion"?
 13. Critically evaluate the character of Faustus.
 14. Consider "All for Love" as a tragedy.
 15. Comment on the epigrammatic terseness in the essays of Bacon.
 16. Critically analyse the Poem "The Sun Rising"
 17. Analyze any five portraits whom you like and admire in "Prologue to the Canterbury Tales".
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B.A DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER – 2020**ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION****FIRST YEAR****INTRODUCTION TO JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 75****Part –A****(3x5 = 15 Marks)****Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words each:**

1. Define the term Journalism.
2. How did Journalism enter India?
3. List out the news agencies of India and abroad.
4. State the functions of the Editor.
5. What is Mass Communication?

Part –B**(3x10 = 30 Marks)****Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words each:**

7. Write about the history of Journalism.
8. Expand: NEWS and state the significance of NEWS Gathering.
9. Narrate the role of Radio Journalism in the present scenario.
10. Why T.V is considered a mass communication?
11. Explain the theories of Mass communication.
12. State the link between Society and Mass communication.

Part –C**(2x15 = 30 Marks)****Answer any TWO of the following in about 250 words each:**

13. Elucidate the growth of Journalism in India.
14. Differentiate Photo Journalism and Web Journalism.
15. Discuss the importance of Mass Communication in the present situation.

16. How does mass communication reach the society at large?

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FIRST YEAR

ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION

INTRODUCTION TO JOURNALISM AND MASS

COMMUNICATION

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

Part – A

(3X3=9 Marks)

Answer any Three questions out of Five in 100 words

All questions carry equal marks

1. Explain the different types of Leads.
2. Write a brief note on “Cartoons”.
3. Explain TRP
4. What is Web Journalism?
5. What are the factors that determine the news value?

Part – B

(3X7=21 Marks)

Answer any Three questions out of Five in 200 words

All questions carry equal marks

6. What is Soft News
7. Bring out the merits and demerits of TV Journalism
8. Elaborate the role of Radio Journalism
9. Give an account of the qualities of good sub-editor
10. Explain Tabloid and Yellow Journalism

Part – C

(4X10=40 Marks)

Answer any Four questions out of Seven in 500 words

All questions carry equal marks

11. Bring out the impact of Journalism on society
12. Explain the junctions of reporting on the basis of write-up.
13. Discuss the process of communication in advertisement media.
14. Attempt an essay on the future of Web Journalism.
15. What are the skills involved in editing?
16. Elucidate the role of Interviews in Journalism.

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION- DECEMBER -2020**SECOND YEAR****ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION****RESTORATION AGE****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 75****PART –A****[3 x 5 = 15Marks]****I. Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words each**

1. Write a note on the role of Mrs. Candour.
2. Write a short note on the theme of Dryden's, "Alexander Feast".
3. Name the Supernatural machineries mentioned by Pope that help Belinda.
4. Why did Goodwill pull Christian in through the gate, in "The Pilgrims Progress" .?
5. Name the important characters in "The way of the the world".
6. Write a short note on the auction scene in "The school for scandal"

PART- B**[3 x 10 =30Marks]****II. Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words each.**

7. Discuss the major themes of Thomas Gray's, "Elegy written in a Country churchyard".
8. What are the features of a mock epic used in "Rape of the lock".?
9. Explain the role of two women characters in "The school for scandal".
10. Sketch the character of Lady Wishfort.
11. Discuss the contribution of Addison and Steele to the development of English prose.
12. Write a note on Christians experience at the valley of the Shadow of Death.

PART – C

[2 x 15 = 30Marks]

III. Answer any TWO of the following in about 200 words each.

13. Write an essay on the heroic elements in "The Rape of the lock".
14. Attempt a critical appreciation of "Alexander's Feast".
15. Compare and contrast the characters of Joseph Surface and Charles Surface in "The School for Scandal".
16. Discuss "The way of the world" as a comedy of manners.

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION- DECEMBER -2020**SECOND YEAR****ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION****WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 75****PART - A****I. Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words each. [3 x 5 = 15Marks]**

1. Write a short note on Shakespearean stage.
2. Why did Cordelia leave the Kingdom, in "King Lear"?
3. Define 'Romantic comedy' with example.
4. Why did Calpurnia request Caesar not to go to the capital?
5. Name some tragic plays of William Shakespeare.
6. Write a note on Queen Isabella in Richard II.

PART - B**II. Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words each. [3 x 10 =30 Marks]**

7. Discuss the role of women in 'King Lear'.
8. Write a note on the opening scene of Julius Caesar.
9. Explain the structure of Shakespearean theatre.
10. Sketch the character of Henry Bolingbroke in Richard II.
11. Discuss the salient features of Shakespearean comedies.
12. Analyse the role of Villains in Shakespearean plays.

PART – B

III. Answer any TWO of the following in about 200 words each. [2 x 15 = 30Marks]

13. Sketch the character of Rosalind in 'As you like it'.

14. Analyse "King Lear" as a tragedy

15. Analyse the power of speech in Julius Caesar.

16. Discuss Richard II as a political play.

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION- DECEMBER -2020**SECOND YEAR****ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION****INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNICATION STUDIES****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 75****PART – A****I. Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words each. [3 x 5 = 15]**

1. What is communication?
2. What are the different types of sign?
3. What is metonymy?
4. Define myth.
5. Define non-verbal communication.
6. What is ethnography?

PART -B**II. Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words each. [3 x 10 =30]**

7. Discuss the role of signs in communication.
8. Compare logical and aesthetic codes.
9. Write a note on content analysis.
10. Explain empiricism.
11. Discuss the channels of communication.
12. Explain entropy and redundancy.

PART- C

III. Answer any TWO of the following in about 200 words each. [2 x 15 = 30]

13. Describe communication models.
14. Discuss the empirical methods of communication.
15. Explain the different kinds of codes.
16. Write an essay on the structure of mass culture.

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION- DECEMBER -2020
THIRD YEAR
ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION
ROMANTIC AGE

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

Part – A

(3x5=15 Marks)

Answer any Three of the following in about 50 words each.

1. Annotate:-

"The ship was cheered, the harbor cleared
Merrily did we stop,
Below the kirk, below the hill,
Below the light house top

2. Annotate:-

Beauty is truth, truth beauty, - that is all
Ye know on earth, and all ye need to know."

3. Annotate:-

O Wild West Wind, thou breath of Autumn's being
Thou from whose unseen presence the leaves dead
Are driven, like ghosts from an enchanter fleeing.

4. Write the note on the significance of the title "Lyrical Ballads".

5. What type of comedy is "she stoops to conquer"?

6. Who is Frankstein?

Part – B

(3x10=30 Marks)

Answer any Three of the following in about 150 words each.

7. Critically summarize the poem "Michael" by William Wordsworth.
8. Why did the mariner kill the Albatross?
9. What does the Poem "To a Skylark" imply?
10. Explain the significance of the name Ivanhoe mean?
11. Why did Shelley write - "A defence of Poetry".
12. Emma is a sentimental Novel - Comment.

Part – C

(2x15=30 Marks)

Answer any Two of the following in about 250 words each.

13. Give the Critical appreciation of the poem - "ode on a Grecian Urn"
14. Explain how John Keats uses symbolism and Imagery in his work.
15. Write the critical analysis of the poem Ivan hoe.
16. Explain the theme of the Novel - "Frankenstein"

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION- DECEMBER -2020**THIRD YEAR****ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION****VICTORIAN AGE****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum: 75 Marks****Part – A****(3x5=15 Marks)**

Answer any Three of the following in about 50 words each.

1. Define "Dramatic Monologue."
2. Write about the form and style used in Alfred Tennyson's "Ulysses"
3. Write a biography on Robert Browning.
4. What does the title "Sesame and Lilies" signify?
5. Write briefly about the life history of Oscar Wilde.
6. Define Pygmalion Myth.

Part – B**(3x10=30 Marks)**

Answer any Three of the following in about 150 words each.

7. Write a Critical appreciation of the poem "My Last Duchess".
8. Write a note on the theme of love in the poem "The Dover Beach"
9. What are the main themes of Hard Times?
10. Sketch the character of Eliza Doolittle.
11. Write a character sketch of Tess Durbeyfield.
12. Write a critical analysis of "Pygmalion".

Part – C

(2X15=30 Marks)

Answer any TWO of the following in about 250 words each.

13. Summarize the poem - Ulysses in detail.
14. Describe "My Last Duchess" as a dramatic Monologue.
15. Critically analyze Thomas Carlyle's "The Hero as a Poet"
16. Write a critique on "Hard Times" by analyzing the themes and sketching the characters in the novel.

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION- DECEMBER -2020
ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION
THIRD YEAR
MODERN ENGLISH LITERATURE

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Part – A

(3x5=15 Marks)

Answer any Three of the following in about 50 words each.

1. What are the imageries used in “The Unknown citizen”?
2. Write about the theme of “On superstition”?
3. What is the role of cliff in Look Back in Anger?
4. What does the Invisible Man make you think about science?
5. Write a short note on symbolism used in Easter 1916?
6. How does “Journey of the Magi” explore the wisemen?

Part – B

(3x10=30 Marks)

Answer any Three of the following in about 150 words each

7. What are the literary devices found in the Journey of Magi by T.S Eliot?
8. Comment on the Title “A passage to India”?
9. What does Chesterton mean by Running after One’s hat?
10. What is the main theme of Look Back in Anger?
11. Attempt a short note on the usage of paradoxes in Work and Leisure?
12. What is the moral of Waiting for Godot?

Part – C

(2x15=30 Marks)

Answer any TWO of the following in about 250 words each.

13. Elucidate the significance of the title “The Unknown Citizen”?
14. Explain Waiting for Godot as an Absurd play.
15. Discuss the major themes of Work and Leisure?
16. How is the theme of the play “Took Back in Anger” relevant to the present times as well?

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION- DECEMBER -2020**THIRD YEAR****ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION
PHONETICS AND SPOKEN ENGLISH****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum: 75 Marks****Part – A****(3x5=15 Marks)**

Answer any Three of the following in about 50 words each.

1. Explain intonation and its function.
2. What are Diphthongs?
3. Discuss word stress in English.
4. Explain the classification of vowels.
5. Define phonology.
6. What is speech mechanism?

Part – B**(3x10=30 Marks)**

Answer any Three of the following in about 150 words each.

7. Classify the Speech Sounds
8. Write a note on Cardinal Vowels
9. Analyse the Phonetic Symbols in a paragraph
10. Explain the monophthog or pure Vowels of English
11. Write an Introduction to word Stress.
12. Analyse the Forms of Intonation

Answer any Two of the following in about 250 words each.

13) Transcribe the passage

Raj : Are you going to the post office?

Ravi : yes, I am going to the post office.

Why are you asking?

Raj : I'm working on some letters, but they are not quite ready.

Ravi : oh! Then I hold off for a few minutes.

Raj : Just wait for 10 minutes.

It will be ready.

Ravi : Sure, we both will go and post it.

14) Transcribe the following dialogue

Thomas : Hi! Bala, How are you?

Smith : I am fine, What about you?

Thomas : I am also fine.

Smith : What's your opinion about yesterday science Exhibitions?

Thomas : It was really great. I got a lot of Knowledge from that.

Smith : yeah. I too was inspired by the small dam model.

Thomas : Tiny Robots was also very interesting.

Smith : Ok, I have to go for a work.

Thomas : MMM, bye bye ! see You!

15) Write a detailed description of Consonants, plosives, Affricates, Nasals and Fricatives

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION- DECEMBER -2020
THIRD YEAR
ENGLISH AND COMMUNICATION
COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum: 75 Marks

Part – A

(3x5=15 Marks)

Answer any Three of the following in about 50 words each.

1. What is meant by active listening?
2. What are the types of communication?
3. What is meant by Job interview?
4. Mention the characteristics of report writing?
5. Explain the term Skimming.
6. Mention the different types of Group Discussion.

Part – B

(3x10=30 Marks)

Answer any Three of the following in about 150 words each.

7. Describe the barriers of active listening.
8. Explain the guidelines to write a blog.
9. Describe the strategies for improving reading skills.
10. Explain the methods of speed reading.
11. Discuss the importance of non-verbal communication while attending an interview.
12. Elucidate the strategies of effective writing.

Part – C

(2x15=30 Marks)

Answer any Two of the following in about 250 words each

13. Trace the barriers at various stages in the process of communication.
14. Draft an e-mail to the manager of the book store requesting to resend the recent purchase of thousand books for your office.
15. Discuss the aspects in structuring a presentation.
16. Discuss the rules of panel discussion.

B. A. DEGREE EXAMINATION - DECEMBER - 2020**First Year****ENGLISH****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 75****PART A****(3 x 5 = 15 Marks)****Answer any THREE of the following in about 50 words each:**

1. What are the themes of Gitanjali?
2. Describe the thought in Kamala Das's 'The Old Playhouse'
3. Bring out A.K. Ramanujan's reminiscence of his father's death in "Obituary"?
4. Why did Naipaul call India a wounded civilization?
5. Justify the title, *Voices in the city*.
6. Explain the theme in Vijay Tendulkar's *Kanyadan*.

PART B**(3 x 10 = 30 Marks)****II. Answer any THREE of the following in about 150 words each:**

7. Discuss the theme of spiritual journey in *Gitanjali*.
8. How did Toru Dutt immortalize the tree?
9. What did Chaudhuri write about Bengal Renaissance?
10. Character of Mr. Sampath.
11. Enumerate the character of Munoo.
12. Comment on Tughlaq's political schemes.

PART C**(2 x 15 = 30 Marks)****III. Answer any TWO of the following in about 250 words each:**

13. How did Nissim Ezekiel bring out mother's love.
14. Discuss *Tughlaq* as a historical play.
15. Examine the theme of post independence life in *The Shadow Lines*
16. Justify the title, *The Serpent and the Rope*

B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – DECEMBER - 2020**ENGLISH****FIRST YEAR****MODERN INDIAN WRITING IN ENGLISH****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 70****PART – A****(3x3=9 Marks)****Answer any Three questions out of Five in 100 words.****All questions carry equal marks**

1. Mention the image of God presented in Song 1 of “Gitanjali”?
2. How does Prabha and his wife treat Munoo in “Coolie”?
3. What attracted Jyoti’s love for Arun in “Kanyadan”?
4. What does Tagore mean by “Life of my life”?
5. What is the legacy left behind by the father in ‘Obituary’?

PART – B**(3x7=21 Marks)****Answer any Three questions out of Five in 200 words****All questions carry equal marks**

6. How does Ezekiel throw light on the Indian superstitions in “Night of the Scorpion”?
7. Comment on the appropriateness of the title “Kanyadan”.
8. Summarize Chaudhuri’s view of the English scene and its beauty.
9. Comment on the appropriateness of the title “The Serpent and the Rope”.
10. What does Shanthi represent in “Mr. Sampath”?

Part – C

(4x10=40 Marks)

Answer any Four questions out of Seven in 500 words

All questions carry equal marks

11. How does Kamala Das exhibit the precariousness and incompleteness in man-woman relationship in “The Old Playhouse”?
 12. Examine the distinctive features of Chaudhuri’s “The Autobiography of an Unknown Indian”.
 13. Consider Tughlaq as a political satire.
 14. Discuss the nostalgic feelings of the speaker in “Our Casuarina Tree”.
 15. Bring out Naipaul’s remarks on India.
 16. How does the title ‘Coolie’ reinforce the theme of the novel? Explain. Elaborate.
 17. Examine the novel, “Mr. Sampath” as a Piece of Indian Writing in English.
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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – DECEMBER - 2020

ENGLISH

SECOND YEAR

**INTRODUCTION TO JOURNALISM AND COMMUNICATION
(ANCILLARY)**

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 75

Part – A

(3x5=15 Marks)

Answer any Three of the following in about 50 words each.

1. What is meant by 'News Value'?
2. Define Mass Communication.
3. What is the function of an editorial?
4. Write a note on Radio Scripting.
5. Who is a freelance Journalist?
6. Describe the techniques of conducting an interview of a sports celebrity.

Part – B

(3x10=30 Marks)

Answer any Three of the following in about 150 words each.

7. Write a note on the role of Advertisement in Journalism.
8. What is the normative theory of mass communication? Discuss any two relevant normative theories.
9. Write a note on Web writing style.
10. How does radio and TV journalism impact the lives of people in the society?
11. What are the common topics seen in a Newspaper?
12. Discuss the traits of a good Reporter.

Answer any TWO of the following in about 250 words each.

13. Discuss the theories of mass communication.
14. Elucidate the role and importance of mass communication in today's society.
15. Trace the growth and development of journalism in India.
16. Write an essay on the general principles of journalism.
