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B.Sc./B.Sc.(Home Science)/B.Sc. B.Ed. (Part-II) Suppl. EXAMINATION, 2021 (Foundation Course) Paper Second ENGLISH LANGUAGE Time : Three hours Maximum Marks : 75

Note : Attempt all questions.

- 1. Attempt any five of the following questions : 15
- (1) Which goddess is dragged by science from her car?
- (2) What do you mean by the phrase, "All men are scientists"?
- (3) What did Aryabhata say about solar and lunar eclipses ?
- (4) How did Ramanujan lose his scholarship?
- (5) How does information technology act like new highways?

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- (6) How can you say that a plastic surgeon is a sculptor?
- (7) Which is the most disturbing aspect of the water pollution problems ?
- (8) What compelled Japan to surrender before the western powers ?
- (9) Who is known as the legendary Indian founder of medicine ?
- (10) How did J.C. Bose save a large tree from dying during transplantation ?
- 2. Read the following passage and answer the questions given below :  $2\frac{1}{2}$ 
  - (a) Our forests are important sources of natural wealth covering one fifth of the country's land area. They supply the timber for the railways, house building and furniture making. They also supply the fuel for cooking and the bamboo for paper making, medicinal herbs also come from the forests.

In the older days our wisemen and philosophers had their ashrams in the forests. These ashrams were centres of knowledge and learning. Unfortunately forests were ruthlessly cut down in the past few years. While the forests are disappearing, demand for timber is growing. We must, therefore, protect and develop our forests. 'Van Mahotsava' is an important step in this direction. It is observed in July every year. [3]

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During this week lakhs of saplings are planted throughout the country.

This is being done to restore our fast disappearing forests.

## **Questions :**

(1) For what purpose do we need timber ?

(2) What do forests supply for paper making?

(3) What was the use of Ashrams ?

(4) When is Van Mahotsava observed ?

(5) Give a suitable title for the passage.

(b) Give noun forms of any five of the following :  $1\frac{1}{2}$ 

- (1) Evolve (2) Direct (3) Refuse
- (4) Punish (5) Believe (6) Suggest

(7) Rotate (8) Part.

- 3. Write a report on any one of the following in about 200 words : 10
  - (1) Report on Prize Distribution in College.
  - (2) Spread of an Epidemic in your town.
  - (3) A report on 'Blood Donation Camp by N.S.S. Unit of your college'.
  - (4) Road Accident.

4. Expand any one idea in about 200 words :

(1) All that glitters is not gold.

(2) As you sow, so shall you reap.

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- (3) Work is worship.
- (4) Prevention is better than cure.
- Do as directed (any twenty): **5.**(a) 10 Insert 'a' or 'an' or 'the' in the blank space in the following sentences : (1) Vinay is.....engineer. (2) Kolkata is.....largest city of India. (3) They come to India twice.....year. Fill in the blanks in the following sentences with suitable forms of 'have' or 'do' : (4) I.....three brothers. (5) .....as you wish. (6) Do you.....any idea where she lives. Fill in the blanks spaces with possessives or self-forms : (7) Karan has made.....very unpopular. (8) We enjoyed ..... at the party last night. (9) I was given this award by the king..... Complete the following sentences by using the superlative degree : (10) This stupa is very old. It is the.....in the world. (11) It was very bad mistake. It was the.....I ever made.

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Complete the following sentences by using the comparative degree :

(12) You are not very tall. Your brother is......

(13) Your plan is not very good. My plan is.....

Put the verbs in the following sentences in the correct tense of the verb :

(14) My nephew.....(arrive) here next week.

(15) It.....(rain) since Monday.

(16) When we.....(reach) the theatre the film .....(start).

Fill in the blank spaces with appropriate 'modals' :

(17) They ..... gladly accept the offer.

(18) We ..... aim at noble goals.

(19) ..... you prosper and live long?

Change the voice of the following sentences :

(20) Somebody hit her on the head.

(21) All the students laughed at him.

(22) Who killed the tiger ?

Fill in the blank spaces with appropriate preposition:

(23) They have travelled all.....the world.

(24) He was cleared.....all blame.

(25) He was born.....a Sunday.

(b) Give synonyms of the words given below (any five) :

(4) Calamity (5) Unique (6) Entire
(7) Employ (8) Cheap.
(c) Give antonyms of the following words : (Any five) 5
(1) Poor (2) First (3) Quiet

(4) Human (5) Belief (6) Slow

- (7) Closed (8) Real.
- (d) Make the following words Negative by using<br/>Prefixes : (Any five)5(1) Partial(2) Complete(3) Correct
  - (4) Pure (5) Fold (6) Lock
  - (7) Holy (8) Worthy.

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(1) Glorious (2) Change (3) Poor