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**B.Sc. (Third Year) EXAMINATION,  
March/April 2022  
FOUNDATION COURSE**

Paper - II

**ENGLISH LANGUAGE***Time : Three Hours**Maximum Marks : 30 (For Regular Students)**Minimum Pass Marks : 33%**Maximum Marks : 35 (For Private Students)**Minimum Pass Marks : 33%***Note**—Attempt *all* questions.

1. (A) Fill in the blanks with correct alternatives  
(any four)—  $1 \times 4 = 4$
- (i) In the poem 'Stopping by Woods on a Snowy Evening' the woods were filled up with—  
 (a) ice.  
 (b) hail.  
 (c) flowers.  
 (d) snow.
- (ii) Rakesh lived with his grand father on the outskirts of.....  
 (a) Mussoorie.  
 (b) Nainital.  
 (c) Kashmir.  
 (d) Sikkim.

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- (iii) An astrologer foretold that Velan would live in a.....  
 (a) palace.  
 (b) three storeyed house.  
 (c) mud house.  
 (d) church.
- (iv) The garden in which children played belonged to a.....  
 (a) giant.  
 (b) farmer.  
 (c) merchant.  
 (d) ghost.
- (v) A traffic policeman symbolizes.....  
 (a) public liberty.  
 (b) cruelty.  
 (c) individual freedom.  
 (d) public grievances.
- (vi) "Seeker after God" is an expression from.....  
 (a) the old Lama.  
 (b) satyagrah.  
 (c) a song of Kabir.  
 (d) toasted English.
- (B) Write in brief the answers of the following questions (any three)—  $3 \times 2 = 6$
- (a) What does the poet observe about the woods ?  
 (b) Why was the cherry tree so special ?  
 (c) What happens at the end of the story 'The Axe' ?

- (d) What did the giant hear when he was lying awake in bed ?
- (e) Why did the lady think she was entitled to walk down the middle of the road ?
- (f) Why does the poet consider it needless to ask the caste of a saint ?
2. Do as directed (any *eight*)—  $1 \times 8 = 8$
- (i) He said to me, "stand up and get lost." (Change the narration)
- (ii) I requested the principal to issue the Transfer Certificate. (Change the narration) <https://www.jiwajionline.com>
- (iii) Has he not eaten anything. (Change the voice)
- (iv) The thief was arrested. (Change the voice)
- (v) He is too weak to walk. (Change into a complex sentence)
- (vi) He is (confident/confidant) of his success. (Choose the correct word)
- (vii) I do not want any (farther/further) explanation. (Choose the correct word)
- (viii) How beautiful the Taj is! (Convert into an assertive sentence)
- (ix) The rose is very beautiful. (Convert into an exclamatory sentence)
- (x) Use the following words in your own sentences—  
excess—access.

3. Write a report on any *one* of the following topics— 4
- (a) Annual Function in your college.
- (b) The Republic Day Celebration in your college.
- (c) Human Rights Day Celebration.
- (d) N.S.S. Camp.
4. Precise the following paragraph in about one-third of its original length. 4
- Over-eating is one of the most wonderful practices among those who think that they can afford it. In fact, authorities say that nearly all who can get as much as they desire, over-eat to their to their disadvantage. This class of people could save a great more food than they can save by missing one meal per week and at the same time they could improve their health. A heavy meal at night, the so-called 'dinner', is the fashion with many and often it is taken shortly before retiring. It is unnecessary and could be forgone, not only once a week but daily without loss of strength. From three to five hours are needed to digest food. While sleeping, this food not being required to give energy for work, is in many cases converted into excess fat, giving rise to over-weight The evening meal should be light, taken three or four hours before retiring. This prevents over-eating, conserves energy and reduces the cost of food.
5. Draft a resume to apply for the post of a sub-inspector in Police Department. 4
- Or*
- Write your C.V. applying for the post of a Bank Manager.