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II Semester B.Sc. Degree (NEP) Examination, September/October - 2022

ENGLISH

GENERIC ENGLISH - II

(Regular)

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

- I. Answer the following in a word, a phrase or a sentence each. (10×1=10)
1. Who is called the father of 'Zero budget Natural farming'?
 2. State any one principle of ZBNF?
 3. Name the coaches of Milkha singh.
 4. Where had Milkha singh his rigerous practice daily?
 5. Who is the writer of "on saying please"?
 6. Where does the poet's daughter sleep?
 7. What kind of life did Helen choose to live?
 8. Who is Maya Angelou?
 9. What do you mean by the word 'I' in the poem "Still I Rise"?
 10. Who wrote the poem "How did you die"?
- II. 1) Write a note on Zero budget natural farming. (1×10=10)
(OR)
2) Comment on the essay "on saying please".
- III. 1) Critically appreciate the poem "Still I Rise". (1×10=10)
(OR)
2) What does W.B. Yeats pray for his daughter? Explain.
- IV. A) Rewrite as directed. (5×2=10)
1. Give the synonyms of the following.
 - i. Fear
 - ii. Happy.
 2. Use the following homophones in your own sentence (any one) :
 - i. Tail - tale
(OR)
ii. Sun - son.
 3. Fill in the blanks with appropriate prefix or suffix for the given words in the brackets.
 - i. Shashi looked _____ at the puppy (happy).
 - ii. Geeta wants to be a _____ when she grows up (mathematics).

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4. Match the words in column 'A' with its collective words in Column 'B'.

A

B

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| 1. Freedom | - | Fighter/writer/swimmer. |
| 2. Railway | - | Station/run/stop/chair. |
5. Bring out the difference in meaning of the following pair of words by using them in your own sentences.
Affect - Effect

(OR)

- B) 1. Read the following passage carefully and identify the technical terms related to the field of the topic and write in the answer script. (5)

In the year 1962, Indian national committee for space research was formed which paved the way for our achievements in the field of space research. India entered into the space research field on november 21, 1963. when India launched her first rocket from Thumba. The progress of India in this field was rapid and in 1975 April 19, we launched our first artificial satellite 'Aryabhata' which followed the launching of a number of artificial satellites including the 'Insat' for tele communication. Now India is one among the advanced countries in the field of space research.

2. A) What is listening? Mention the types of listening. (1×5=5)

(OR)

- B) What are the barriers for effective listening? Discuss the techniques to improve listening skills.

- V. Answer any **Two** of the following. (2×5=10)

1. Change into indirect speech.
- He says, "Tea is ready".
 - Priya asked Ravi. "Do you know me?"
 - Vijay said to Vani, "I Know you and your brother".
 - Suresh said to sharan, "I was watching TV yesterday".
 - "When I reached the station, the train had left" said shreya to Trupti.
2. Write an imaginary dialogue between you and your friend about the preparation of annual exam.
3. Give an example each to verbal and non - verbal communication, with the definition.
4. Summarise the following passage in your own words and give a suitable title.

The Triveni Sangam is located on the banks of the Ganges and Yamuna, in Allahabad. Sangam in Hindi language means confluence. the Triveni sangam in Allahabad is a confluence of three rivers : the Ganga, Yamuna and Saraswati of these, the river Saraswati is invisible and said to be flowing beneath the earth. It meets the other two rivers from the base.



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VI. Answer any **Two** of the following.

(2×5=10)

1. Draft a copy of speech on "Importance of water"/
2. Write an essay on "Waste Management".
3. Write a short paragraph on "Mahatma Gandhi".
4. Translate the following paragraph into kannada or Hindi or Marathi or Urdu.

"The Mayan civilization was a group of people who lived in Central America they lived for a very long time and some of the Maya people live there even today. They lived 4000years ago. The Mayans were the only people in America to have a written language before columbus came to America in 1492 AD. They were good at art, building and Mathematics. They knew about stars and planets, which helped them make calendars.
