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## UNIT I - PROSE

I Answer any ONE of the following in about 300 words: 8M

1. Who is old Behrman?

What role does he play in the story 'The Last Leaf'.
2. What are Martin Luther Kings views on the 'Emancipation proclamation.
3. Describe the 'Man in Black's life as narrated by the author.

## UNIT II - LIFE SKILLS

II Answer any TWO of the following questions in not less than 150 words.

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6 \times 2=12 \mathrm{M}
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4. Write about the story of the Talents - How does this story apply in the present competitive world.?
5. Explain the significance of the story "The Good Samaritan". How do you respond if you face such a situation?
6. Write about the story "Prodigal Son". Do you support the attitude of father towards his sons.

## UNIT III - NON-DETAILED TEXT

III Answer any TWO of the following questions in about 300 words. $2 \times 5=10 \mathrm{M}$
7. David copperfield is an autobiographical novel - Discuss this view based on the early Childhood life of David.
8. How does David become a puppet in the hands of fate and circumstances?
9. What are David's experiences at Salam House as brought out in chapter "My first half at Salam House".

UNIT IV - COMMUNICATION SKILLS
IV Answer ALL the following:
10. Identify the silent letters in the given words

1. Foreign
2. Condemn
P.T.O.
3. Divide the following words into syllables and write the number of syllables in the brackets.
$2 \mathrm{x} 1=2 \mathrm{M}$
4. Vitamin
5. garden
6. Mark the stress in the given words $2 \mathrm{x}=2 \mathrm{M}$
7. light
8. between
9. Convert the following transcriptions into words. $2 \times 1=2 \mathrm{M}$
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UNIT V - GRAMMAR
V Answer ALL the following questions.
14. Identify the parts of speech of the underlined words in the given sentences.

1. She is a clever girl $2 \times 1=2 \mathrm{M}$
2. They bought many books
3. Write antonyms for the following words. $2 \times 1=2 \mathrm{M}$
4. accept
5. Remember
6. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb given in brackets.
$2 \times 1=2 M$
7. She -----------(play) Tennis everyday
8. They ---------(visit) Kashmir last week
9. Transform the following as directed $2 \mathrm{x} 1=2 \mathrm{M}$
10. Lata is not taller than Gita (Change it into positive Degree)
11. India is one of the greatest countries in the world.
(Change it into positive Degree)

## UNTI IV - FUNCTIONAL UNIT

VI Write only TWO of the following questions.
18. Write a letter to the Principal requesting him/her to grant you permission to go home as you are suffering from fever.
19. Write a letter to the Principal complaining about the problem of drinking water in your dining hall.
20. Write a letter to the Principal applying for T.C. C.C. as you have to apply for higher studies.

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## I POETRY

Answer any TWO of the following questions in essays: $2 \times 5=10$

1. In the poem 'Laugh and Be Merry' what final advice does the poet give to the readers towards the end of the poem?
2. Bring out the Significance of the title of the poem 'Where the Mind without Fear'.
3. Where do you think the encounter between the speaker and the traveler takes place? What does this vagueness contribute in the poem?

II Life-Skills
Answer any TWO of the following parables in an essay each $2 \times 4=8$
4. What is the meaning of the parable of the Sower.
5. What is the theme of 'The Pharisee and the Publican?
6. What was Jesus teaching us with reference to 'Wise and Foolish Builders'?

III Non-Detailed
Attempt any TWO of the following essays.
7. The novel 'David Copperfield' was written by Dicken's as a sort of autobiography' Discuss.
8. Discuss the character of Mr.Micawber in David Copperfield?
9. What is Charles Dicken's style of writing?

IV Reading Comprehension.
Read the following passage carefully and answer all the questions. $4 \times 1=4$
Bees live in a house that is called a hive. There are three kinds of bees: workers, drones and Queens. Only one queen bee can live in each hive. If she is lost or dead, the other bees will stop their work.

Bees are very wise and busy little creatures. They all join together to build cells of wax for their honey. Each bee takes its proper place and does its own work. Some go out and gather honey from the flowers, others stay at home and work inside the hive.

The cells which they build are all of one Shape and Size, and no room is left between them. The cells are not round. They have six sides.

Did you ever look into a glass hive to see the bees while at work? It is pleasant to see how busy they always are.

But the drones do not work. Before winter comes, all the drones are driven from the hive so that they don't eat the honey which they did not gather.

It is not Safe for Children to handle bees. Bees have a painful sting that they use in their defense.
QUESTIONS:
10. How many sides does a cell in the hive have?
11. What happens to the drones in the winter
12. Which one is a Kind of bee?
13. Which word best describes bees?

V COMMUNICATION SKILLS
Answer all the following questions
a) Asking Permission: 1M
14. How would you ask your teacher's permission if you want to go out of the class to attend a Student Council Meeting Urgently
b) INSTRUCTIONS: 2M
15. Give Instructions to your Sister to prepare a wall journal.
c) DIRECTIONS:

2M
16. Give directions to a new student as how to reach the computer lab from the College gate.
VI GRAMMAR:
17. Write Synonyms for the following words. 2 M
a. Novice
b. Profuse
18. REWRITE AS DIRECTED:

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2 \mathrm{x} 1=2 \mathrm{M}
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a. Tom Said 'I have broken my arm Yesterday'? (change into indirect)
b. He said that she was going to see his mother the next day
(change into direct speech)
19. Correct the following sentences and rewrite them:
a. He got two breads.
b. The rich is happier than poor.
20. Write a suitable question - tag in the given blank.
21. Write a dialogue between a tourist guide and the passenger in bus enquiring about the tourist spots in Hyderabad.
VII Developing Competence: Official letters Write any TWO of the following questions $2 \times 3=6 \mathrm{M}$
22. Write a letter applying for a job as a teacher in a School.
23. Write a complaint to municipal office about the disturbance caused by street dogs at night in your locality.
24. Write a letter to a book depot to send Mathematics text books which you require by V.P.P. for library reference section.

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## UNIT I - WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT

I Write an essay on any ONE of the following: $5+2=7 \mathrm{M}$

1) "Only a girl" is a sharp reminder of the inferior status of women in Society"

- Explain. How could you change this?

2) What Qualities in a bride are men looking for?

Do you agree that they are correct?
UNIT II - CURRENT ISSUES
II Write an essay on any ONE of the following:
3) What happens if people are addicted to gadgets according to the essay "When Hi-Tech is High Wreck?"
4) How does the author bring out the problem of Child exploitation in the essay "Rights of the Child."

## UNIT III - PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT

III Answer any TWO of the following:
$5+5=10 \mathrm{M}$
5) How did the sons learn their lesson from the father's riddle.
6) What do you learn about Sudha's Saving habit from "The Rainy Day?"
7) How is Murthy portrayed by Sudha Murthy in her essay.
8) How does Sudha convey the importance of education in the essay 'A Journey through the Desert?"

## IV COMPREHENSION

Read the following passage and answer the questions that follow in a sentence.

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1 \times 5=5 \mathrm{M}
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A kind hearted gentleman knew Suresh's father. He offered a room and food for Suresh in his own house. His son was also studying with us. Our College gave Suresh a full Scholarship. We all knew his financial situation and we would help him in as many small ways as possible. We used to contribute money for him to buy books. Suresh was a fairly good student, hardworking and very shy.
9. Who is Suresh?
10. What work did Suresh's father do?
11. What do you think the financial condition of Suresh is.
12. How did he get help?
13. Describe Suresh's nature.
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UNIT IV - COMMUNICATION SKILLS
14. Imagine you are in need of leave of absence from college for a week to attend a marriage. Make a call to your Principal. (8-10 exchanges) $3+3=6$

15 Fill in the blanks in the following conversation:
Mohini: Hello Smitha? What are you doing?
Smitha:
Mohini: I called to invite you to my home.
Smitha:
Mohini: It's my birthday.
Smitha:
Mohini: At 5 pm . Sharp. OK see you bye
Smitha: Bye.
VI UNIT V - GRAMMAR
16. Write a paragraph expanding any ONE of the following proverbs.
$1 \times 3=3$
a. Haste Makes Waste
b. Little Strokes Fell great Oaks
c. All that Glitters is not Gold.
17. Rearrange the following sentences in logical order and rewrite the paragraph
a. After completing the letters, she wrote the addresses.
b. She finally switched off the lights and left.
c. The typist started typing the letters.
d. She then packed her bag to leave.
18. Write a descriptive paragraph on any ONE of the following:

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a. My hobby
b. A Sports Star
c. My best friend
19. Fill in the blanks Choosing the correct option in the brackets $4 \times 1=4$

Dr. Sarvepalli Radhakrishnan was a --------------- (popular, bright)

Philosopher and a ----------- (great, greatest) teacher. When he $\qquad$ (left, leave) Mysore his students ----------- (were pulled, pulled the carriage the station.
20. Write a paragraph giving the point of view of the character choosing any ONE of the following 3
a. As a teacher teaching in a K.G school
b. As a bus-conductor in a State bus.

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## UNIT I - WOMEN'S STUDIES

I Answer any TWO of the following questions. $7 \times 2=14 \mathrm{M}$

1. What are the traits of Sudha Murthy that you find admirable?
2. How did Gladys Staires Overcome her difficulties?
3. How is Kalpana Chawla a Unique Woman?

## UNIT II - PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT

II Answer any TWO of the following in about 150 words. $6 \times 2=12 \mathrm{M}$
4. How did Sudha Murthy's grandmother learn to read?
5. What lesson do you learn from "Books for at least one Library"?
6. What are the salient features of Abdul Kalaam as praised by Sudha Murthy?
7. What does the writer convey through the lesson "Red Rice Granary"?

III 8. Read the paragraph and answer the Questions following: $1 \mathrm{x} 4=4 \mathrm{M}$
As he was very bright, Hassan would invariably get a first class in the exam. However before the exams started, every semester this drama Hassan would be repeated. I would get upset, threaten and ultimately give in. Each time Hassan would promise to improve his attendance record and for one week would attend all classes, and then the same old story would follow. Each time he had a different reason for his absence. Unfortunately they always seemed genuine to me.
a) How is Hassan described in the passage?
b) What was it that Hassan repeated every time?
c) What would Hassan promise to do?
d) What seemed genuine to the narrator?

UNIT III - POETRY
IV Answer any ONE of the following in an essay. $1 \times 6=6 \mathrm{M}$
9. What are the qualities of Mercy described by Shakespeare?
10. How does the poet describe the pain of the mother in Night of the Scorpion?

UNIT IV - GRAMMAR
V 11. Answer any ONE of the following: $1 x 3=3 \mathrm{M}$
Write an e-mail to the Hindu paper at hindu@hotmail.com., commenting about the "English Vocabulary" section of the Hindu and express your appreciation
of it.
12. Write a C.V. for the post of Computer Analyst at a Soft Ware Company.
13. Read the following passage and make notes:

The Koala bear of Australia is a living "Teddy Bear." Its thick coat of gray fur is just as soft as the beloved toy. The Koala has a large head, big ears and small dark eyes that look at you without expression. Its nose as black as patent leather seems too big for the rest of its face. The Koala is a gentle animal. It is almost defenseless. Only its colour protects it from enemies. The Koala makes no nest. I't just sits in the forked branches of a tree. It eats shoots of bamboo, eaucalyptus leaves and fruits of trees. It likes gum trees the best because it loves to eat the leaves of this tree. If its supply of food is used up it does not seek food elsewhere but stays in its own area and starves to death. This shows that it is afraid to leave its place of residence.

VI Fill in the blanks with suitable one word substitutes $1 \times 3=3 \mathrm{M}$
14. Place where rabbits live
15. A person who studies rocks
16. One who hates women $\qquad$

VII Match the idioms with their meanings" $1 \mathrm{x} 4=4 \mathrm{M}$
17. A bed of roses
18. Beat black and blue
19. Eat like a horse

1) Bruise severely
20. run into
2) Meet unexpectedly
3) Pleasant situation
4) Stuff food quickly

# UNIT V - DEVELOPING COMPETENCE <br> VIII Answer any ONE of the following: 

21. Carry out a debate on whether women should have careers or not.
22. Give a brief speech on the occasion of "World Environment Day".
23. Write a dialogue between two farmers on difficulties faced in farming techniques.

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## UNIT I - PROSE

Answer any ONE of the following Three questions in about 300 words: 8 M

1. "With this faith we will be able to transform the Jangling discords of our nation in to a beautiful symphony of brotherhood" - with reference to the given statement bring out the dream of Martin Luther King.
2. Describe the character of "Man in Black" whose friendship does Oliver Blacksmith wish to acquire?
3. Bringout the moral of the story "The last leaf" in which Johnsy's life was saved by Behrman

## UNIT II - LIFE SKILLS

II Answer any TWO of the following questions in about 150 words.
$2 \times 5=10 \mathrm{M}$
4. "The prodigal son is a parable on forgiveness" - Explain.
5. Write the story of the Talents and its moral?
6. Explain the story of Good Samaritan in your own words highlighting its moral.

UNIT- III
III Answer any ONE of the following Questions in about 300 words. $1 \mathrm{x} 7=7 \mathrm{M}$
7. Critically appreciate and analyze the character of David Copper field.
8. Describe the birth and early life of David Coper field.
9. Explain David's experiences at "Yarmonth with Peggotty and her brother in the chapter"I have a change".

## UNIT IV - COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Answer all the following:
10. Identify the silent letters in the given words. $2 \times 1=2 \mathrm{M}$

> 1. Honest 2. Biscuit
11. Write down the number of syllables in the given words. $2 \mathrm{x} 1=2 \mathrm{M}$

1. Woman 2. Beautiful
2. Mark the stress in the given words.

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2 \mathrm{x} 1=2 \mathrm{M}
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1. Sister
2 Permit
2. Read the following unseen passage given below and answer the questions.

In every country people imagine that they are the best and the cleverest and the other are not so good as they are. The Englishman thinks that he and his
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country are the best. The Frenchman is very proud of france and everything French. The Germans and stalians think no less of their countries and many Indians imagine that Indians imagine that India is in many ways the greatest country in the world. This is wrong. Everybody wants to think well of himself and his country. But really there is no person who has got some good and some bad qualities. In the same way, there is no country which is not partly good and partly bad. We must take the good wherever it may be. We have to see what is good in our ways and customs and try to keep it, and whatever is bad we have to throw away.

1. What do the people think in every country
2. What does English man think?
3. What is the Meaning of the word "Proud"
4. What should we throw away?

UNIT V - GRAMMAR
V Answer all the following questions.
14. Identify the parts of speech of the underlined words in the given sentences.

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2 \mathrm{x} 1=2 \mathrm{M}
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1. The climate is very hot
2. The Police arrested the thief.
3. Write Antonyms for the following words.
$3 \mathrm{x} 1=3 \mathrm{M}$
Offer
Honest
Optimistic
4. Fill in the blanks with the correct form of the verb given in the brackets.

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2 \times 1=2 \mathrm{M}
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I--------------------(meet) him yesterday
Geetha ------------(work) in the Indian Bank since 2010.
17. Transform the following as directed. $2 \times 1=2 \mathrm{M}$

1. Kolkata is one of the biggest cities in India.
(change the degrees of adjective)
2. Ranjinth said, "I am very busy now" (change into indirect speech)
3. Answer all the following in two sentences. $2 \times 1=2 \mathrm{M}$
4. How would you greet your Sister

When she does well in the exam.
2. How would you introduce a popular film star or sports star UNIT VI - FUNCTIONAL UNIT
Answer any TWO of the following questions. $2 \times 2=4 \mathrm{M}$
19. Write a letter to the Principal of your College seeking permission to attend your sister's marriage.
20. Write a letter to the authorization letter to Participate in a debate competition in the intercollegiate meet.
21. Write a letter to your Principal asking permission to take leave for two days as you are suffering from fever.

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UNIT I - WOMEN'S STUDIES
I Answer any TWO of the following questions. $5+2 \times 2=14 \mathrm{M}$
1 a) Highlight the gender disparity shown in our society with reference to "Only a Girl".
b) Do you think that girls cannot support their parents in their old age? Give reasons for your answer.
2. a) Fathima Bi was an illiterate woman who received the United Nations. 'Race Against Poverty Award'. Why did she receive the award and what were her achievements?
b) Write about any woman achiever of your knowledge.
3. a) Bring out Indrani Chakravarthy's effort in drawing the attention to the plight of the elderly.
b) Write about any elderly person in your family.

## UNIT II - READING SKILLS

II 4. Read the passage given below and answer the following questions. $1 \mathrm{x} 4=4 \mathrm{M}$ In the afternoon, a man of about thirty five years, plum, with a bald head and moderately dressed was waiting for me in the office. In his hand was the CD with the software. I could not place him though he seemed familiar. He smiled at me and said, 'Madam can you recognize me'? You may not, because how can you remember all your students?
i) Name the story from which this extract has been taken.
ii) Who is the person described in the passage?
iii) How is the person being described by her?
iv) What was he holding in his hand?
5. General paragraph:

You have read the lesson 'Hassan's Attendance Problem'.
What valuable lesson did you learn from the story?
UNIT III - SHORT STORIES
III Answer any ONE of the following: 5 M
6. Explain the bond of mother and daughter in the story
'My Beloved Charioteer'.
7. Write the synopsis of the story "The Babus of Nayanjore" by Rabindranath Tagore.

## UNIT IV - POETRY

IV Answer any ONE of the following:
8. Explain Wordsworth's love of music in the poem 'Solitary Reaper'.
9. Summarise the poem 'The Quality of Mercy'. UNIT V - GRAMMAR

## SECTION-A

V Answer any THREE of the following: $4 \times 3=12 \mathrm{M}$
10. Write an email to the editor, The Hindu to the address: Letters@the hindu.com

Expressing your views on the evils of the dowry system.
11. Prepare a CV/Resume applying for a Teacher Assistant in a reputed school.
12. Match the idioms with their meanings:
a. Eat like a horse

1. to understand a situation.
b. Get the picture
c. Salt of the earth
2. Good, ordinary people.
d. At odds 4 . to be in disagreement.
3. to eat lot of food.
4. Fill in the blanks with suitable one word substitutes:
i) One who walks in sleep
ii) A home for Monks and nuns
iii) Fictitious name used by a writer
iv) Of unknown name

SECTION-B Answer any ONE of the following:
14. Read the following passage and make notes:

A fuel is a material that is burned in order to get heat and light, and also to generate power. The process of burning, or combustion, is a chemical reaction. A material combines with oxygen from the air and gives off energy. The energy is released in the form of heat and light. Fuels can be classified as solid, liquid or gaseous. Or they can be classified according to their origin natural, chemical or metal based.

Wood was one of the first fuels used by man, and was his most important one for many centuries. It was the easiest to get, and the cheapest. But during the sixteenth century, wood started to become scarce in Europe, and coal began to replace it.

Coal itself is made of the remains of ancient trees and plants that grew in swampy jungles in warm, moist climates hundreds of millions of years ago. These trees and plants fell into the swamp waters. Bacteria changed some parts of the wood into gases that escaped, leaving behind a black mixture, mostly carbon. In time the pressure from mud and sand above squeezed out most of the liquid, leaving behind a pasty mass that slowly hardened into coal.
15. Write a report about an educational tour you have attended along with your classmates.

## UNIT VI - SKILL DEVELOPMENT

VI Answer any ONE of the following: 4M
16. Write a dialogue between a clerk and a customer on how to open a bank account in 8-10 exchanges.
17. Prepare a speech on the occasion of 'Teachers' Day' celebrations in your college in about 150 words.

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## UNIT I (WOMEN STUDIES)

I Answer any TWO of the following: $7 \times 2=14 \mathrm{M}$

1. Explain the achievements of Sudha Murthy in bringing out her creative talents?
2. How can you explain Kalpana Chowla as an example for the present generation to achieve their dreams?
3. Describe the Challenges "Gladys Staines" faced successfully in her life?

## UNIT II (PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT)

II Answer any TWO of the following:

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6 \times 2=12 M
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4. How did Sudha Murthy spend her life in North-Karnataka with her grandparents? How did she teach her grand-mother?
5. "When you want to give something to somebody give the best in you, never the second best". Explain through the lesson The Red Rice Granory.
6. Narrate the experience of Sudha Murthy with Abdul Kalam? What qualities of Abdul Kalam are appreciated by her?
7. Analyse the result of indiscipline with reference to Hassan.

III Read the paragraph given below and answer the following questions. $4 \mathrm{x} 1=4 \mathrm{M}$
8. Dr. Sarvepalli Radha Krishnan was a famous philosopher and a great teacher.
He taught in Calcutta, Mysore and Banaras. When he left Mysore, it seems students pulled the carriage to the station themselves and not horses. For his lectures, students from other colleges would come and listen, irrespective of the subjects they were studying. He was acknowledged as the best teacher wherever he taught. Hence his birthday was declared as Teacher's Day.

1. Who is the great teacher mentioned in the passage?
2. Where did he teach?
3. How did students show their love when he left Mysore?
4. Whose birthday was declared as Teacher's Day?

IV Answer any ONE of the following: $1 \times 6=6 \mathrm{M}$
9. Explain Wordsworth's love for music in the poem 'Solitary Reaper'.
10. How does Shakespeare praise the quality of Mercy?
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UNIT -IV - GRAMMAR
V Answer any ONE of the following:
$1 \times 3=3 M$
11. You are Sunaina Singh and you are famous beautician. Write an e-mail letter to one of your clients(her e-mail id is roopa@gmail.com) telling her about the bridal package you are offering and the cost of the package and services like make-up, hair dressing etc.
12. Prepare a CV for the post of an English lecturer in a Government College.
13. Read the following passage and make notes.

There are different forms of environmental pollution. Air pollution is caused by the burning of Coal and Oil. It can damage the earthis vegetatin and cause respiratory problems in humans. It is the result of aircraft, heavy traffic and loud speakers. It can affect people's hearing which leads to severe headaches and high blood pressure. Another Sources of Pollution is radioactivity which occurs when there is a leak from a nuclear power station. It is a deadly pollutant which kills and causes harm to the body. Land and water pollution is caused by dumping of waste, sewage and chemicals into water and land. Pollution of seas and lakes kills fish and other marine life and also causes water borne diseases; land pollution, on the land, poisons the soil as it makes the food grown unfit for consumption.

VI Fill in the blanks with suitable one word substitutes: $1 \times 3=3 \mathrm{M}$
14. a. A person who thinks only about himself -------------
b. Period of ten years
c. A person who cannot read or write

VII Match the idioms with their meanings: $1 \mathrm{x} 4=4 \mathrm{M}$
15. a. Light up

1. to eat a lot of food
b. Get wind of something
2. Very angry
c. Eat like a horse
3. to find out
d. Up in arms
4. to suddenly look happy.

## UNIT V - DEVELOPING COMPETENCE

## VIII Answer any ONE of the following: $1 \mathrm{x} 4=4 \mathrm{M}$

16. Prepare a brief speech on the importance of Swatch Bharath Campaign.
17. Write a dialogue between a Salesman and a customer who wants to purchase a car with the latest features.
18. Carryout a debate on the topic 'Women should not work but take care of their homes'.

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> UNIT -I

I Answer any TWO of the following: 7+7=14M

1. Kalpana Chawla is an inspiration for the present generation to achieve their goals.
2. Summerise the story of Gladys Staines Healing Touch.
3. Explain how Sudha Murthy inspires women in India with her Literary works?
UNIT - II

II Answer any TWO of the following: $4+2 \times 2=12 \mathrm{M}$
4. How does Sudha Murthy explain that "Teacher is the source of knowledge" in the lesson Books for at least one Library? Describe your favourate book.
5. Describe the simplicity of Dr.Kalam in the lesson "Salaam Abdul Kalam" Describe some one in your family who you really admire for his/her simplicity.
6. How does Sudha Murthy explain that "Excellence doesn't come by accident but by practice" in the lesson Hasson's Attendance Problem?
Describe any of your friend like Hasson.
III Read the paragraph give below and answer the following questions. 4 M
7. At that time, my daughter Akshata was a teenager. By nature she was very Sensitive. On her own, she started reading for blind children at Ramana Maharshi Academy for the Blind at Banglore. She was a Scribe too. She used to come home and tell me about the world of blind people. Later she wrote an essay on them, called "I saw the world through the Blind eyes of Mary". Mary was a student at the academy who was about to appear for the pre-university Exam. The conversation between them was Quite unusual.
i) What was the nature of Akshata?
ii) What did she start for the blind children?
iii) What was the title of the essay that she wrote on the Blind children?
iv) Who was Mary?

IV Answer any ONE of the following: $1 \times 6=6 M$
8. Explain William Word's Worth's love of music in the Poem "Solitary Reaper"
9. How did Nissim Ezekiel bring out the bond of love among the villagers in the Poem "Night of the Scorpion"?
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UNIT- IV
V Answer any ONE of the following: $1 \times 3=3 \mathrm{M}$
10. Write an email to the editor, Daily times to the address:

Letters@ dialytimes.com giving your views about series of articles on child labour that the paper has been publishing.
11. Write a CV for the post of Lecturer in English.
12. Read the following passage and make notes.

These are different forms of environmental Pollution. Air Pollution is caused by the burning of Coal and oil. It can damage the earth's vegetation and cause respiratory problems in humans. A second type of Pollution is noisy pollution. It is the result of air Craft, heavy traffic and loud speakers. It can affect people's hearing which leads to severe headaches and high blood pressure. Another source of pollution is radio activity which occurs when there is a leak from a nuclear power station. It is a deadly pollutant which kills and causes harm to the body. Land and water pollution is caused by dumping of waste, sewage and Chemicals in to water and Land, Pollution of Seas and lakes kills fish and other marine life and also causes water born diseases; land pollution, on the land, poisions the soil as it makes the food grown unfit for consumption.
13. Fill in the Blanks with suitable one word substitutes. $3 \mathrm{x} 1=3 \mathrm{M}$
i) Complete agreement $\qquad$
ii) A person who carves in Stone
iii) Of unknown name $\qquad$
14. Match the Idioms with their meanings:

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4 \times 1=4 M
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a. At odds
b. Break bread with some one
c. Feel at home
d. Salt of the earth
(1) To eat together
(2) To be in disagreement
(3) Good, ordinary people
(4) To feel comfortable and relaxed

VIII Answer any ONE of the following: $1 \times 4=4 \mathrm{M}$
15. Your nephew is studying in the Hostel in AC College Gunter District. Send an amount of Rs.1000/- as a birthday gift through Money Order.
16. Your family consisting of your parents aged 52 years, 50 years your grandfather 75 years, your brother aged 15 years plan to take a short trip to Mumbai. Reserve your tickets by II class on October $20^{\text {th }}$ by Konark Express boarding at Vijayawada and return trip on October $30^{\text {th }}$ by Minar Express.
17. Send a DD in favour of the Registrar, Acharya Nagarjuna University, Guntur payable at the Campus Branch. The exchange to be paid as commission for Rs.2000/- is Rs. 20.

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CH.S.D.ST.THERESA'S AUTONOMOUS COLLEGE FOR WOMEN: ELURU II YEAR B.A. B.Com. B.Sc. \&H.Sc.- IV SEMESTER SUPPLEMENTARY EXAM - MARCH 2016 GENERAL ENGLISH (for 2012-15 Batch)
Time: 3 hrs.
Max.Marks: 50
WOMEN'S EMPOWERMENT
I Answer any ONE of the following in 150 words. 5 M

1. What is the contribution of Fathimabi to her village.

What is the importance of education in your life?
2. What is the central theme of the essay "Women and Media? Describe a T.V. advertisement that degrades women.
3. Bring out the humour in "wanted a bride"

What qualities do you want in a groom?

## CURRENT ISSUES

II Attempt any ONE of the following:
4. What are the dangers of high technology?
5. How does the author bring out the menace of Child labour?
6. How does globalization lead to Poverty?

## PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT

III Write any essay on any TWO of the following: $5 \times 2=10 \mathrm{M}$
7. How did Sudha learn the value of saving money from her mother in "The Rainy Day"
8. Sketch a portrait of Narayan Murthy from the lesson "I will do it."
9. What is the sadness of Gowramma's story as brought out in Gowramma's letter"?

IV Read the following passage and answer briefly: $4 \times 1=4$
I thought for a while, then I realized, grades are important, but honesty is even more important. You taught me that when I was a little boy. Do you remember Amma? Once this shopkeeper mistook fifty rupees as one hundred and gave the change for one hundred. At that time we did not have much money but still you sent me back to the shop to return the extra money. In that go I was so reluctant to go and return the change, but you were strict with me and said if I didn't, I would have to go without dinner.
10. Who is the speaker in the passage?
11. Who is "amma"?
12. What was the mistake made by the shopkeeper
13. What did amma tell the boy to do?

V COMMUNICATION SKILLS
Answer any TWO of the following:
$4 \times 2=8$
14. Write down a telephone conversation between a bus depot clerk and a passenger who wants to book tickets to Bombay. Write at least 8-10 exchanges

Read the following telephone conversation and answer briefly.
A: Hello may I speak to the principal.
B: Sorry Madam he's out. What can I do for you
A: Oh! I wanted to inform him that my daughter will not attend college today.
B: Which class is she studying? What's her name.
A: She is Alekhya of final B.Com and is sick with flu
B: Please see that she gets a medical certificate when she attends college.
A: I will see to that. Please inform the Principal.
She will come after 2 days.
B: OK thank you have a good day
15. Who is ' A ' and who is ' B ' ?
16. Who is not well?
17. Where is the Principal?
18. What should be submitted after 2 days?
19. Fill in the conversation with dialogues:

Flight Attendant: Do you want anything Ma'm?
Passenger:
F.A. Sorry Ma'm we don't serve Indian Snacks

Passenger
F.A. We serve coffee, tea and juice Ma'm

Passenger
F.A: I will bring it right away.

VI GRAMMAR
20. Expand any ONE of the following proverbs
a) Haste Makes Waste
b) Pride come before a fall
c) Little strokes fell great oaks.
21. Describe any ONE of the following in a paragraph
a) Your father
b) Your College
c) An apple

## VII DEVELOPING COMPETENCE:

$4 \times 2=8$
a) Write a paragraph using the following hints

Tirupathi - famous - temple - Chittoor district - located on seven hills

Thousands visit - from other states - countries - pray to lord Balaji
b) Write a dialogue of about $8-10$ sentences between Mother and daughter discussing the right kind of clothes to wear to college.

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Time: 3 hrs.
Max.Marks: 50
POETRY
$2 \times 6=12$
I Answer any TWO of the following in 300 words each.

1. What does Mathew Arnold convey in "Dover Beach"?
2. "Telephone Conversation" reveal bias against blacks - Explain.
3. "Unknown Citizen" is a satire about the dullness of ordinary man's life Explain
LIFE SKILLS
II Answer any TWO of the following in not less than 150 words. $2 x 4=8 \mathrm{M}$
4. Write the story of the Sower of the seeds in your own words.
5. What do you learn from the parable "The labourers in the VineYard"?
6. Bring out the moral in "The Wedding Feast"

## III PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT

a) Read the following passage and answer briefly.

The following year, putting on the same coat as the year before, the
Duke discovered the lost snuffbox in his pocket. He hunted up the old officer who had been suspected, found him in a miserable garret apartment and apologized. "But" Questioned the Duke, "Why did you not agree to what the other officers suggested and thus save yourself from terrible suspicion," "Because" said the venerable old gentleman, "my pockets were full of broken meat, scraps I had saved from the table to feed my family and wife:.
7. Name the story from which this passage has been taken.
8. What did the Duke find in his pocket?
9. Where did the old officer live?
10. What had the old officer put in his pockets?
b) Match the following: $1 / 2 \times 8=4$
11. Roosevelt
12. Slept in parks
13. Hogg
14. Vijayalakshmi Pandit
a. Planted Pecans and Walnut.
b. Passiton
c. Thompson
d. North Pole
15. Henry Burton
e. ten point logarithms
16. Duffield
17. Franklin
18. Peary
f. soup-cart
g. Gandhiji
h. Played with beys.
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c) Write a paragraph about importance of "FAMILY" in your life.

## COMMUNICATION SKILLS

IV Answer the following: $2 \times 2=4$
19. Give instructions as to how you would prepare a flower bouquet.
20. Give directions to your brother to reach the post office from your home.

## GRAMMAR

Va. Fill in the blanks with one word substitutes
21. A Place where Rabbits are kept.
22. A Collection of poems.
23. A collection of rare dried plants
24. A person who helps others
b. Correct the following sentences.
25. He is having a large family
26. If he will come, we will go
27. He is good in singing
28. I am awaiting for you.

VI Answer any TWO of the following:
29. Write a letter to the Principal of your college requesting her to give your TC and CC.
30. Write a letter to your warden complaining of poor food quality in the hostel.
31. Apply for the post of lecturer in St. Theresa's College (for the post of computer science lecturer)

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Time: 3 hrs.
Max.Marks: 60

## UNIT I - POETRY AND SHORT STORIES

1. Answer any ONE of the following in about 300 words.

## POETRY

1. What is the essence of the poem "Refuger Mother" by Chinua Achebe?
2. What is the satire in the Poem "Goodbye Party to Miss Puspha7?

## SHORT STORIES

II COMPREHENSION: 3 M have never cooked anything more than rice or gruel. Or in the good days, a handful of dal in lots of tamarind water. But Chellamma warned me before we went to the memsahib's flat. "Keepyour silly mouth shut, let me do the talking. If she asks you say everything. You can cost, sweep and wash clothes and look after children."
3. Who is the "I" and who wrote this story?
4. Who is Chellamma?
5. What did Chellamma ask the speaker to say?

B Sher singh himself was only about twelve years old, brown and cheerful, a child of the jungle and his brother was several year younger. There had been other children of course, but they were dead, carried off by choleva and influenza and such and by jungle accidents. Now there was only sher singh and the little brother Kunwar.

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6. Who is the child of the jungle?
7. What had happened to all the other children born?
8. What is the name of the younger brother?

## UNIT II - PERSONALITY DEVELOPMENT

III A) Answer any ONE of the following short essays in about 150 words. 8
9. What do you learn from Sudha Murthy's account of her husband Narayan Murthy is her essay?
10. How did Sudha Murthy help her husband as told in "The Rainy Day"?

The disc was a bit like a gramophone, but very heavy and large. It contained vital information of the Company like finances, employee details etc. I took the disc and walked to the boss's room. It was really heavy but I did not show it on my face.
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11. What did the disc look like?
12. What did the disc contain?
13. Do you think it contained important information or not?
14. Where did the speaker take the disc?

IV Answer any THREE of the following: $4 \times 3=12$
15. Make a call to your friend who was absent to college about an important assignment she has to submit.
16. Read the following and answer the questions that follow.

Sita : Hello! Nice to see you here. Are you buying something special
Rita:
Sita: That's nice! Happy anniversary.
Rita:
Sita: No, I'm afraid I have an appointment with the doctor.
Thanks for the invitation
Rita: $\qquad$
Sita: By see you later
Rita: $\qquad$
17. Read the following telephone conversation and answer the question that follow.
Speaker A: Hello is it police station
Speaker B: Yes. Why are you colligate this unearthly hour.
A: Sir there's a thief in our house
B: Did he steal anything?
A: No Sir he has n't? He's downs tairs in Kitchen
B: How do you know it's a thief.
A: He's throwing all the vessels here and there
B: Madam please go and check. It may be a cat.
18. Who are the two speakers?
19. Why did speaker 'A' make the call?
20. At what time was the call made?
21. What advice did ' B ' give ' A ' in the end?
D. : Match the following with the type of call: $8 \times 1 / 2=4$
22. Oh1 Bye see you later! a. Giving information
23. It cost Rs. 25000 apiece
b. Formal request
24. Could you call Mr.Rao to the Phone
c. Refusal
25. Sorry, I cannot
d. Asking for help
26. We are sorry for the Inconvenience
e. Leave taking
27. Can I ask you for a favour f. Making a call
28. Hey can you help me! g. Informal
29. Hello is this Ms Sneha h. Apology
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UNIT IV - GRAMMAR

V A. Expand any ONE of the following proverbs: $1 \times 4=4$
30. Haste makes waste
31. Slow and steady win the race
32. All that glitters is not gold.
B. Write a short paragraph in about 100 words on any ONE of the following:
33. A market
34. A cell phone
35. Your best friend
C. Rearrange the following sentences to form a meaningful paragraph 4

36 Many students are inspired by Mr. Modi
37. It involves keeping surrounding clean and green.
38. Narendar Modi launched the Swacch Bharat Programme.
39. This programme was began in 2012.

## UNIT V - FUNCTIONAL UNIT

VI Answer any THREE choosing at least one from each section: $3 \times 4=12$
SECTION - A
40. Fill in the blanks:

Horsley Hills is --------------------------(arranged/situated)
In Chittoor district --------------------(of/at) A.P. W.D Horsley the
Collector of Cuddapah ------------------------------(accidently/incidently) this beautiful place.
41. Write a story based on the following hints:

Hot summer ------fox ---- hungry ------grapes ------high on the vine ---
Jumped ---------------- could not reach -----------------tried ------------------
Failed ---------------- went hungry.
42. Write a conversation between Sher Singh and Kunwar Singh about the dangers in the jungle
43. Write a conversation between Perumayee and Memsahib about work in the house.

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GENERAL ENGLISH
Time: 3 hrs.
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## UNIT I - WOMENS EMPOWERMENT

I Answer any TWO of the following:
$5+5=10$

1. Discuss the gender parity in our Society in reference to "only a gril".
2. What do you know about Indrani Chakravarthy?
3. Write about "Wanted a bride".

## UNIT II - NON-DETAILED

II Answer any ONE of the following: $1 \times 5=5$
4. Character of Cecily.
5. What do you think "Character of Jack?"
6. Write about lady Bracknell.

## UNIT III - POETRY

III Answer any TWO of the following :
$5+5=10$
7. What is the essence of Keats's "The Human Seasons"?
8. What is the message of the Poem "Ode on Solitude?"
9. Bring out the message of the poem "Stopping by Woods" by Frost.

UNIT IV - COMPREHENSION PASSAGE
$1 \mathrm{x} 4=4$
IV Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions that follow.
It is said that in modern age, newspapers are the greatest power. It is not only for daily news that we should read newspapers but also to increase our information and general knowledge. A person who does not know what is going on around him or in other parts of the world is like the frog confined to a well. There are good newspapers as well as bad newspapers We should avoid reading bad newspapers as they include in giving only sensational and often untrue reports. We should not support newspapers which try to incite communal friction. Therefore, instead of picking up cheap newspapers, we should read standard, impartial newspapers.
10. Who is compared to the frog in a well?
11. Why should we read newspapers?
12. What is the part of speech of knowledge?
13. What kind of papers should we read?

UNIT V - GRAMMAR
Expand any ONE proverb.
$1 \times 3=3$
14. Actions speak louder than Words.
15. Slow and steady wins the race.
16. All that glitters is not gold.

Answer any ONE of the following report writing:
$1 \times 3=3$
17. Write a report on how you book an online railway ticket.
18. Write a report on how you made noodles.

Describe the process step by step.
Answer any ONE of the following personal letter $1 \times 3=3$
19. Write a letter to your friend telling her about experiences of your field trip.
20. Write a letter to your anut thanking her for presenting the latest Mobile.

Develop any ONE of the story using the following hints.
$1 \times 3=3$
21. My last day at School - glorious days - study - books - librarian - friends party - weeping - promising - never forget.
22. Ramulu - poor family - Potter - interest - studies - sponsored - head of the Village - flying colours - IAS officer - hard work - success.

## UNIT VI - DEVELOPING COMPETENCE

Describe any ONE of the following:
$1 \times 3=3$
23. Your Mother
24. Your best friend
25. Your ambition.

Conduct a telephone conversation on any ONE of the following with atleast five exchanges.
$1 \times 3=3$
26. Write a telephone conversation between a clerk and a person who wants to enquire about the arrival of a train.
27. Invite your favourite teacher phone for your birth day.

Write down an interview between an interviewer and the interviewee on the post of any ONE of the following.(Atleast 6 question and answers must be written)
28. English teacher
$1 \times 3=3$
29. Receptionist
30. Office assistant.

