

# IV Semester B.Com./B.C.L.S. Examination, September/October 2022 (CBCS) (Freshers) (2019 – 20 Onwards) LANGUAGE ENGLISH – IV

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 70

Instructions: 1) Answer all the questions.

2) Mention the question number correctly.

## SECTION - A

# (Course Book)

Answer any five of the following in a sentence or two each. (5x2=10)

- 1) Who is Jonathan's initial instructor when he arrives in the strange land?
- 2) How did Jonathan Seagull react when he was centred for shame?
- 3) Mention the things the blooming lotus sees around in the poem "The Phoenix of Beauty".
- 4) What caught the attention of the old man at the street crossing in the lesson "The Hoop"?
- 5) In the sonnet "How Soon Hath Time" Youth is compared to
  - a) Happy spirits
  - b) Spring
  - c) Winged creature.
- 6) \_\_\_\_\_ is the first scientist, according to Kalamins
- 7) What assurance did Kacha give to the Gods about Devyani?
- 8) Kacha is the handsome young son of Brihaspati. True/False
- II. Answer any four of the following in a page, each choosing at least one from the novella. (4×5=20)
  - 1) Narrate Jonathan Seagull's solitary life in the Far Cliff.
  - 2) What were the words of wisdom shared by Jonathan with his students on the beach?
  - 3) Explain the circumstances of the little bud's arrival into this world.
  - 4) How did the old man realise his dream in the lesson 'The Hoop'?



- 5) Why is Milton discontented with himself and how does he react?
- 6) What was the last effort made by the demons to kill Kacha?
- Consider Vikram Sarabhai and Lata Mangeshkar as role models as stated by Kalam.
- III. Answer any one of the following in two pages.

 $(1 \times 10 = 10)$ 

- 1) "Perfection is attained only when you know kindness and love, when you forgive and forget". Elucidate the statement concerning Jonathan Livingston Seagull.
- 2) What are the views of the Kalam on young minds?
- 3) What made Shukracharya never take wine?

## SECTION - B

# (Grammar and Composition)

- IV. You have to make a presentation on the "Education tour" to be conducted in your college. Prepare five content slides based on the following hints.
  - i) Places to be visited and their importance
  - ii) Duration, timings, amount
  - iii) Tour guidelines
  - iv) Instructions to be followed.
- V. You have asked your contractor to submit a status report on the construction of ten classrooms in your college. Prepare the report in the required format using the following hints.
  - i) Work done so far building completed/windows, doors fixed/flooring completed lighting done (electrification)
  - ii) Pending work fixing the green boards, projectors and screens for LMS/spotlights
  - iii) Delay in work due to unexpected rains
  - iv) Quickening the work
  - v) Expected to be completed by November.



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VI. What are the preparations to be made for a face-to-face interview?

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OR

Based on the provided bio-data prepare a brief interview with Sachin Tendulkar. Set a question each on personal life, passion for the field and message along with corresponding answers.

- a) Name: Sachin Tendulkar, born in 1973 in Mumbai.
- b) Father: Ramesh Tendulkar, Poet, Prof. of Marathi.
- c) Mother: Rajani, working in LIC.
- d) 2 brothers and 1 sister.
- e) Stepped into Test Cricket in 1989 at a very young age of 16 years/played until 2013.
- f) Passionate about Cricket; not bad in academics.
- g) Cricket Guru Ramakant Achrekar.

