

B.A. (Part-III) Examination**COMPULSORY ENGLISH**

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 70

1. Answer any **three** of the following :
 - (i) Describe in detail the relationship between Phatik and Bishambar's wife.
 - (ii) What does Nehru say about the relation of India to the rest of the world ?
 - (iii) Attempt a character sketch of Harvey Maxwell.
 - (iv) Write an account of the devastation caused by the Tsunami to Cuddalore.
 - (v) How did Barack Obama's background set him apart from other Presidential candidates ?
 - (vi) What, according to the author, are six pillars of self-esteem ? 15
2. Answer in brief any **five** of the following :
 - (i) What work did Obama do in Chicago ?
 - (ii) How does low self-esteem affect a person's communicative skills ?
 - (iii) How does Malachova react when the girl's mother gives her two oranges ?
 - (iv) Why did Phatik's mother agree to send him to Calcutta ?
 - (v) List the five names that the thief has used.
 - (vi) What is Nehru's appeal to the people of India ?
 - (vii) What made Maxwell temporarily forget 'the world of finance' ?
 - (viii) What measures did the Government take to provide potable water ? 10
3. Answer any **three** of the following :
 - (i) What do the two roads symbolise in the poem, 'The Road Not Taken' ?
 - (ii) What, according to H.W. Longfellow, is the purpose of life ?
 - (iii) Summarize the poem, 'Do Not Go Gentle Into That Good Night'.
 - (iv) Give the gist of the poem, 'Ecology'.
 - (v) Bring out the central idea of the poem, 'An Old Woman'.
 - (vi) Comment on the significance of the title of the poem, 'I, too'. 15
4. Answer the following questions selecting **one** from each section :
 - (A) Consider yourself as the Principal of the Arya College of Arts and Science, Lucknow. Prepare an agenda for a meeting with the Secretary of the College's Literary Association. The meeting has been called to discuss the venue, date time, events and the budget for the annual literary festival.

OR

Assume you are Rajiv Shukla, President of the Students Council in Mahatma Fule College, Aurangabad. Write a notice informing the students about blood donation camp and inviting them to participate. 5

- (B) Write a Curriculum Vitae to be sent in response to the following advertisement –
Wanted an experienced Librarian with good knowledge of English, Hindi, Marathi and Computer. Apply to the Principal, Lokmanya Tilak College, Mumbai-400001.

OR

Write your resume in response to the following advertisement–

Wanted a computer operator on contractual basis for a period of three years. Apply to 'Times of India', Post Box No.-444001, Mumbai. 5

- (C) Write a fax to Samta Book Stall Nagpur placing an order of 100 copies of B.A. Part one English text book 'Blooming Buds' to be sent on the address of Principal, Adarsh College Kolhapur.

OR

Considering that you are Sachin Tripathy, write an E-mail to Mittal Electronics, Pune saying that the washing machine you bought one week ago is not functioning properly. Make a complaint to replace it. 5

- (D) You are one of the participants of the study tour organized by the Department of History of your college. Prepare a report to be submitted to your Principal providing the details of the tour.

OR

Write a news report on inauguration of Reader's Club arranged on 14th October, 2018 by the Department of Library Science of your College. 5

5. Write an essay on any **one** of the following in about **300** words :

- (i) Pleasure of Reading
- (ii) Clean India, Green India
- (iii) Students and Social Service
- (iv) Advantages and Disadvantages of Mobile Phone
- (v) Status of Women in Indian Society. 10