

B.Sc. Part—I (Semester—II) Examination
COMPULSORY ENGLISH (New)

Time : Two Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 40

Note :— Attempt all questions.

1. Answer the following questions in **one** or **two** sentences each :
 - (i) Why do food producers and manufacturers add colour to food ?
 - (ii) What did William Slim learn from Indian woman refugees ?
 - (iii) Why did Todd borrow a dollar from Stephen Leacock ?
 - (iv) What special possession did the Kabuliwallah carry in his pocket ?
 - (v) What does the narrator find out about the girl in the story 'The Eyes Are Not Here' ?

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2. Answer any **TWO** of the following in about **100** words each :
 - (i) What adverse effects does food colouring have on human beings ?
 - (ii) How does Rabindranath Tagore explain human relationship in his story 'The Kabuliwallah' ?
 - (iii) Explain the difference between moral and physical courage as presented by William Slim.
 - (iv) Write a character-sketch of the narrator in the story 'The Eyes Are Not Here'. 10
3. Answer any two of the following :
 - (i) Explain the central idea of the poem 'The Quality of Mercy'.
 - (ii) How does the poem 'O Captain ! My Captain !' describe the achievements of President Lincoln ?
 - (iii) Summarize the poem 'Father Returning Home' in your own words.
 - (iv) Comment on the significance of the title of the poem 'The World is Too Much with Us'. 10

4. Do as directed :
- (i) I served under _____ officer of vivid imagination. (Use appropriate article).
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 - (ii) The window _____ my room overlooks the road. (Use appropriate preposition)
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 - (iii) She stood by my chair. (Add question tag)
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 - (iv) I moved easily along the berth. (Change the sentence into present continuous tense)
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 - (v) The pedlar greeted me with a smile. (Change the Voice)
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5. Write Report on any **ONE** :
- (i) Science Exhibition
 - (ii) Blood Donation Camp in an adopted village.
 - (iii) Republic Day Celebration in V.D. Sawarkar College. 5
6. Write a paragraph on any **ONE** of the following :
- (i) Youth and Unemployment
 - (ii) Environmental Pollution
 - (iii) Disadvantages of Mobile Phones
 - (iv) Women Empowerment. 5