

B.Com.-I (Accounting and Finance) Semester-I Examination

COMPULSORY ENGLISH

Time : Two Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 40

1. Attempt any **three** of the following :

- (1) "The outstanding technical device of O. Henry is to give a surprising twist in the end of his story." Justify with reference to "The Romance of a Busy Broker".
- (2) Comment on the element of Pathos in "The Eyes Are Not Here".
- (3) Write about the demands made by the child to his parents. How did his parents react ?
- (4) Give an account of the Journey of the child and his parents till "They Neared The Village".

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2. Attempt any **three** of the following :

- (1) Attempt a summary of "The World Is Too Much With Us".
- (2) What, according to Kipling, are the qualities needed for becoming a man ?
- (3) With reference to the poem, justify the claim that Wordsworth was a poet of nature.
- (4) Summarise 'Once Upon A Time', highlighting the message it imparts.
- (5) Attempt a summary of "IF" and clarify the message it gives to the young generation.
- (6) The tone of "Once Upon A Time" is sad. Justify with reference to the instances in the poem.

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3. Choose the correct alternatives from those given below. Write full sentences :

- (1) The hills in Mussoorie are covered with _____.
(a) Roses (b) Marigolds
(c) Wild dahlias (d) Tulips
- (2) In Maxwell's office _____ was working as a secretary.
(a) Miss Rosy (b) Miss Maya
(c) Miss Leslie (d) Miss Lily
- (3) A man stood holding a pole with yellow, red, green and purple _____.
(a) Kites (b) Butterflies
(c) Birds (d) Balloons

- (4) Mulk Raj Anand is the writer of the story _____.
(a) The Last Child (b) The Eyes Are Not Here
(c) The Romance of a Busy Broker (d) Bores
- (5) William Wordsworth composed the poem _____.
(a) IF (b) The Impossible Dream
(c) The World is Too Much With Us (d) Once Upon A Time
- (6) Triton is a _____.
(a) Rain – God (b) Fire – God
(c) Sea – God (d) War – God
- (7) The poem 'IF' is composed by :
(a) William Wordsworth (b) Gabriel Okara
(c) Rudyard Kipling (d) Joe Darion
- (8) The poet asks his son to show him, how to _____.
(a) Earn money (b) Avoid people
(c) Cry (d) Laugh and Smile

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4. Do as directed :

- (1) Perfect (Give Antonym).
(2) Disgust (Give Synonym).
(3) It was _____ festival of spring. (Fill in the blank with appropriate article). 3
5. Write a letter of application and resume to the Manager, Rana Plasto Industries, New Delhi-444501, for the post of sales representative.

OR

Write a letter of complaint to the Sales - Supervisor, Raj Furniture's, Amravati regarding the damaged chairs sent to your office.

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