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SECOND SEMESTER B.COM./B.B.A./B.COM. (CS) (NEP) DEGREE
EXAMINATION, AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2022

ENGLISH

Generic English

Text : Life and Learning

Time : 2 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 60

Instruction : Read *carefully all* the directions then answer.

PART – A

Directions : Question Numbers 1 to 6 carry 2 marks **each**. Answer **any 5** of the following questions. **(5×2=10)**

1. Name any two customs of greeting in different culture.
2. Who said these words "I Love thee true" ? Where did the lady take him to ?
3. Write any two reasons decline of the Mughal Dynasty after Aurangzeb's time.
4. What was Sher Singh's brother suffering from ? What did his mother suggest ?
5. Who is the poet of the poem "La Belle Dame Sans Merci" ?
6. Who is the prince mentioned in the essay "On Shaking Hands" ? Which country he belongs to ?



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PART – B

Directions : Question Number 7 to 11 carry 5 marks each. Answer any 4 questions as directed. (4×5=20)

7. Correct the following sentences :
- a) I read the book two years before.
 - b) I have been ill since two month.
 - c) He is always laughed by everybody.
 - d) The Shepherd took the cattles to the field.
 - e) Bread and butter are his favorite breakfast.
8. Combine the following sentence with appropriate conjunctions.
- a) Ramesh smokes. His brother does not smoke.
 - b) You may go. I will wait.
 - c) Kumar is very hard working. His brother is lazy.
 - d) I respect him. He is an honest man.
 - e) The sun rose. The fog disappeared.
9. Choose the right adverb or adjective given in the brackets :
- a) He managed it _____. (skillfully / skillful)
 - b) Polite people _____ say thank you. (always/slowly)
 - c) It was a _____ decision. (crucial/crucially)
 - d) He drives the car _____. (careful/carefully)
 - e) I will _____ consider your suggestion. (serious / seriously)
10. Give one word substitution for the following :
- a) One who hates mankind.
 - b) A person who fights for cause of women.
 - c) List of points to be discussed in meeting.
 - d) A person who knows many languages.
 - e) One who sees the dark side of the life.



11. Match the following with correct collocations.

A

- 1) Come
- 2) Keep
- 3) Take
- 4) Break
- 5) Have

B

- lunch
notes
a promise
close
a record

PART – C

Directions : Question Numbers 12 to 15 carry 10 marks each. Answer any 3 of the following questions in 200 to 250 words each. (3×10=30)

12. Discuss the main focus of A. G. Gardiner's essay "On Shaking Hands".
 13. Critically appreciate the poem "Noiseless Patient Spider".
 14. Write short notes on the following :
 - a) The beautiful lady without a mercy.
 - b) The loss of the Diamond Necklace.
 15. a) Write a dialogue between two friends discussing higher education.
b) Write a short speech on the 75th Independence Day Celebrations in your college.
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