



BRAINWARE UNIVERSITY
Term End Annual Examination 2020 – 21

Programme – Bachelor of Science in Nursing

Course Name – English

Course Code – BNS106

(Year – I)

Time allotted: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 75

[The figure in the margin indicates full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable. Write answer of Section – A and Section –B in separate Answer booklet.]

Section – A

1. Write short answer of the following:

1 x 15 = 15

- (I) I _____ (study, not) at Jadavpur University.
The correct form of the given verb in bracket would be-
- a) does not study
 - b) have not study
 - c) had not studied
 - d) couldn't studied
- (II) The earth _____ the sun, but it _____ the moon.
- a) circles; doesn't circle
 - b) circle; circles
 - c) circles; don't circle
 - d) circle; haven't circled
- (III) I have been looking for this discount _____ a month.
- a) for
 - b) since
 - c) from
 - d) till
- (IV) He seldom speaks to us. The opposite of 'seldom' is -
- a) not
 - b) rarely
 - c) often
 - d) never

- (V) The government is determined to put a stop to all forms of _____.
- a) wastage
 - b) a wastage
 - c) the wastage
 - d) wastages
- (VI) The platform boasted a tea-stall, a fruit vendor, and a few _____; ...
(The Night Train at Deoli)
- a) basket-girls
 - b) other vendors
 - c) stray-dogs
 - d) deadly-insects
- (VII) A collection of poems is called _____.
- a) Anthology
 - b) Archeology
 - c) History
 - d) Ethnology
- (VIII) Leprosy can be _____ completely; an early _____ helps cure a leper.
- a) Curable; detected
 - b) Cure; detect
 - c) cure; defection
 - d) Cured; detection
- (IX) The stone that he had thrown missed the dog. This is a _____ sentence.
- a) compound
 - b) transitive
 - c) complex
 - d) simple
- (X) That film on TV is _____ by the children.
- a) gone to be seen
 - b) going to be seeing
 - c) gone to be see
 - d) going to be seen

- (XI) A sound that cannot be heard is _____.
- Incorrigible
 - illegible
 - inaudible
 - invincible
- (XII) Choose the correct passive form of the following sentence: His brother does not play cricket.
- Cricket has not been play by his brother.
 - Cricket has not been play by his brother.
 - Cricket is not played by his brother.
 - Cricket does not been play by his brother.
- (XIII) A book or set of books giving information on many subjects or on many aspects of one subject and typically arranged alphabetically is called a/an
- Anthology
 - Cyclostyle
 - Dictionary
 - Encyclopedia
- (XIV) The narrator would leave the plains early in _____
- April
 - May
 - June
 - July
- (XV) Find the error:
- If I had known (i)/ this yesterday(ii)/ I will have helped him (iii)/ No error (iv)
- (i)
 - (ii)
 - (iii)
 - (iv)

2. Write long answer on any *one* of the following:

1 x 15= 15

- Write a short paragraph on 'My first day at Brainware University'. [15]
- Write a formal letter to a restaurant complaining about poor quality of food. [15]

3. Read the following passage and answer the questions below:

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"I Have a Dream" is a public speech delivered by American civil rights activist Martin Luther King Jr. during the March on Washington for Jobs and Freedom on August 28, 1963, in which he calls for an end to racism in the United States and called for civil and economic rights. Delivered to over 250,000 civil rights supporters from the steps of the Lincoln Memorial in Washington, D.C., the speech was a defining moment of the civil rights movement.

Beginning with a reference to the Emancipation Proclamation, which freed millions of slaves in 1863, King observes that: "one hundred years later, the Negro still is not free". Toward the end of the speech, King departed from his prepared text for a partly improvised peroration on the theme "I have a dream", prompted by Mahalia Jackson's cry: "Tell them about the dream, Martin!" In this part of the speech, which most excited the listeners and has now become its most famous, King described his dreams of freedom and equality arising from a land of slavery and hatred. Jon Meacham writes that, "With a single phrase, Martin Luther King Jr. joined Jefferson and Lincoln in the ranks of men who've shaped modern America". The speech was ranked the top American speech of the 20th century in a 1999 poll of scholars of public address.

- i) Read the comprehension above and answer: When was the "I have a dream" speech delivered and on what occasion? [2]
- ii) Read the comprehension above and answer: What did Martin Luther King demand through this speech [2]
- iii) Read the comprehension above and answer: The speech begins with reference to which proclamation and why is this proclamation important? [2]
- iv) Read the comprehension above and answer: How did King come up with the impromptu speech 'I have a dream'? Whose cry gave King this idea? [2]
- v) Read the comprehension above and answer: King's speech had an important impact on which movement? [2]
- vi) Read the comprehension above and answer: With this speech King joined the ranks of which 2 great men? [2]
- vii) Read the comprehension above and answer: What was the reaction of the public to this speech [2]
- viii) Read the comprehension above and answer: Give a synonym for each of the following words from the passage given above. [1]
 - a) Hatred
 - b) prompt

Section –B

1. Write short answer on any *three* of the following:

3 x 10 = 30

- (I) Write a short summary of The Night Train to Deoli. [10]
- (II) In The Night Train to Deoli do you think what the narrator felt for the girl was love or infatuation? [10]
- (III) In the story Rich Man, Poor Man what was the importance of the letter? [10]
- (IV) What did the officer in the post office ask Adam to provide in Rich Man, Poor Man? [10]