



## BRAINWARE UNIVERSITY

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Programme – B.Sc.(AM)-Hons-2023  
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Course Code - AEC00005  
( Semester II )

Full Marks : 60

Time : 2:30 Hours

[The figure in the margin indicates full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.]

### Group-A

(Multiple Choice Type Question)

1 x 15=15

1. Choose the correct alternative from the following :

- (i) Choose the correct option - The wise men always lay \_\_\_\_\_ money for their old age.  
a) down  
b) by  
c) aside  
d) all of the above
- (ii) Choose the correct option - They had to \_\_\_\_\_ the event due to unforeseen circumstances.  
a) run into  
b) go through with  
c) put up with  
d) call off
- (iii) Determine the correct option - If someone drops by your house, what are they doing?  
a) Moving in  
b) Leaving your house  
c) Visiting informally  
d) Sending a message
- (iv) Select the correct question tag - They had never been to the beach, \_\_\_\_\_  
a) had they ?  
b) didn't they ?  
c) did they ?  
d) don't they ?
- (v) Identify the correct sentence.  
a) She had better apologize, doesn't she?  
b) She had better apologize, had she?  
c) She had better apologize, hasn't she?  
d) She had better apologize, hadn't she?
- (vi) Select the correct version of the following - He never miss a deadline, does he?  
a) He never missed a deadline, does he?  
b) He never missing a deadline, does he?  
c) He never misses a deadline, does he?  
d) There is no error in the original sentence
- (vii) Observe the correct question tag - You can't believe it, \_\_\_\_\_  
a) can you?  
b) could you?  
c) can it?  
d) isn't it?

- (viii) State the correct answer. He----- come today, but that won't surprise me.
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| a) will | b) can   |
| c) may  | d) might |
- (ix) Select the correct answer for the following blank. I \_\_\_\_\_ the Joshis this evening.
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| a) vist   | b) am visiting |
| c) visits | d) visited     |
- (x) Select the correct answer for the following blank. By 2005, computers --- many of the jobs that people do today.
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| a) will be take over | b) will have taken over |
| c) takes             | d) is taking            |
- (xi) Write the correct option. John is interested \_\_\_\_\_ playing the guitar.
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| a) On | b) At   |
| c) in | d) With |
- (xii) Determine the correct answer for the following blank. The sooner, ---- better
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| a) The  | b) More |
| c) Most | d) An   |
- (xiii) State the antonym of 'humble'.
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| a) Proud  | b) Defeat |
| c) Modest | d) Poor   |
- (xiv) Select the one word substitution of the following. 'A pleasant smell that frequently accompanies the first rain after a long period of warm, dry weather.'
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| a) Bibliophile | b) Petrichor   |
| c) Pessimist   | d) Selenophile |
- (xv) Identify the word with the wrong spelling.
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| a) Prosperity    | b) Affluance  |
| c) Profitability | d) Passionate |

### Group-B

(Short Answer Type Questions)

3 x 5=15

2. Fill in the blanks by identifying the correct option: 1. You \_\_\_\_\_(must/ would) get up early tomorrow. 2. We \_\_\_\_\_ (may/ may have ) watch the film tonight. 3. You \_\_\_\_\_ (must/ought to) submit the assignment today. (3)
3. Rewrite the following sentences by correcting the error: 1. We should to help those in need. 2. You may not should to wear that to the interview. 3. I must to leave early today. (3)
4. Change the word in the brackets and fill in the blanks: 1. I can't believe he \_\_\_\_\_ (give) away his vintage comic book collection. 2. He was arrested for \_\_\_\_\_ (rob) a bank. 3. I'll \_\_\_\_\_ (call off) the meeting if no one is interested. (3)
5. Construct one sentence using the following phrasal verbs: (3)
1. Get over
  2. Put up
  3. Look over
6. Write a sentence with a synonym of each of these words: i) Abandon ii) Definite iii) Hypocrisy (3)

OR

Write a sentence with each of these homophones: their/there/they're

(3)

**Group-C**

(Long Answer Type Questions)

5 x 6=30

7. Predict the modal in the blanks : 1. John \_\_\_\_\_ swim very well.(ability) 2. Sarah \_\_\_\_\_ finish her homework before dinner.(obligation) 3. They \_\_\_\_\_ visit the museum while they're in town.(suggestion) 4. I \_\_\_\_\_ help you with your project.(ability) 5. We \_\_\_\_\_ go to the beach this weekend.(possibility) (5)
8. Rewrite the following sentences: 1. He has to certain to win the race. 2. It is highly probable that she will arrive on time. 3. There's no doubt that they completed the project. 4. She is sure to forget about the appointment. 5. I am confident that he will pass the exam. (5)
9. Predict the phrasal verbs for the following passage: For his whole life, Nick has never been able to get \_\_\_\_\_ early. When he was in elementary school, his mother would set the alarm clock for 6:00 AM, but it would not wake him \_\_\_\_\_. When Nick was in high school, his alarm clock would go \_\_\_\_\_, but he simply turned it \_\_\_\_\_ and went \_\_\_\_\_ to sleep. (5)
10. Write the meaning of the phrasal verb and frame questions with them. 1. ask out 2. break down 3. work out 4. stay up 5. turn off (5)
11. Rewrite the sentences correcting the redundancies in the sentences. 1. This is a true fact. 2. Fetch and bring some water for me. 3. I wait for your decision. 4. We should come up with a new innovation for doing the task. 5. His voice was inaudible and could not be heard. (5)
12. Read the passage carefully and locate the grammatical errors in the passage and rewrite the passage correctly, pointing out all the errors. (Hint: Refer to the tenses in the passage) Last night, I was watching a movie when the phone rings. It was my friend Sarah, and she says she wants to come over. I told her I was watching a movie, but she insists on visiting. So, I pause the movie and go to the door, and there she stands with a big smile. (5)

OR

Read the passage carefully and locate the grammatical errors (if any) in the passage and rewrite the passage correctly, pointing out all the errors. (Hint: Refer to the tenses in the passage) Last summer, I will visit my grandparents at their cottage by the lake. It was a beautiful place, and I am spending most of my days swimming and fishing. One day, I see a bald eagle flying overhead, and it makes me feel so close to nature. I think I will return there next year too. (5)

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