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FACULTY OF ARTS

B.A. (Third Year) (Sixth Semester) (Backlog) EXAMINATION

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER, 2019

(CGPA Pattern)

ENGLISH (Optional)

Paper-XII

(Modern English Structure : Introduction to English Grammar)

(Tuesday, 3-12-2019)

Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon

Time—2 Hours

Maximum Marks—40

N.B. :— (i) All questions are compulsory.

(ii) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. (a) Identify and analyse the structure of any *two* of the following phrases
drawing *three* diagrams for each : 4

(i) All the first ten colleges.

(ii) In the theatre.

(iii) Very beautiful.

(iv) Have been speaking.

(b) Say whether the following sentences are *correct*. Comment on their
incorrectness if (any *two*) : 4

(i) One of the girl can stay here.

(ii) I have seen a good flim yesterday.

(iii) It is difficult to me.

(iv) He has arrived here, isn't it ?

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2. (a) Identify the subordinate clauses in any *two* of the following sentences, specifying 'form' and 'function' for each : 4
- (i) I know that the earth is round.
 - (ii) When he comes is not sure.
 - (iii) I don't know the place where I was born.
 - (iv) God help those who help others.
- (b) Comment on the difference in form and meaning of the sentences in the following pairs (any *two*) : 4
- (i) There is a little water in the jug.
There is little water in the jug.
 - (ii) Can you lend me your pen, please ?
Could you lend me your pen, please ?
 - (iii) Ramesh plays cricket well.
Ramesh is playing cricket well.
 - (iv) The police arrested the thief.
The thief was arrested by the police.
3. Analyse any *two* of the following : 4
- (a) Sentences into their constituent parts, using functional and form/class labels for each : 4
- (i) Rohini broke the glass.
 - (ii) The girl looks beautiful.
 - (iii) He runs very fast.
 - (iv) The teacher teaches us English.
- (b) Combine each of the following pair of sentences to form a single sentence (any *two*) : 4
- (i) The boys are in the hospital.
They are my students.
 - (ii) Go to the shop.
Buy me a pen.
 - (iii) The notebook is on the table.
It belongs to me.
 - (iv) She is my daughter.
Her name is Meena.

4. (a) Explain the ambiguity in any *two* of the following : 4
- (i) Modern English Grammar.
 - (ii) Old men and women.
 - (iii) Flying planes can be dangerous.
 - (iv) They can fish.
- (b) Comment on the process of word formation in any *two* of the following : 4
- (i) Unhappy
 - (ii) Childhood
 - (iii) Nationalisation
 - (iv) Goes.
5. Write short notes on any *two* of the following : 8
- (i) Kinds of Noun
 - (ii) Prepositional Phrase
 - (iii) Clause Elements
 - (iv) Features of Indian English.