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**C—2—2019**

**FACULTY OF HUMANITIES**

**B.A. (F.D.) (First Year) (First Semester) EXAMINATION**

**OCTOBER/NOVEMBER, 2019**

**(New Course)**

**ENGLISH COMPULSORY**

**(AECC—English Communication-I)**

**(Thursday, 14-11-2019)**

**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. According to Narayan Murthi what values should the Indians learn from the west ? 15

*Or*

Throw light on the circumstances the author goes through in his search for his real mother.

2. Do you think that the poet has ridiculed the traditional concepts of beauty in the sonnet, “My Mistress’ Eyes are Nothing Like the Sun” ? 15

*Or*

What is the central idea of the poem, “Bright Star, Would I were Steadfast as Thou Art” ? How does Keats present it ?

3. (a) Identify the word class of the underlined words in the following paragraph : 5

People can be divided into two categories according to why and what they eat. Some people are hungry while some eat because food is attractive and they wish to taste it. If you are carried away by the taste and not the nutritive value of food, you are doing injustice to your body since you would be killing your natural appetite.

P.T.O.

*Or*

Fill in the blanks by choosing appropriate word given in the bracket :

(than, when, a, before, why, had, on, in, behind, as)

One monsoon evening, ..... the sky was overcast with threatening clouds, Rahim Khan returned from the fields ..... little earlier ..... usual. He found a group of children playing ..... the road. They ran away ..... they saw him, and even left their shoes ..... in their haste. .... vain did Rahim Khan shout, “..... are you running away, I am not going to beat you.” Meanwhile, it ..... started drizzling and he hurried homewards to tie up the bullocks ..... the big downpour came.

- (b) Write an application for the post of a Junior Lecturer in English. Apply to the principal, Saraswatibhuvan College, Aurangabad. 5

*Or*

Write a curriculum vitae for the post of an accountant.