

B.E. (Electronics/Electrical (Electrical & Power)/Electronics
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Engineering/Mechanical/Information Technology/Power Engineering) Sixth Semester (C.B.S.)
Functional English

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Time : Two Hours



Max. Marks : 40

- Notes :
1. All questions carry marks as indicated.
 2. Due credit will be given to neatness and adequate dimensions.
 3. Assume suitable data whenever necessary.
 4. Diagrams and chemical equations should be given whenever necessary.
 5. Illustrate your answers whenever necessary with the help of neat sketches.

1. a) Correct **any three** of the following sentences: 3

- i) They congratulated me for my success.
- ii) The god is omnipotent.
- iii) They always come in time, doesn't they?
- iv) If she is really ill then all will excuse her.
- v) He likes to take fresh fruit.

b) Rewrite as directed **any three** of the following. 3

- i) Speak the truth. (Change into passive voice)
- ii) "The teacher said, " Give me a chalk". (Change the narration)
- iii) Chennai is one of the hottest cities in India. (Change into Positive Degree)
- iv) When he was punished, he wept. (Change into simple sentence)
- v) She exclaimed with delight that she had a wonderful time. (change into Direct sentence)

c) Use the following idioms and phrases in sentences of your own **any four**. 4

- i) Keep your chin up.
- ii) Smell a rat
- iii) Come across

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iv) An apple of discord

v) In the cards

vi) Hang about

2. a) Do as directed any three.

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i) Make two new words with the Prefix- 'Semi' and explain the meaning.

ii) Make two new words with the suffix- 'less' and explain the meaning.

iii) Give two examples of words formed out of 'Compounding'.

iv) Explain the Jargon – 'Browser'.

v) Explain the origin and meaning of the word – 'Utopia'.

b) Do as directed any three.

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i) The word 'August' is nearest in meaning to :

a) Common

b) Ridiculous

c) Dignified

d) Petty

ii) The word "Tangible" is opposite in meaning to:

a) Ethereal

b) Concrete

c) Actual

d) Solid

iii) Find similar relationship from the options given:

Ink: Pen

a) Water : River

b) Syrup : Juice

c) Blood : Body

d) Satellite : Communication

iv) A remedy for all diseases is called as :

a) Narcotic

b) Tonic

c) Antiseptic

d) Panacea

v) Pick out the word that is nearly same in the meaning of the following word:

Withdraw

a) Pay

b) Undress

c) Iterate

d) Repeal

c) Explain different types of interviews.

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3. a) Write an application in response to the following advertisement.

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"Assume that you are Arjun Singh. You have completed your M. Tech. in computer science from IIT Delhi. You are a dynamic professional with excellent communication skills. Apply in a multinational company based in Mumbai along with your resume.

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Place an order of electronic consignment to a supplier in Mumbai, in the capacity of the head of the institution of technology & Science, Delhi.

After receiving the consignment fault was identified. Write a letter of complaint to a supplier in Mumbai demanding the replacement of the goods not supplied in conformity with the samples approved by you.

b) Read the passage and attempt the questions below.

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True, it is the function of the army to maintain law and order in abnormal times. But in normal times there is another force that compels citizens to obey the laws and to act with due regard to the rights of others. The force also protects the lives and the properties of law abiding men. Laws are made to secure the personal safety of its subjects and to prevent murder and crimes of violence. They are made to secure the property of the citizens against theft and damage to protect the rights of communities and castes to carry out their customs and ceremonies, so long as they do not conflict with the rights of others. Now the good citizen, of his own free will, obey these laws and he takes care that everything will be right with due regard to the rights and well-being of others. But the bad citizen is only restrained from breaking these laws by fear of the consequence of his actions. And the necessary steps to compel the bad citizen to act as a good citizen are taken by this force. The supreme control of law and order in a state is in the hands of a Minister who is responsible to the state Assembly and acts through the Inspector general of police.

- i) The expression 'customs and ceremonies' means:
 - a) Fairs and festivals.
 - b) Habits and traditions.
 - c) Usual practices and religious rites.
 - d) Superstitions and formalities.
- ii) A suitable title for the passage would be:
 - a) The function of army
 - b) Laws and the People's rights.
 - c) The fear of the law and citizen's security.
 - d) The functions of the police.
- iii) According to the writer, what are the responsibilities of 'Police'?
- iv) What is the main idea of the passage?
- v) Which of the following is not implied in the passage?
 - a) Law protects those who respect it
 - b) Law ensures people's religious and social rights absolutely and unconditionally.
 - c) A criminal is deterred from committing crimes only for fear of the law.
 - d) The forces of law help to transform irresponsible citizens into responsible ones.

4. a) As a factory manager, prepare a report about an accident that occurred in your factory and provide recommendations. Submit the report to the Managing Director.

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Prepare a user's manual on Android mobile. Your manual could focus on the operation, accessories and all terms and conditions.

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b) Write the format of writing Research Paper.

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The government of India has recently launched a company to produce personal computers on a large scale. As finance manager of this company draft a proposal containing all the required details. like space, space conditioning and dust-proofing, hardware, networking, power supply, technical and other staff etc. This proposal is to be submitted to the Managing Director for approval.
