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**III Semester B.Com. Degree Examination, April/May 2023**  
**(CBCS Scheme – Repeaters – 2018-19 Onwards)**  
**Paper – III : LANGUAGE ENGLISH**  
**General English**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

- Instructions :** 1) Answer **all** questions.  
2) **Mention** the Question numbers **correctly**.

**SECTION – A**  
**(Prose and Poetry – 40 Marks)**

I. Answer **any five** of the following in **two** or **three** sentences : **(5×2=10)**

- 1) In what different ways does the poet want to address the Cuckoo ?
- 2) The younger monk did not like the idea of helping the woman.  
True/False
- 3) The scholar takes the boy to the \_\_\_\_\_
  - a) garden
  - b) bush
  - c) forest
- 4) Where did the Bishop go ?
- 5) Why did the man walk all night ?
- 6) Where did the Hosahali School have its beginning ?
- 7) Name the workers who were urgent needed in the lesson “Professional Guides to Cultivating Humanity”.
- 8) Which is the fit home for the Cuckoo ?

II. Answer **any four** of the following in a paragraph **each** selecting **two** from the play : **(4×5=20)**

- 1) Comment on “a wandering voice”, “a tale of visionary hours” and “a mystery”.
- 2) What lesson did the young boy learn from the scholar towards the end of the story ? Explain from the story “Born, Ruled and Died”.

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- 3) Describe Labhu the story teller.
- 4) The Bishop had a strong attachment to the candlesticks. Why ?
- 5) Describe the grave boy. Who did he turn out to be after having a closer look ?
- 6) "The human body is the temple of the living God." How does the Bishop prove this ?
- 7) Describe the responsibilities shared among children and adults for preparing the mid-day meals in the lesson "Learning from First Generation School-Goers."

III. Answer **any one** of the following in a page and **a half** : (1×10=10)

- 1) Describe "To the Cuckoo" in your own words ?
- 2) "Story telling is an art." How is this brought out in the lesson ?
- 3) How does Mathematics help one's daily routine and a mathematician in the cultivation of humanity ?

SECTION – B  
(Grammar Component – 30 Marks)

IV. Answer **any three** of the following :

(3×10=30)

- 1) Amma Food Products Pvt. Ltd., has advertised for the post of Accounts Manager. Reply to the advertisement with a Cover Letter enclosing your Curriculum Vitae.
  - 2) Write a sales letter on behalf of Vinay and Co. Air Conditioners introducing the new air conditioner which is power-friendly and efficient for the following summer. Emphasize the reasonable cost and post-sale service.
  - 3) M/s Rammayya and Sons complaint Hardnet and Co., that the software installed by the latter does not function effectively against the viruses. They could not complete a lot of office work due to this. Draft a letter of complaint.
  - 4) To the complaint received from Abhi Fabricators that the iron pieces supplied were less in weight and were not of 'A' class variety they had ordered, Johnson Steel Ltd., replies that the error would be verified soon and rectified if given a week's time. Draft the letter of reply.
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