



FOURTH SEMESTER B.SC. (NEP) DEGREE
EXAMINATION, AUGUST/SEPTEMBER 2023

GENERIC ENGLISH – 4

Ability Enhancement Compulsory Course – English (AECC)

Text : 1) The Dear Departed

2) A Marriage Proposal

Time : 2 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 60

PART – A

Directions : Question number 1 – 6 carries 2 marks each. Answer any 5 of the following questions. (5×2=10)

1. Name the two daughters of Abel Merryweather.
2. What does Mrs. Slater bring down to her room before the arrival of her sister ?
3. What according to Mrs. Jordan had grandfather promised to Jinemy ?
4. Why does Lomov visit Choobokov dressed in a suit ?
5. Why does Lomov feel that it is necessary for him to get married ?
6. What does Choobokov say about Lomov's father ?

PART – B

Directions : Question number 7 – 11 carries 05 marks each. Answer any 4 questions as directed. (4×5=20)

7. Sketch the character of Mrs. Slater and Mrs. Jordan.
8. Describe the argument between Lomov and Natalya.
9. Write an email to the Student Welfare Officer of your college requesting better facilities for lady students in the campus.
10. Write a blog on swachha Bharat.
11. Write the technical specifications of a washing machine.

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PART – C

Question number 12 – 15 carries 10 marks each. Answer any 3 of the following (3×10=30) questions in 200 to 250 words each.

12. What is the irony and significance of the title 'The Dear Departed' ?

13. Sketch the character of Natalya.

14. Prepare a precis for the following passage and give a title.

Diet plays an important role in the prevention of many chronic diseases. Eating a balanced diet rich in fruits, vegetables, whole grains and lean protein can help reduce the risk of conditions such as heart disease, diabetes and certain cancers. On the other hand, a diet high in processed and unhealthy foods can increase the risk of these diseases. It is important to be aware of the types of food we eat and we should include nutrient – dense options in our diet.

15. Choose the correct words given in the bracket and complete the paragraph. (Cloze Test)

Childhood is a time when there are 1. _____ responsibilities that make life difficult. If a child 2. _____ good parents, he is fed, looked 3. _____ and loved, whatever he may do, it is improbable that he will ever again in his life 4. _____ given so much without having to do anything 5. _____ return. In addition, life is always 6. _____ new things to the child. A child finds 7. _____ in playing in the rain or in the snow. His first visit 8. _____ the seaside is a marvellous adventure. But, a child has his pains; he is not free to do as he wishes; he is continually being 9. _____ not to do things or is being 10. _____. His life therefore not perfectly happy.

(after, many, has, in, presenting, be, told, joy, punished, to)