

**ADITYA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT, TEKKALI
(AUTONOMOUS)**

I B. Tech II Semester Regular / Supplementary Examinations, July-2015

ENGLISH-II

(Common to All Branches)

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 70

PART- A

Answer all questions

[10 x 1=10M]

1. a) Define the term globalization.
- b) Who is the author of the poem "Telephone Conversation".
- c) The speech "I have a Dream" is all about.....
- d) Which device is used by Soyinka to highlight racism?
- e) What does the word rancid suggest?
- f) Describe the early life of Dr. A.P.J Abdul Kalam very briefly.
- g) What does the word racial discrimination mean?
- h) Explain briefly the characteristic features of Soapy very briefly.
- i) What was the secret of success in Abdul Kalam's life?
- j) Write two synonyms for the phrase dumbfounded.

PART-B

Answer one question from each unit

[5x12= 60M]

UNIT-I

- 2 a) Examine the impact of globalization on the developing world during the past 100 years. **[8M]**
- b) Write two synonyms for the following words: **[4M]**
i. ancestral ii. memorize iii. miraculous iv. dearth

(OR)

3. a) How does Prof. Stiglitz deal with the issues and challenges associated with Globalization? **[8M]**
- b) Write two antonyms for the following: **[4M]**
i. spendthrift ii. Immortal, iii. Apathy iv. Reckless

UNIT-II

4. a) Describe the difficulties faced by Abdul kalam in shaping his life and career **[8M]**
- b) Correct the following sentences: **[4M]**
i. Have you received any informations ?
ii. Neither he would eat nor allow us to eat.
iii. Hardly I had reached the station when the train steamed out.
iv. She could not cope up the situation.

(OR)

5. a) Write a detailed account of Dr. Kalam's awards and honours he received till date. **[8M]**
- b) Fill in the blanks with appropriate conjunctions. **[4M]**
i. we sat for a group photograph ----- the meeting was over.
ii. Nothing happened ---- we had feared.
iii. I shall go on a world tour ---- I win a lottery.
iv. He spends money ---- it grew in his garden

UNIT-III

6. a) In your opinion, has Martin Luther King's dream come true in today's America? [8M]
b) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions. [4M]
i. The ballot boxes were put----- bags.
ii. The road passes ----- jungles.
iii. Everything depends—what the Prime Minister is going to say.
iv. This is the book ----- which I told you.

(OR)

7. a) Compare the lives of two greatest sons of the soil Mahatma Gandhi and Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. [8M]
b) Write a paragraph on the Lingua franca (global language) of the world. [4M]

UNIT- IV

- 8 a) Write an elaborate account of Soapy's attempts of getting arrested [6M]
b) Write an essay on "A thing of beauty is a joy forever" [6M]

(OR)

9. a) What do you think about the delinquent activities done by Soapy in the story? [6M]
b) Write an essay on 'human values' in the modern era [6M]

UNIT- V

10. a) Explain the irony and sarcasm used in the poem Telephone Conversation. [7M]
b) Fill in the blanks with suitable adjectives in brackets. [5M]
i.---- (few, fewer, fewest) villages are without electricity in our state.
ii. To preach to others is -----(easy, easier, easiest).
iii. These days June is ----- (hot, hotter, hottest) than May.
iv. Santa is the ----- (cunning, more cunning, most cunning) woman I have ever seen.
v. Her end was ----- (much, more, most) tragic

(OR)

11. a) What is the theme of the poem Telephone Conversation? [8M]
b) Combine the following simple sentences into a compound sentence. [4M]
i. He has many friends. He also has several enemies.
ii. He had little chance of success. He decided to go ahead.
iii. You can have tea. You can have coffee.
iv. You must study hard. You will not pass the examination