

Answer ONE Question from each Unit

All Questions Carry Equal Marks

All parts of the Question must be answered at one place

**UNIT-I**

1. a Discuss the importance of English as a link language in 300 words 6M  
b Convert the following sentences into Assertive / Interrogative / Imperative /  
Exclamatory sentence as directed. 4x1=4  
i. She is very great. (into interrogative)  
ii. Can you give me your pen. (into imperative)  
iii. He faced the tiger bravely. (into exclamatory)  
iv. How beautiful the Charminar is! (into assertive)
- c Fill in the blanks with the correct verb forms. 4x1=4  
i. I -----this book yesterday.(read)  
ii. He -----his faults.(know)  
iii. The peon -----the bell before I reached school.(ring).  
iv. She -----this dress yesterday.(buy).

**(OR)**

2. a Discuss the importance of team work in 300 words. 6m
- b Read the following passage and answer all the questions. 4x1=4  
The Gonds are a major tribe of central India. They occupy mainly the Bastar District of Madhya Pradesh. They belong to the Dravidian family and include Marias and Murias and others. The Maria Gonds are hill people while the Muria Gonds live in the plains of Bastar. They practise cultivation and raise millet, collect forest produce and hunt animals. During the rains, the Maria Gonds search for red ants and squirrel, of which they are very fond of. The Gonds make a drink which is prepared from rice and Mahuva flowers. The Gonds wear a little clothing but are extremely fond of ornaments for which they use beads, cowrie shells and even brass articles. Young girls wear small combs made of carved wood, in their hair. These are gifted to them by boys. But once a girl chooses the boy she wants to marry, she returns all the combs except the one gifted by her future husband.  
i. Which family do the Gonds belong to?  
ii. What do the Maria Gonds hunt and search for?  
iii. From what do they prepare a drink?  
iv. What ornaments do they prefer to wear
- c Punctuate the following sentences. 4x1=4  
i. it was a long severe drought.  
ii. what a narrow escape.  
iii. yes i will participate.  
iv. the law is clear the question is whether it is

## UNIT-II

3. a "Good health is above wealth". Write a brief note in 300 words 6m  
b Complete the following sentences using appropriate articles. In some cases, no articles are needed. 4x1=4
- i. .... man is mortal.
  - ii. I am ..... university student.
  - iii. She goes to temple in ..... mornings.
  - iv. Kiran is ..... best student in the class.
- c Write at least one antonym for each word below. 4x1=4
- i. temptation ii. morsel iii. Eliminate iv. sordid
- (OR)**
4. a Discuss the benefits of staying fit as vegetarian in 300 words. 6m  
b Supply one word substitutes for the following expressions. 4x1=4
- i. one who steals others writings
  - ii. a medicine for all diseases
  - iii. one who knows many languages
  - iv .suitable or safe for eating .
- c Read the following passage and answer all the questions. 4x1=4
- What do we understand by the word 'humanities'? The Classical Greek notion of humanities was to provide a basis of a broad education for the Greek citizens. The concept of liberal arts has its roots in such a tradition. However, the term 'humanities' probably appeared first during the Italian Renaissance in relation to the education of Christians for their moral and spiritual development. Today, the term refers to those disciplines of knowledge which are broadly concerned with human thoughts, creative expressions and culture, and are classified as non-science academic disciplines. Though a precise definition of the humanities may be difficult, today the following disciplines are generally recognised as part of the humanities: (a) the classics; (b) literature and languages; (c) philosophy; (d) religion; (e) visual and performing arts; and (f) history. Aiming to decipher both the rational and irrational ways and experiences of life, the humanities explore the process of how human beings construct world of meanings and interpretations around their lives.
- i. How do we explain 'humanities' today?
  - ii. What was the objective behind the Greek notion of humanities?
  - iii. What do you understand by 'liberal arts'?
  - iv Is it important to understand the humanities? Why?

## UNIT-III

5. a Write a letter to your principal seeking permission to attend a technical fest at IIT Chennai. 6m  
b Join each pair of the following sentences by means of a suitable conjunction 4x1=4
- i.He is not in a good mood. I didn't speak to him.
  - ii. He is intelligent. Everybody likes him.
  - iii. She likes bread. She likes butter..
  - iv. She is honest. Her sister is honest..
- c Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions. 4x1=4
- i. The lion sprang-----him.
  - ii. I told him ----his face that he could not pass.
  - iii. China is----- the north of India.
  - iv. I have been waiting for you----- the last three days.

**(OR)**

6. a Write a conversation / dialogue between two students who are preparing for final exams. 6m
- b Fill in the blanks with appropriate auxiliaries. 4x1=4
- I -----solved all the sums
  - Where -----you go ?
  - you finished your homework
  - \_\_\_\_\_ you like watching movies?
- c Change the following statements into queries using question tags. 4x1=4
- you are on a holiday.
  - We aren't going to watch a movie.
  - This is the book you are looking for..
  - He doesn't like non-veg.

#### **UNIT-IV**

7. a Write an email to your friend in US about the disaster created in your town due to cyclone. 6m
- b Complete the following paragraph using the words given below. 4x1=4
- Priorities,stockpiled,operations,prepositioned, thatch*
- Our -----unit had tracked the storm since the beginning of the week and Red Cross volunteers on the ground were placed to respond :explains Dr S P. Agarawal, secretary general of the Indian red cross society. "The immediate -----now are to bring medical care to people with injuriesand to make sure that food, water and shelter are provided to the thousands of people who have no homes to return to", he added. In Andhra Pradesh and Tamilnadu, the IndianRed Cross national,state and district level disaster response teams are working closely with local government officials to bring help to people affected by the storm. In AP,5000-----family packs are being distributed by the state branch together with4500 family tentsthat have been-----by Red Cross district branches in Mahaboobnagar and Kurnool.
- c Write at least one synonym for each word below. 4x1=4
- correlate
  - Staunch
  - Fetish
  - premature

#### **(OR)**

8. a Write a conversation / dialogue between two students about their future plans. 6m
- b Convert the following statements into questions. 4x1=4
- I like watching movies.
  - He is a miser
  - They are watching a movie.
  - Sachin has scored ten goals
- c Use gerund/to infinitive/present participle as directed and rewrite the following. 4x1=4
- To learn is important.( gerund)
  - Since I didn't feel well, I didn't go to the cinema. (present participle)
  - Seeing is believing. (to infinitive)
  - To read improves your English.(gerund)

## UNIT-V

9. a Write a short note on the importance of “Girl Education” and how it would improve the economy of the country in 300 words. 6m
- b Rewrite the following as directed. 4x1=4
- i. Mohan sang a song.(Change the voice)
  - ii. Mahesh is not as tall as Ram.. (Write in comparative degree)
  - iii. He said, “ I am going to Delhi”.(Write in indirect speech)
  - iv. You will pass. Prepare for the exam well.. (Write using *If*)
- c Correct the following sentences 4x1=4
- i. My all friends are very helpful.
  - ii. He made a blunder mistake.
  - iii. I attend the college everyday..
  - iv. This is more better.
- (OR)**
10. a Men and women are first human beings. Gender bias is irrational.” Do you agree? If yes, provide an argument in 300 words. 6m
- b Pick up suitable phrasal verb for each blank. 4x1=4
- To bear out, to hit upon, to shake off, break with, draw over ,given out*
- i I gave him no cause to -----me
  - ii I was -----that the fort had been captured.
  - iii. She has been trying to-----some weight.
  - iv. He -----the perfect title to his novel.
- c Arrange jumbled letters of each word in order. 4x1=4
- i. ueqts ii. laptae iii .smitmu iv. tnsratim

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SET-1

ADITYA INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY AND MANAGEMENT, TEKKALI  
(AUTONOMOUS)

I B.Tech I Semester Supplementary Examinations, February-2018

ENGLISH - I  
(Common to all Branches)

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 70

## PART-A

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

[1 x 10 = 10 M]

1. a) What were the barriers encountered by Kalpana Chawla as an Indian?  
b) What signs of acute poverty are depicted by Das in the domestic scene?  
c) Convert the sentence into indirect speech. The candidate said, "Please vote for me".  
d) Create a caption to any of your favorite product you use.  
e) Write a sentence using Gerund 'swimming.'  
f) What do the forests symbolize in the story 'Lost forests'?  
g) What are the causes for the neglect of women with specific reference to Indian context?  
h) Write the meaning of the idiom 'white elephant' and use it in a sentence.  
i) Begin the below sentence with "A question" 'I will ask a question'.  
j) Frame a sentence using To infinitive.

## PART-B

Answer one question from each unit

[5x12=60M]

### UNIT-I

2. a. What is the significance of 'forests' in this story? Find out the process by which this becomes an elusive idea? [8M]  
b. Give the synonyms of the following. [4M]  
i. Vulnerable ii. Felicitate iii. Profound iv. Doleful  
(OR)
3. a. Write a letter to your father requesting for a laptop. [8M]  
b. Give the antonyms of the following [4M]  
i. introvert ii. Shorten iii. Confront iv. Fanciful

## **UNIT-II**

4. a. Why does Amartya Sen say that the fate of women is quite different to women in Asia and North America when compared to Europe and North America? [8M]
- b. Pick the adjectives from the following sentences. [4M]
- i. There is little time for preparation.
  - ii. That boy is very brave.
  - iii. This dictionary is mine.
  - iv. Such is the situation that we can't do anything.

**(OR)**

5. a. How does Amartya Sen relate women's gainful employment to a visible change in their destiny? [8M]
- b. Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions (since, of, on, in, for, by, to) [4M]
- One of the banes \_\_\_\_ contemporary civilizations is T.V.veiwng. Not enough attention is being paid \_\_\_\_its adverse effects \_\_\_\_our young men who remain glued to the screen \_\_\_\_hours together.

## **UNIT-III**

6. a. Kalpana Chawla was 'a rare combination of a brilliant mind and an intensely humane spirit'. Discuss. [8M]
- b. Fill in the blanks with suitable articles. [4M]
- i. There was \_\_\_\_king.
  - ii. \_\_\_\_Everest is the highest peak .
  - iii. They lost their way in \_\_\_\_Sahara desert .
  - iv. There is \_\_\_\_\_ hotel at the end of this road.

**(OR)**

7. a. Write an e-mail to your friend asking for a job abroad where he is staying. [8M]
- b. Write the one word substitutes for the following phrases. [4M]
- i. Some one's life history written by another person
  - ii. A person who compiles a dictionary
  - iii. A tendency to favour one's relatives
  - iv. one who takes pleasure in torturing others

**UNIT-IV**

8. a. What was Helen Keller's plan for her last day of 'vision'? [8M]
- b. Fill in the blanks with suitable verb forms. [4M]
- i. My mother \_\_\_\_ (buy ) vegetables from Reliance store room.
  - ii. My children \_\_\_\_\_ (play ) badminton while I \_\_\_\_\_ (sleep).
  - iii. Snigdha \_\_\_\_ (dance) skillfully .
  - iv Last month my wife \_\_\_\_\_ (visit) England for attending a meeting .

**(OR)**

9. a. Express your views on "The menace of Corruption in India ." [8M]
- b. Punctuate the following. [4M]
- i. help me she screamed.
  - ii kumars daughter Maya is an engineer .
  - iii. have you been to Salzburg Australia .
  - iv. the head line reads petrol prices hike to stay.

## UNIT-V

10. a. Analyze the transformation of the Kalahandi market. [8M]
- b. Choose the right answer. [4M]
- i. tooth : gum :: eye \_\_\_\_\_ a. socket b. bone c. heart
- ii. cricket : bat :: hockey : \_\_\_\_\_ a. ball b. field c. stick
- iii. opthamologist : eye :: dermatologist -----a. ears. b. Skin c. brain
- iv. idiom : language :: rhythm \_\_\_\_ a.conversation. b.poetry c.sentence
11. a. Examine how Das contrasts the claims about progress and the grim social reality that Kalahandi is. [8M]
- b. Correct the following sentences. [4M]
- i. The higher you go, cooler it gets.
- ii. The cake smells sweetly .
- iii. He appears to be quite genuinely.
- iv. The three first chapters of the novel are written beautifully.