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B.Sc. EXAMINATION

(Main/Reappear) (Batch 2018 Onwards)

(First Semester)

ENGLISH-I

CXL-101

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

Note : Attempt all the questions.

1. Answer any *ten* of the following questions

briefly :

2×10=20

(a) How does the poet personify time in

‘Marriage of the two minds’ ?

(b) What does the poet mean by ‘Death, thou

shalt die’ ?

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- (c) What is meant by 'They also serve who only stand and wait' ?
 - (d) What do you understand by 'City of Palm Trees' ?
 - (e) Who was Shadwell ?
 - (f) Who was the ruler of the empire of Nonsense ?
 - (g) Explain : "The glory, jest and riddle of the world".
 - (h) Explain the meaning of 'bereaved of light'.
 - (i) Where was the little boy born ?
 - (j) What would be the effect of joy derived from Nature on Lucy ?
 - (k) What does Shelley say about the Parliament ?
 - (l) What kind of farewell does the poet wish for ?

2. (a) Explain with reference to the
context : 7.5

All human things are subject to decay,
And when the fate summons, Monarchs
must obey.

This Flecnoe found, who, like Augustus,
young
Was called to Empire, and had governed
long.

Or

Before I taught my tongue to wound
My conscience with a sinful sound
Or had the black art to dispense
A several sin to every sense,
But felt through all this fleshy dress
Bright soots of everlastingness.

- (b) Read the following lines and answer the questions that follow : 7.5

Let me not to the marriage of true minds
admit impediments. Love is not love
which alters when it alteration finds,
Or bends with the remover to remove.

Questions :

- (i) Name the poem and the poet.
- (ii) What is the poet not prepared to admit ?
- (iii) What happens to true love when there is a chance to change ?
- (iv) Does true love yield before anybody ?
- (v) Use in sentences of your own :
 - (1) alter
 - (2) impediment.

Or

Happy those early days, when I
Shine in my Angel-infancy!

Before I understood this place
Appointed for my second race,
Or taught my soul to fancy aught
But a white, celestial thought;

Questions :

- (i) From which poem have these lines been taken ?
- (ii) Which time was happy, according to the poet ?
- (iii) How did the poet shine in his infancy ?
- (iv) What was the second race for the poet ?
- (v) What is the poet's regret in these lines ?

3. Sum up in your own words Pope's conception of man. 15

Or

Comment on the protective role of Nature in the poem "Three years she grew in Sun and Showers".

4. (a) Translate the following passage into English : 7.5

माता-पिता को इतना अकलमन्द होना चाहिए कि वे समाज में विज्ञापनों के व्यापारिक पहलू और उपभोक्ता सम्बन्धी भूमिका को अपने बच्चे को बताएँ। उन्हें अपने बच्चों को केवल वहीं कार्यक्रम देखने देना चाहिए जो स्वस्थ वातावरण और संस्कृति को बढ़ावा दें जहाँ भारतीय परम्परा एवं संस्कृति के प्रति प्यार विकसित होता है। यह उन्हें अच्छे और बुरे में भेद करना सिखा देगा। यह बच्चों तथा बड़ों, दोनों को ही पश्चिमी सभ्यता के सकारात्मक पहलुओं को अपनाने एवं बुरे पहलुओं को छोड़ने में सहायता करेगा।

Or

**(For Non-Hindi Speaking/Foreign
Students Only)**

Read the passage and answer the following questions :

The first actual scientific evidence that the universe has a beginning came in the 1920s.... That was time when most scientists believed in a static universe that had always existed. The evidence to the contrary was indirect, based upon the observations Edwin Hubble made with the 100 inch telescope on Mount Wilson, in the hills above Pasadena, California. By analyzing the spectrum of light they emit, Hubble determined that nearly all galaxies are moving away from us, and the farther away they are, the faster they are moving. In 1929 he published a law relating their rate of recession to their distance from

(b)

us, and concluded that the universe is expanding. If that is true, then the universe must have been smaller in the past. In fact, if we extrapolate to the distant past, all the matter and energy in the universe would have been concentrated in a very tiny region of unimaginable density and temperature, and if we go back far enough, there would be a time when it all began — the event we now call the big bang.

Questions :

- (i) What did most scientists believe about the universe until the 1920s ?
- (ii) What did Edwin Hubble do on Mount Wilson ?
- (iii) What law did Edwin Hubble publish in 1929 ?
- (iv) What do you mean by the 'big bang' ?

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(b) Write a paragraph in about **150** words on any *one* of following : **7.5**

- (i) Need of Environmental Awareness
- (ii) India of My Dreams
- (iii) Precautions to be taken during Covid.
- (iv) Women Empowerment.

5. Attempt any *fifteen* of the following : **15**

(a) Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions :

- (i) He is indebted.....his relatives for the help.
- (ii) The hunter aimed..... the tiger.
- (iii) This necklace is made.....gold.
- (iv) He ordered.....a cup of tea.
- (v) Radha walked.....the room.
- (vi) Rohan is sitting.....Rohit.

(b) Correct the following sentences, if necessary :

(i) He managed reaching the station in time.

(ii) He objected at my remarks.

(iii) He is too tired and cannot walk.

(iv) He is singing much loudly.

(v) One of my friends are a doctor.

(vi) Neither of the sisters are clever.

(c) Use the following in sentences :

(i) Carry off

(ii) Fall through

(iii) Come across

(iv) Do away with

(v) Look into

(vi) Run after

(vii) Hand over.