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SECTION A

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Examination, Dec. - 2025

Multi-Disciplinary Course

(Faculty of Arts)

ENGLISH

(Basics of English Grammar and Composition)

Time Allowed : Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Write your roll number on the question paper before starting to write answers.

No supplementary Answer book will be provided. Please write your answers precisely within the given space.

The question paper consists of four units. Attempt all questions as per the instructions given in each unit.

Section-A : 10 objective, type questions will be asked from unit 1 with internal choice of 01 marks each and 10 objective, short answer type questions will be asked from unit 2 of 2 marks each.

Section-B : Ten short answer type questions will be asked from the Unit-3, based on the prescribed short stories/ essays. Each question will be of 2 marks.

Section-C : Two questions, with internal choice will be asked on each topic mentioned in the Unit-4. Each question will be of 15 marks.

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## SECTION - A

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1. Attempt any ten questions of your choice. Each question carries 1 mark.

(i) A phrase that begins with a preposition and ends with a noun or pronoun is called a \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Noun phrase
- (b) Adjective phrase
- (c) Prepositional phrase
- (d) Adverb phrase

(ii) Identify the noun phrase:

The tall man in the blue coat is my uncle.

- (a) The tall man
- (b) In the blue coat
- (c) Is my uncle
- (d) My uncle

(iii) Which of the following is a determiner?

- (a) Quickly
- (b) Some
- (c) running
- (d) beautiful

(iv) Choose the correct determiner:

There are \_\_\_\_\_ apples in the basket.

- (a) much
- (b) many
- (c) little
- (d) a

(v) Complete the sentence:

He bought \_\_\_\_\_ new car yesterday.

- (a) a
- (b) the
- (c) an
- (d) no article

(vi) A phrase is a group of words that

- (a) makes complete sense
- (b) has a subject and a predicate
- (c) does not make complete sense but acts as a single unit.
- (d) always contains a verb.

(vii) Identify the type of phrase in the sentence:

She wore a dress made of silk.

- (a) Noun phrase
- (b) Adjective phrase
- (c) Adverb phrase
- (d) Prepositional phrase

(viii) Choose the correct determiner:

There are \_\_\_\_\_ apples in the basket.

- (a) much
- (b) many
- (c) little
- (d) a

(ix) Fill in the blanks with a suitable determiner.

\_\_\_\_\_ book on the shelf is mine.

- (a) An
- (b) A
- (c) The
- (d) That

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(x) Identify the determiner in this sentence:

Each student must submit their assignment on time.

- (a) Each
- (b) Must
- (c) Submit
- (d) Assignment

(xi) Choose the correct option:

She doesn't have \_\_\_\_\_ time left.

- (a) many
- (b) much
- (c) few
- (d) a few

(xii) Select the correct Sentence:

- (a) I have a few money left
- (b) I have little money left
- (c) I have few money left
- (d) I have much rupees.

(xiii) Which determiner is used to show possession?

- (a) this
- (b) my
- (c) every
- (d) Several

2. Answer the following ten short - answer question. Each question carries two marks.

[10 × 2 = 20]

- (i) Define a Pronoun with an example.
- (ii) What are Personal Pronouns? Give one example.
- (iii) Identify the type of pronoun: He hurt himself while playing.
- (iv) What is a relative pronoun? Use it in a sentence.
- (v) Define an independent clause with an example.
- (vi) what is a subordinate clause?
- (vii) Identify the type of clause: I know that she is honest.
- (viii) What is an adjective clause?
- (ix) Explain the difference between adverb clause and noun clause.
- (x) Correct the sentence and identify the error: This is the boy who he won the prize.

## SECTION - B

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3. Answer the following ten questions. Each carries two marks.

- (i) What moral lesson does Leo Tolstoy convey in "How much land does a man need"?
- (ii) How does H.G Wells use irony in "The Apple"?
- (iii) Describe the main theme of Jonathan Swift's essay "On Style".
- (iv) What does Pahom's greed lead to in "How Much Land Does a Man Need"?
- (v) Discuss the symbolic significance of "The apple" in H.G Well's story.
- (vi) How does Swift define good style in writing?
- (vii) What message does Tolstoy give about human desires and contentment?
- (viii) How does H.G Wells criticize human ambition in "The Apple"?
- (ix) How does the 'apple' symbolize temptation in the story?
- (x) What advice does Swift give to writers who wish to improve their style?

**SECTION - C**

4. Prepare an attractive newspaper advertisement for any one of the following topics: [15]

(a) You are General Manager of PVR software solution, Agra. You need a software engineer for your organization. Draft an advertisement to be published in 'The Times of India' stating your requirements.

OR

(b) You are Rajan Manager of XYZ private ltd. Prepare an advertisement for 'A new eco-friendly electric scooter launched by your company'.

5. Write an essay on any one of the following topics: [15]

(a) The role of education in modern society.

OR

(b) Technology and Youth.

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