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Set A

B.A. (Part -I) (Semester - I) (CBCS) Examination
Oct./Nov. – 2023

College Name: - Kamala College, Kolhapur

Subject Name:- English for Communication (AECC 1)

Subject Code: 71205

Total Marks: 50

Day and Date: - Wednesday, 01/11/2023

Period: 2 hours

Time: 08.00 a.m. To 10.00 a.m.

Total pages: 2

Instructions:

- 1) All questions are compulsory.
- 2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

Q1) A) Complete the following statements by choosing the correct alternative given below. [4]

a) Bad temper and bad manners are more -----.

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| i) catching | ii) dangerous |
| iii) attractive | iv) insulting |

b) Pushpa ----- her bucket and started to clean her bucket.

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| i) filled | ii) kept down |
| iii) patted | iv) touched |

c) The girl in the Solitary Reaper is singing while -----.

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| i) walking | ii) reaping |
| iii) dancing | iv) watching natural beauty |

d) Tagore started a school in -----.

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| i) Bengal | ii) Gurukul |
| iii) Shanti-Niketan | iv) Forest Colony |



- B) Answer the following questions in one word/phrase/sentence. [4]
- Why was the young lift-man in a city office fined?
 - Who is the solitary reaper?
 - What was not expected of Tagore?
 - What is compared to the stage in the poem?

Q2) A) Answer any four of the following questions in 3-4 sentences each. [8]

- What penalty does one have to pay for being discourteous?
- Why did the narrator's bucket start to overflow?
- How did the reaper's song affect the poet?
- Describe the tradition of the forest colonies of great teachers.
- In what way does Shakespeare speak about the customs and manners of his age through 'lover'. Illustrate.
- What does the poet compare the secret in his mind with?

B) Write short notes on any three of the following in about 7-8 sentences each. [9]

- The meeting of Pushpa's father with the narrator
- The theme of the poem 'The Solitary Reaper'.
- Tagore's family background.
- Theme of the poem 'All the World is a Stage'.
- Describe the central idea of the poem 'The Secret'.

Q3) Do as directed.

- Form a new word by using a suffix.
i. beauty ii. king
- Make nouns of -
i. develop ii. apply
- Give antonyms of-
i. good ii. found
- Give synonyms of-
i. fear ii. goal



[8]

Q4) a) Imagine that your friend with his younger brother meets you at bus station. Write a piece of friendly conversation with him and his brother. [8]

b) Describe the most memorable incident in your life. [9]