Total No. of Pages: Seat No. B.A. (Part - I) (Semester - I) Examination, December 2016 ENGLISH (Compulsory) (Paper - A) (New) % **English for Communication** Sub. Code: 58420 Total Marks: 50 Day and Date: Thursday, 01 - 12 - 2016 Time: 12.00 noon to 02.00 p.m. All questions are compulsory. Instructions: 1) Figures to the right indicate full marks. 2) Rewrite the following choosing the correct alternative. [5] Gouri joined presidency College in i) Mumbai b) Calcutta New York c) London d) Pleased with the outcome, the speaker released the green ii) grass snake b) cobra a) a poisonous snake d) python c) The elderly man was working in the school as a iii) Teacher Head-Master b) a) Watchman-cum-peon d) Clerk c) is secure beneath the earth. iv) a glow-worm b) a) An earth-worm d) a butterfly a book-worm c) Kamala Das wrote sad poems about Dolls b) a) Birds Animals d) c) Trees

	b) Give antonym for 'profit' c) Give the noun form of 'graduate'
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	c) Give the hour form of graduate
	d) Give the adverb form of 'harsh'
	e) Use the given phrase in your own sentence-to run school.
Q2) A)	Answer any three of the following in two to three sentences each: [9]
	a) What was Samar's family background?
	b) What is the message of the poem "A frog Screams"?
	c) How did the Thandappa convince Sudha Murthy to accept the gift?
	d) How is the working condition of men contrasted with that of the grass?
	e) What kinds of poems did Kamala write when she was six?Why?
	Write short notes on any two of the following in about 50 to 60 words each: [6]
	a) Childhood memories of Kamala.
	b) The Thandappa's philosophy of life.
	c) A message of the poem "Grass Words"
Q3) A)	Write a description of a computer. [6]
B)	Write a description of the temple in your village/town. [6]
Q4) A)	Write a paragraph about your own daily routine. [7]
	Narrate your experience of the first day in your college. [6]

Do as directed:

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