

**3014**

**B. Tech (Common for All Branches)  
1st Sem. Examination – February, 2022**

**ENGLISH**

**Paper : HSMC-ENG-101-G**

**Time : Three hours ] [ Maximum Marks : 75**

*Before answering the questions, candidates should ensure that they have been supplied the correct and complete question paper. No complaint in this regard, will be entertained after examination.*

**Note :** Attempt *five* question all. Selecting *one* question from each Unit. Question No. 1 is *compulsory*, All question carry equal marks.

1. Answer the following questions briefly :  $2.5 \times 6 = 15$
- (a) What is true liberation in 'The Secret of Work' ?
  - (b) What is Speech Mechanism ?
  - (c) Differentiate between 'wide' and 'vide'.
  - (d) Make words using the prefixes -in, -ex, -pre, -mal, -uni.
  - (e) Describe A spring balance.
  - (f) What are Monophthong ?

**UNIT – I**

2. (a) Make sentences based on following verb patterns :  
 $5 \times 3 = 15$
- (i) Sub + Verb + Indirect Object + Direct Object

- (ii) Sub + Verb + Noun Complement
  - (iii) Noun Phrase + Helping Verb + Adjective + Noun
  - (iv) Subject + Verb + Subject Complement
  - (v) Sub + Verb + Infinitive
- (b) Correct the following sentences :
- (i) Each of the boys have done homework.
  - (ii) Sandals and towels are essential gear for beach.
  - (iii) Either Ram or Shyam pay the employees.
  - (iv) He returned back yesterday.
  - (v) I am couldn't but laughing.
- (c) Do as directed :
- (i) He prefers cigar ..... cigarette.  
(insert preposition)
  - (ii) He is poor. He is honest. (make compound)
  - (iii) Honesty is ..... MLA. (insert article)
  - (iv) There's ..... who likes to be poor.  
(neither/none)
  - (v) With who do you live ? (correct pronoun)

3. Use the following pairs in your sentences so as to make the meanings of the individual words clear :  
 $3 \times 5 = 15$

- (i) Momentary, Momentous
- (ii) Elder, Older
- (iii) Flour, Floor
- (iv) Literary, Literal
- (v) Loose, Lose

## UNIT - II

4. (a) Supply One-word Substitutes :  $7.5 \times 2 = 15$
- A place for keeping birds
  - Fear of books
  - Government by officials
  - Study of human being
  - Soldiers on foot
- (b) Supply meanings of the following foreign words and make sentences :
- Alumni
  - Bon Voyage
  - En route
  - De jure
  - Ex-officio
5. (a) Make sentences with the following idioms :  $7.5 \times 2 = 15$
- Dark horse
  - Break the ice
  - Run into
  - Turn down
  - Watch out
- (b) Change into passive voice :
- I am hitting this rod.
  - Thank you.
  - Who is removed my chair ?
  - She has asked for apples.
  - The caravan shall destroy our crops.

## UNIT - III

6. Write short notes on any *two* :  $15 \times 1 = 15$
- Phonemes
  - Friction Consonants
  - Semi Vowels

OR

Draw a neat diagram of Speech Mechanism and mark all speech organs.

7. Define Affricates, Bilabials and Labio dentals. List all of them.  $15 \times 1 = 15$

## UNIT - IV

8. Discuss the main idea of Khushwant Singh's essay '*Mother Teresa*'.  $15 \times 1 = 15$

OR

Develop a paragraph on 'Digital Economy'.

9. Write an essay on Swami Vivekananda's idea of work and its nature.  $15 \times 1 = 15$

OR

Write an application to the Director of your institute/ college seeking permission and requesting logistical arrangements for an educational trip of your batch.

OR

Record your impressions of Bertrand Russel's views on Intellectual Rubbish.