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Fifth Semester

English – Main

NON-FICTION

(For those who joined in July 2016 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer:

1. According to Bacon the chief use of study is:  
(a) Ability  
(b) Ornament  
(c) Delight  
(d) Adorent

2. Bacon describes the utilitarian approach in the essay \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) of friendship (b) of truth  
(c) of riches (d) of revenge
3. Sir Roger was much interested in Andromache because \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) He pitied her  
(b) He loved her  
(c) He wants to help her  
(d) None of the above
4. The Man in Black professes himself to be a \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) lovgaggard (b) eccentric  
(c) man hater (d) philanthropist
5. Charles Lamb's "Dream Children" is notable for its:  
(a) Crushing tragedy (b) Humour  
(c) Whimsical pathos (d) Cynicism
6. There are persons who live as in a world of \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) solitude (b) company  
(c) asleep (d) violence



7. Gardiner feels that he has interested in his fellow traveller and in return he has \_\_\_\_\_ him.

- (a) Insulted
- (b) Pleased
- (c) Entertained
- (d) Worried

8. Mr. Bennet, Arnold Bennet, is a Fine modern \_\_\_\_\_ novelist.

- (a) English
- (b) African
- (c) Australian
- (d) Canadian

9. A police sergeant waited at the doctor's door because \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) he knew that the doctor welcomed it
- (b) he was wanted as a witness in a case
- (c) it was very cold outside
- (d) he wanted the doctor to attend to a suicide case

10. Identification of God with everything that exists is \_\_\_\_\_.

- (a) Pantheism
- (b) Theism
- (c) Philosophy
- (d) Atheism

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PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) Briefly discuss the various methods of study.

Or

(b) Write a short note on Bacon's views on the lover of Solitude.

12. (a) Briefly discuss on the qualities of the mistress.

Or

(b) Describe the inconsistent conduct of "The Man in Black".

13. (a) Give brief note on a mixture of humour and pathos in the Essay "Dream Children".

Or

(b) Examine the kind of conversation, according to Hazlitt.

14. (a) Why did Gardiner call the insignificant mosquito as a Fellow traveller?

Or

(b) Why does Lynd call a money-box a monument of wordly wisdom.

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15. (a) Consider the best investment cronin ever made in life.

Or

- (b) Describe the words 'quiet', 'Simple' and 'modest' employed by writers to Flatter the rich.

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

16. (a) Explain the style and theme of Bacon's "Of Studies".

Or

- (b) Bring out the theme of Bacon's "Of Friendship".

17. (a) Sir Roger's love affair as described by Steel. Describe Sir Roger.

Or

- (b) Sketch the character of The Man in Black.

18. (a) Explain the Stylistic Analysis of the Essay "Dream Children".

Or

- (b) Consider the essay "On Disagreeable People".

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19. (a) Bring out the theme of the short story "A Fellow Traveller".

Or

- (b) Write an essay on "The Money Box" by Robert Lynd".

20. (a) Examine the title "The Best Investment I Ever Made".

Or

- (b) Consider "The Workship of the Wealthy" a delightful satire on modern methods of flattery.
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