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B.A./B.Sc. 4th Semester (Batch 2020-23)

ENGLISH (Compulsory)

Time Allowed—3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks—50

Note :— Attempt *five* questions in all, selecting at least *one* question from each section. The *fifth* question may be attempted from any section. All questions carry equal marks.

SECTION—A

1. Do as directed :

Complete the sentences using can or (be) able to :

- (i) I haven't _____ sleep very well recently.
(ii) Gary has travelled a lot. He _____ speak five languages.

Complete the sentences. Use couldn't or couldn't have plus a verb given in the correct form :

- (iii) I _____ in a big city. I'd hate it. (live)
(iv) We had a really good holiday. It _____ better. (be)

Put in must or can't :

- (v) You got here very quickly. You _____ have walked very fast.
(vi) That restaurant _____ be very good. It is always empty.

Complete the sentences using get/got plus the verb given in the correct form :

- (vii) I used to have a bicycle, but it _____ a few days ago. (steal)
(viii) Please pack these things very carefully. I don't want them to _____. (damage)

Put the words in the correct order :

- (ix) had/a few weeks ago/the house/we/painted
(x) as soon as possible/need/translated/we/to get/this document 1×10=10

2. Make one sentence from two. Use who/that/which :

- (i) A bus goes to the airport. It runs every half hour.
(ii) A girl was injured in the accident. She is now in hospital.

Complete each sentence using who/whom/whose/where :

- (iii) The place _____ we spent our holidays was really beautiful.
(iv) What's the name of the man _____ car you borrowed.

Use the words in brackets to make sentences using There is/There was etc. :

- (v) That house is empty. (nobody/live/in/it)
(vi) The train was full. (a lot of people/travel)

Complete the sentences with although/in spite of/ because/because of :

(vii) I went home early _____ I was feeling unwell.

(viii) I couldn't get to sleep _____ the noise.

Use your own ideas to complete these sentences :

(ix) I fell asleep during _____.

(x) It started to rain while _____.

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SECTION—B

3. ✓ What does the poem "Ah Are You Digging On My Grave" ? tell you about Hardy's view of human life and relationship ? 10

4. ✓ What is the theme of the poem "The Emperor Of Ice-cream" ? 10

SECTION—C

5. Find the words that are similar to the definitions below :

(i) remarkable

(ii) to copy

(iii) to force someone to accept something

(iv) energetic

(v) to stop an action

(vi) changing or developing slowly

(vii) most likely, most probably

(viii) the connection between living things and the environment

(ix) a very clear example, which is used as a model

(x) to go something go faster

1×10=10

6. Complete the sentences with the words given : acquisition, attain, distinctions, fundamental, utilize, approximate, conflicting, exposure, perceive, visual

(i) ✓ She listened to the teacher and tried to _____ his pronunciation.

(ii) _____ information is processed in both hemispheres of the brain.

(iii) There are _____ arguments about the best way to learn an additional language.

(iv) It is a common belief that _____ becomes easier with the third and fourth language, but scientists are not sure that this is true.

(v) Research has demonstrated that it is easier to _____ sounds in women's speech than in men's speech.

(vi) Language learning scholars _____ utilize advanced technology in their research.

(vii) _____ to print material in the home, such as books and newspapers, is an important predictor of a child's reading performance.

(viii) Some people with extraordinary abilities can _____ a high level of proficiency in a new language after a short period of study.

(ix) ✓ Speakers of English have difficulty hearing the _____ between tones in languages such as Chinese and Vietnamese.

(x) ✓ Reading is a skill that is _____ to success in modern life.

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SECTION—D

7. When does language learning begin ? How do babies begin the language acquisition process ? 10

8. What was the general problem that caused both deforestation and Aral region crisis ? 10