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B.Sc. (Hons.) Biotechnology
First Semester
BIOT-Sem-I-I-T: English
(Same for Bioinformatics)

Time allowed: 3 Hours**Max. Marks: 40****NOTE:** Attempt all questions.

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Section – A

- I. Attempt any four questions (in 50-60 words) selecting two from prose and two from drama.

(a) Prose Section:-

1. What reason did the king give for installing the judgment seat in his hall of audience ? Why didn't the stone angels allow him to sit on it ?
2. Everywhere there was spring, but only the Giant's garden still had winter-why?
3. How did the story teller ultimately get rid of the engine ?

(b) Drama Section:-

1. Trace the devices employed by the ragged man to convert the duty bound sergeant into an accomplice?
2. What purpose is served by introducing Corporal Gregory Brewster late in the play?
3. What impression do you get of the Sergeants character from the 'play'? How far is he justified in letting the runaway prisoner escape? (10)

- II. Attempt any two questions (in 100-150 words) selecting one from prose and one from drama.

(a) Prose section:--

1. How did Uncle Podgu make his second attempt at hanging a picture on the wall ?
2. Comment upon the title of Oscar Wilde's story " The Selfish Giant"

(b) Drama Section:-

1. Write a note on the theme of the play Waterloo.
2. Write the character sketch of the Sergeant based on your reading of the play ' The Rising of the Moon' (5)

- III. Match the words in Column A to their meaning in Column B

Column A

- 1) Cornish Ogre
- 2) Reverberation
- 3) Plaid
- 4) Bracey
- 5) Effects

Column B

- a) a long piece of woolen cloth
- b) a suburb of London
- c) echo
- d) a man eating giant
- e) Tobacco

(5)

(2)

SECTION - B

- IV. Write a letter to your father requesting him to increase your monthly allowance.

OR

Imagine you are Suresh. Write a letter to the Editor of a Newspaper complaining against rising prices. (5)

- V. a) Draft an office memo to the officer manager informing him of the purchase of computer.

OR

Invite tenders for electrical equipments required by Maharashtra State Electronics Development Corporation Ltd. Vashi Mumbai.

- b) Draft an auction notice by Northern Railway for disposal of scrap.

OR

Draft a public notice for calling the meeting of board of Directors. (2x5)

- VI. Define Communications State the process to be followed for effective communication.

OR

Explain in brief various barriers to effective business communication. (5)

X-X-X