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# SECOND SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2021

(CBCSS - UG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

# CC19U FEN2 B02 - ADVANCED ENGLISH GRAMMAR

(Functional English - Core Course) (2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2.5 Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks Credit: 4

**Part A** (Short answer questions)

Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. Differentiate between collective and material noun. Give an example.
- 2. Identify the verb phrase and pick out all verbs and state what kind of verbs they are?a) The work should have been finished by 30 January.b) We all laughed
  - b) We all laughed.
- Fill in the blanks with the correct tense forms of the verbs given in brackets.\Mr. Rasheed has no house of his own and he ..... (want) to build one. Last Month he ...... (buy) a small plot. The construction of the house .... (not start) yet. He ..... (begin) the work next week.
- 4. Fill in the blanks with the correct tense forms of the verbs given in brackets.Yesterday my friend ..... (say) that he .... (will) visit Mysore during Dasara Holidays.He .... (invite) me to accompany him. I told him that I .... (visit) Mysore a year ago.
- Correct the following sentences, wherever necessary.
  Learning the French will cost me twenty rupees the hour
- Turn the given sentence to direct speech The doctor said to the patient, "stop smoking."
- 7. Change the Voice.a) Invite him to the meeting.b) Do not inform the relatives at once.
- Change into other Degrees of Comparison
  Darjeeling is the most beautiful place I have seen
- 9. Correct the following sentences if require:
  - a) Neither Ram nor Rahim have passed the exams.
  - b) Balbier is one of the players who has been selected to the state team.
- 10. Define Adverb clause of manner with an example.
- 11. What do you mean by preposition of place? Give an example.
- 12. Use the given correlative conjunctions in sentences.

a) So... as

b) No sooner... than

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- 13. Write two examples of coordinating conjunction that expresses opposition or contrast between two statements.
- 14. Write two examples of subordinating conjunction introducing adverb clause of Time.
- 15. Correct the following sentences:
  - a) The police searched in the house for the thief.
  - b) We look forward to listen to you.

# (Ceiling: 25 Marks)

# Part B (Paragraph questions)

# Answer *all* questions. Each question carries 5 marks.

- 16. Semi modal auxiliary verbs
- 17. What is a pronoun? Draw the table showing the forms of Personal Pronouns in different cases.
- 18. What do you mean by Tense in English Grammar? Write with examples the major uses of Past Continuous Tense in English.
- 19. Major uses of indefinite article "an"
- 20. What do you mean by Zero article? Explain it with examples.
- 21. Explain Subject and predicate with examples. And also write a note on complements.
- 22. Choose the proper verb form from the bracket and complete the sentence.
  - a) Either answer (is, are) acceptable.
  - b) Every one of those books (is, are) fiction.
  - c) Nobody (know, knows) the trouble I've seen.
  - d) (Is, Are) the news on at five or six?
  - e) Mathematics (is, are) John's favourite subject, while Civics (is, are) Andrea's favourite subject.
- 23. Kinds of conditionals in English.

### (Ceiling: 35 Marks)

# Part C (Essay questions)

Answer any two questions. Each question carries 10 marks.

- 24. Discuss in detail the Parts of speech in English Grammar. Explain each component with examples.
- 25. What do you mean by Tense in English Grammar? Elaborate the uses of Present tense in English.
- 26. What do you mean by an Article? Explain the uses of definite article.
- 27. Adjectives.

#### $(2 \times 10 = 20 \text{ Marks})$

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