

C.U.SHAH UNIVERSITY

Winter Examination-2020

Subject Name: Compulsory English

Subject Code: 4AH01COE2

Branch: B.A. (All)

Semester: 1

Date: 08/03/2021

Time: 03:00 To 06:00

Marks: 70

Instructions:

- (1) Use of Programmable calculator & any other electronic instrument is prohibited.
 - (2) Instructions written on main answer book are strictly to be obeyed.
 - (3) Draw neat diagrams and figures (if necessary) at right places.
 - (4) Assume suitable data if needed.
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Q-1 (A) Each of the following questions has four options. Choose the most appropriate options from the given and write answer of it. (10)

1. _____ university in which my friend studies is C. U. Shah University.
a) the b) a c) an d) No Article
2. She _____ just _____ out.
a) Had, gone b) is gone c) went d) has, gone
3. *Honesty* is _____ noun.
a) Proper b) abstract c) Collective d) Common
4. My younger sister presented him a nice gift. Identify the parts of speech of underlined word.
a) Verb b) adjective c) adverb d) preposition
5. _____ she write a poem every Sunday?
a) Do b) Does c) Is d) Has
6. Which of the following is a synonym for the word 'delicate'?
a) gentle b) Easy c) disappear d) rigid
7. When he _____ to my office, the manager _____ the Hindi News.
a) Enter, is watching b) entered, was watching
c) enters, was watching d) entered, is watching
8. Pahom wanted to buy _____ land from that land lady.
a) 10 acre b) 100 acre c) 40 acre d) 50 acre
9. _____ cow is _____ useful animal.
a) NA, a b) The, a c) the, an d) NA, an



10. To describe the actions which has recently stopped or just stopped, we use _____ tense.
- a) Present Perfect Continuous b) Simple Past Tense
c) Present Perfect Simple d) Past Perfect Tense

Q-1 (B) Match the Column 'A' (Name of the Story/Poem) appropriately with Column 'B' (It's Author). (04)

Column 'A' (Name of the Story/Poem)	-	Column 'B' (Its Author)
1) Sonnet 9	-	a) William Blake
2) A Red Red Rose	-	b) Leo Tolstoy
3) A Poison Tree	-	c) John Galsworthy
4) How Much Land Does a Man Need?	-	d) William Shakespeare
	-	e) Robert Burns

Attempt any four questions from Q-2 to Q-8

Q-2 (A) Insert the article (A, An or The) where ever needed. Write 'NO article' where applicable. (10)

- 1) I saw _____ eagle yesterday morning.
- 2) My father brought _____ apples for my brother.
- 3) _____ *Mahabharata* is _____ holy book for Hindus.
- 4) Our Principal is going to visit _____ Himalayas next week.
- 5) Have you ever visited _____ U. K. during summer vacation?
- 6) This is _____ same pencil I had brought for you yesterday.
- 7) He is studying in _____ University of Norway.
- 8) Do you like _____ ice-cream much?
- 9) _____ Tiger is _____ useful animal.
- 10) _____ Gujaratis are known for their food across the nation.

Q-2 (B) Write synonyms for the following: (04)

- i) Wages – _____ iii) Delicate - _____
ii) Pen-name - _____ iv) Silly - _____

Q-3 (A) Identify the parts of speech of the underlined words and write name of it. (07)

- 1) I like reading books and taking the dog for a walk.
- 2) Wow! I never thought your team would win!



- 3) I have never seen such a wonderful movie.
- 4) See, pupils are reciting Sanskrit stanzas marvelously.
- 5) Sachin's life-story is very interesting.
- 6) Economics is the most difficult subject to understand.
- 7) My sister is knitting socks for my younger brother.

Q-3 (B) Give One Word Substitute for the following: (07)

- 1) A place where a very few people live
- 2) A person who is extra ordinarily intelligent
- 3) The person whose wife is dead
- 4) A person who loves mankind
- 5) A person is someone who speaks two languages
- 6) One who is all powerful
- 7) A Government by the people

Q-4 (A) How and with what objects the poet compare his love in the poem *A Red, Red Rose*? (07)

Q-4 (B) Give Antonyms: (07)

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| i) Fresh x | ii) Happy x | iii) Angry x | iv) Innocent x |
| v) Day x | vi) Slowly x | vii) Tall x | |

Q-5 (A) Discuss the plot of the story *The Lost Child*. (06)

Q-5 (B) Define the following terms: (08)

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| i) Adverb | ii) Interjection | iii) Adjective | iv) Collective Noun |
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Q- 6 (A) Explain the central idea of the poem *Sonnet 9* written by William Shakespeare. (07)

Q-6 (B) Using an appropriate tense, write a paragraph in about 50 words on *What did you do Yesterday?* (07)

Q -7 (A) What moral lesson did you learn from the story '*How Much Land Does a Man Need*'? (07)

**Q-7 (B) Construct a good paragraph using appropriate tense *My Favourite teacher is.....* ' (07)
(Write in appx. 75 words)**



Q-8 (A) Fill in the blanks using appropriate form of the verb given into brackets:

(10)

- i) The servant _____ my bedroom last week. (clean)
- ii) Dad _____ my bicycle tire every time it pops. (fix)
- iii) If we work together, we _____ the cricket match. (win)
- iv) Mom and I _____ Pasta with green sauce yesterday. (eat)
- v) I _____ three cups of coffee this morning. (drink)
- vi) When you _____ at my home, my sister _____ an old movie song. (come, sing)
- vii) We _____ at Mumbai on 23rd of this month. (arrive)
- viii) Aryan _____ a cake for his mother's next birthday. (bake)
- ix) See, the pupils _____ too much in the class. (talk)
- x) Three days ago, he _____ to shopping mall to buy grocery. (go)

Q-8 (B) Read the following paragraph and answer the questions given below it:

(04)

Last summer, we decided to spend our vacation at the beach because the weather was very hot on mountains. The travel agent said that traveling by bus was the cheapest way, but we went by plane because it was faster. We wanted to have more time to spend at the beach. The weather was beautiful and we had a great time.

Questions:

- 1) We decided to go to the beach because _____.
 - a) It was cheaper than going to the mountains.
 - b) The travel agent said that it was the cheapest.
 - c) Of the hot weather on the mountains.
 - d) We wanted to spend time on the beach.
- 2) The bus was the _____ way to travel.
 - a) Best
 - b) easiest
 - c) cheapest
 - d) slowest
- 3) Travelling by plane was _____ than by bus.
 - a) More fun
 - b) cheaper
 - c) expensive
 - d) faster
- 4) We _____ our vacation.
 - a) Hated
 - b) didn't like
 - c) enjoyed
 - d) regretted

