

## **AE-553**

**B.B.A. (Part - II)**  
**Term End Examination, 2016-17**

### **FOUNDATION COURSE**

**Paper - II**

**English Language**

*Time : Three Hours] [Maximum Marks : 75*  
*[Minimum Pass Marks : 26*

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**Note** : Answer **all** questions. The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

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#### **Unit-I**

1. Answer any **five** of the following questions in about 100 words each :  $3 \times 5$ 
  - (a) Why was Hardy bored ?
  - (b) Describe the difference in Hardy's and Ramanujan's scientific characters.
  - (c) Write a summary of the poem 'To Science'.

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- (d) What does Varahmihira say about solar and human eclipses ?
- (e) How can you say that a plastic surgeon is a sculptor ?
- (f) What roles do satellites play in communication ?
- (g) Describe the features that are common between plants and animals.

### **Unit-II**

2. (a) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below :

Youth is the another name for vigour and vitality. The old might be experienced and mature but they lack dynamism. History is witness the, that all movements and programmes of national importance anywhere in the world have heavily banked upon youth power. Indian National Movement could gain momentum only when youth power was harness to it. China used to be slumbering giant Mao Tse Tung who motivated the youth and in a few years time the country turned into fully grown national pulsating with life. It is the youth of China who revolted against the autocratic forces in Chinese Government and demanded decentralisation of power in the country.

(3)

**Questions :**  $2 \times 5$

(i) What do the old lack ?

(ii) For what, history is a witness ?

(iii) What happened when Mao Tse Tung motivated the youth of China ?

(iv) When could Indian National Movement gain momentum ?

(v) Give a suitable title to the above passage.

(b) Give the Synonyms of any *five* of the following words: 5

Vigour, Dynamism, Momentum, Motivated, Movements, Bank up

(c) Give the Antonyms of any *five* of the following words: 5

Experienced, Witness, Heavily, Youth, Demand, Giant

**Unit-III**

3. Write a report on any **one** of the following topics : 10

(a) A Road Accident

(b) A Trade Fair

(c) An N.C.C. Camp

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### Unit-IV

4. Expand any **one** of the following topics : 10

- (a) 'A friend in need is a friend indeed'
- (b) 'Honesty is the best Policy'
- (c) 'Necessity is the mother of invention'

### Unit-V

5. Do as directed any **ten** of the following :  $2 \times 10$

Fill in the blanks with the suitable one given in the brackets :

- (i) Coffee is ..... drink. (an/a)
- (ii) He is ..... honest man. (a/an)
- (iii) Will you have ..... more tea. (some/any)
- (iv) I have ..... more work for you. (some/any)
- (v) I am ..... tired. (too/very)
- (vi) He woun't come ..... you call him. (if/unless)
- (vii) They ..... gladly accept the offer. (must/will)
- (viii) They paid me ..... one rupee note. (a/an)
- (ix) He came here ..... car. (by/with)
- (x) He told me ..... story. (a/an)
- (xi) I did it ..... . (myself/myselfes)
- (xii) This is ..... boy who met me. (a/the)
- (xiii) She ..... living here for two years. (is/has been)