## Scheme - I

# **Sample Question Paper**

Program Name: All Branches of Diploma in Engineering and Technology.

Program Code: CE/CR/CS/CH/PS/CM/CO/IF/CW/DE/EJ/EN/EQ/ET/EX/IE/MU/EE/EP

/EU/IS/IC/AE/FG/ME/PG/PT/DC/TX/TC

Semester : First
Subject Title : English

22101

Marks : 70 Time: 3 Hours

### **Instructions:**

1. All Questions are Compulsory.

- 2. Answer each Main Question on a new page.
- 3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.

4. Mobile Phone or any other Electronic Communication devices are not permissible in Examination Hall.

## Q.1 Attempt any FIVE of the following:

10 Marks

- a) Sumit was <u>an</u> only doctor in <u>a</u> village. (**Rewrite the sentence using the correct article in place of the underlined article.)**
- b) An higher you climb a colder it gets. (Rewrite the sentence using the correct article in place of the underlined article.)
- c) Mr. Srivastava received a letter <u>to</u> his daughter who had been living in Chennai <u>from</u> many years. (Rewrite the sentence using the correct prepositions in place of the underlined prepositions.)
- d) Dr. Kalam was though a scientist and author of many famous books. (Rewrite the sentence using the correct conjunctions in place of the underlined conjunctions.)
- e) We (go) shopping last weekend. There (be) a great crowd at the shopping center. (Rewrite the sentence using the correct form of the verbs in the bracket.
- f) As soon as I (hear) the noise, I immediately (go) there. (Rewrite the sentence using the correct form of the verbs in the bracket.)
- a) What a wonderful city this is! (Change into Assertive.)

# Q.2 Attempt any THREE of the following:

12 Marks

- a) Describe the hardships in Shiva's life that made him a strong human being.
- b) Explain the concept of leadership according to JRD Tata.
- c) 'Gurmeet Singh is a good Samaritan.' Justify the statement.

d) State any four health hazards of improper disposal of Electronic waste.

## Q.3 Attempt any THREE of the following:

12 Marks

- a) Develop a dialogue between mother and daughter about excessive use of cell phone. (8-10 dialogues)
- b) Develop a dialogue between a shopkeeper and customer regarding prices of goods. (8-10 dialogues)
- c) Write a paragraph on 'My Childhood Memories'. (75 words)
- d) Write a paragraph on 'An Electronic Device'. (75 words)

# Q.4 Attempt any THREE of the following:

12 Marks

- a) Make sentences using the following collocations:
  - i. Save money
  - ii. Keep an appointment
  - iii. Come prepared
  - iv. Go online
- b) Replace the underlined words with correct word and rewrite the sentences.
  - i. They had <u>morning</u> in their house at the death of their mother.
  - ii. We salute our army personal.
  - iii. No deserts were served after the dinner.
  - iv. I do not know weather my dad will come or not.
- c) Write the meanings of following idioms and make sentences of your own:
  - i. Apple of one's eye
  - ii. At the eleventh hour
- d) Choose the correctly spelt word from the following:
  - i. childs, children, childrens
  - ii. mesage, message, massage
  - iii. strength, strenhtg, strenghht.
  - iv. metting, meeting, meting
- e) Change the voice:
  - i. Hair was cut by the barber.
  - ii. I rejected the supply of defective fans.

- iii. They are repairing the building.
- iv. Grammar is taught to us by the teacher.

# Q.5 A) Attempt any TWO of the following:

08 Marks

- i. Draft a welcome speech for the Annual Day function in your institute.
- ii. Draft a speech for introducing the chief guest for a Technical Event organized in your institute.
- iii. Propose a vote of thanks for the workshop organized on 'Effective Study Techniques' for the first year students.

## B) Change into indirect speech:

04 Marks

- i. Sarita said to Gagan, "Will you give me your pen?"
- ii. The principal said to the students, "Do not make noise."

# Q.6 Attempt any TWO of the following:

12 Marks

A) Describe Arunima's experiences on her way to Mt. Everest.

#### B) Read the following passage and answer the given questions:

Most of us take life for granted. We know that one day we must die, but usually we picture that one day as far in the future. When we are in buoyant health, death is all but unimaginable. We seldom think of it. So we go about our pretty task, hardly aware of our listless attitude towards life. The same lethargy, I am afraid, characterizes the use of all our faculties and senses. Only the deaf appreciate hearing, only the blind realize the manifold blessing that lie in sight. This observation apply to those who have never suffered impairment of sight or hearing. They seldom make the fullest use of these blessed faculties. Their eyes and ears take in all sights and sounds hazily, without concentration, and with little appreciation. It is the same old story of not being grateful for what we have until we lose it, of not being conscious of health until we are ill. I have often thought it would be a blessing if each human being were stricken blind and deaf for a few days at some time during his early adult life. Darkness would make him more appreciative of sight; silence would teach him the joys of sound.

#### **Ouestions:**

i. In which state, death is unimaginable?

[1 mark]

ii. Only those who lack some faculty or sense appreciate them. Explain [1 mark]
iii. Explain the behavior of people who are blessed with all senses behave? [2 marks]
iv. 'Most' of us take life for granted. Justify writer's statement? [2 marks]

# C) Attempt the following:

- i. State the work Shiva's father, mother and sister did to pull the family through difficult times.
- ii. Name the entrepreneurs developed under the guidance of JRD Tata.
- iii. Explain the importance of proper disposal of electronic waste.

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# Q.1 Replace the underlined words with correct article/conjunction and rewrite the following sentences: 08 Marks

- a) A ambulance hit an beggar.
- b) An farmer is a noblest son of India.
- c) The sun has risen but  $\underline{a}$  moon can still be seen in  $\underline{a}$  sky.
- d) The management will decide neither to install this machine nor not.
- e) Ritu is not both tall and Deepa.
- f) No sooner you finish your work than leave the job.

#### **O.2** Attempt any THREE of the following:

12 Marks

# a) Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:

Character is destiny. Character is that on which the destiny of a nation is built. One cannot have a great nation with men of small character. We must have young men and women who look upon others as the living image of themselves as our Shastras have so often declared. But whether in public life or student life, we cannot reach great heights, if we are lacking in character. We cannot climb the mountain when the ground at our feet is crumbling. When the very basis of our structure is shaky how can we reach the heights we have set before ourselves? We must all have humility. Here is a country which we are all interested in building up for whatever service we take up, we should not care for what we receive. We should know how much we can put into that service. That should be the principle which should animate our young men and women. Ours is a great country, we have had for centuries a great history. The whole of the East reflects our culture.

| i.   | Explain the importance of character.                                     | [1 Mark] |
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| ii.  | Tell the ways of reaching the great heights we have set before ourselves | [1 mark] |
| iii. | State what kind of young men and women must we have                      | [1 mark] |

## b) Read the following passage and answer the questions given below:

We left Dehradun early in the morning and stopped by for breakfast at Mussouri. From Mussouri the picturesque road heads north to Yamuna bridge, then to Barkot (where one road branches to Gangotri). The road winds along the Yamuna river through luxurious dense green vegetation to Hanumanchatti, the end of motorable road. The remaining journey has to be undertaken on foot or pony. Yamunotri is only 13 km. from Hanumanchatti. But it is better to proceed another 6 km. and have the night halt at Janakibaichatti. The journey to Yamunotri is simply breathtaking. High snowcovered peaks all around, glaciers, streams and waterfalls, vibrant green foliage, and the pristine air are a sheer delight to tired city lungs. Yamunotri, 3322 metres above sea level, is located on the western bank of the great peak of Banderpunch (meaning - monkey's tail) which is 6315 metres high.

- 1. Name the place travellers used to stop for breakfast? [1marks]
- 2. Explain the reason, the journey to Yamunotri to be undertaken on foot? [1mark]
- 3. State the reason, the journey to Yamunotri is breathtaking? [2 marks]

#### c) Replace the underlined word with correct preposition and rewrite following sentences:

- i. This machine has not been in use <u>from</u> 2016.
- ii. The factories in Pune remain closed for Thursdays.
- iii. I shall send you this CD latest on 10 February.
- iv. What are you looking <u>for so fixedly?</u>

### d) Replace the underlined words with correct preposition and rewrite following sentences:

Mr. Srivastava received a letter <u>to</u> his daughter who had been living in Chennai <u>from</u> many years. Now she was coming home <u>through</u> air from Chennai. Everybody except Mrs. Srivastava was standing outside to receive their daughter. The girl had brought many presents for her brother, mother and father. The family kept on chatting <u>since</u> midnight and went to bed very late.x