

FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

Second Semester BA/BSc/BCOM/BBA/BAMC Degree Examination, March/April 2021

**BEN2A03- Writing for the Academic and Professional Success**

(2020 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks: 80

**I. All questions can be answered. (Each question carries two marks)**

1. What is a proposal?
2. What does the word 'case' in case study refer to?
3. Write three key features of 'expository approach'.
4. Explain 'blind peer reviewing'.
5. What is the purpose of honour code?
6. Punctuate the given sentence.  
If you want to be healthy in life do this get up early work hard lead a natural life
7. What is a 'thesis'?
8. What are the major processes preceding the submission of an academic assignment?
9. Bring out the purpose of 'concluding' paragraph.
10. Comment on two effective pre-writing activities.
11. What does 'directional process analysis signify'?
12. Give four transition words or phrases used for signalling 'cause-and-effect'.
13. List four categories of words to be avoided in Academic Writing.
14. Correct the fragments and make them meaningful sentences.
  - a) The group of tourists decided to have lunch in the village. The van needed repairs.
  - b) The biker was blinded by the fog. The bike rammed into a tree.
15. Correct parallelism related mistakes in the following sentences.
  - a) John was interested in reading novels, visiting ruins and he collects stamps.
  - b) Hari plays music, is fond of watching films and is interested in gardening

**(ceiling 25 marks)**

**II. Write a paragraph of about 100 words on the following questions:**

**(Each question carries five marks)**

16. Briefly discuss the steps in planning an essay.
17. Write a brief review of a book you have read recently.
18. Correct the following sentences.
  - a) Each and every student need to be regular in the class.
  - b) The committee is consisting of three members.
  - c) I am very sorry I can't come to your leaving party last night.
  - d) I have passed SSLC examination in 2016.
  - e) The officer as well as the driver were injured in the accident.
19. What are the elements of email- etiquette?
20. Write a paragraph on diversifying sentences in academic writing
21. Briefly discuss the features of argumentative writing.
22. Write a process analysis paragraph on 'making an omelette'.
23. Explain the procedure for summarising.

**(Ceiling 35)**

**III. Write essays on any two of the following questions in about 250 words each:**

**(Each question carries ten marks)**

24. Attempt a descriptive essay on any one of the following.
  - a) A place or object of the past that evokes nostalgia.
  - b) A character in a book
  - c) A flood scene you have witnessed
25. Prepare a cover letter and CV to apply for the post of purchase officer in a corporate Company.
26. Write a report to the manager of the company recommending him to buy a good mobile Phone available in the market.
27. What is the format of an email? Write an email to your friend living abroad to help y Job there.

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**BEN2A04- Zeitgeist – Readings on Contemporary Culture**

(2020 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks: 80

**I. Answer the following in two or three sentences.**

**(2 marks each)**

1. Comment on the last line of the poem "Refugee Blues".
2. What is the symbolic significance of the asylum in Saadat Hasan Manto's "Toba Tek Singh"?
3. What does Chief Seattle want the white man to teach his children?
4. Define the term 'socialist'. When was it added to the preamble of the Indian Constitution?
5. Why did Reuven decide to sell Zlatch, the goat.?
6. According to Adrienne Rich, what is the difference between receiving education and claiming education.?
7. What does the open window symbolize in "The Story of an Hour"?
8. "I was the mystery of an anatomy". Explain?
9. Comment on the title of the poem "On Killing a Tree"?
10. What is the meaning of the term "Amnesty"?
11. Define the word 'republic'.
12. Who is Masamai?
13. Why is human biochemistry compared to an air conditioning system?
14. According to Yuval Noah Harari what is the relationship between happiness and marriage.
15. What will happen to man if all beasts are gone?

**( Ceiling 25)**

**II. Answer the following in a paragraph of 100 words.**

**(5 marks each)**

16. Chief Seattle's views on beasts, flowers and rivers.
17. Madness in "Toba Tek Singh."
18. The politics of food in "The Outcaste."
19. According to Adrienne Rich, what is the devastating weakness of university learning?
20. Discuss Yuval Noah Harari's views on the work involved in raising a child.
21. "The Story of an Hour" as a criticism of gender roles.
22. Aaron's struggle for survival.
23. The use of irony in Gieve Patel's "On Killing a Tree."

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**III . Write an essay on any two of the following in 200 words.**

24. Discuss Adrienne Rich's views on education.
25. Analyse Chief Seattle's speech as a powerful plea to protect nature.
26. Discuss how Lee Mokobe's poem records the experiences of the transgender people.
27. Kate Chopin's treatment of marriage and family in "The Story of an Hour".

**(2x10=20 Marks)**

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**BEN2B01 – Appreciating Poetry**

(2020 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks: 80

**I. Answer the following questions in two or three sentences each: (2 marks each)**

1. "You don't really criticize any author to whom you have never surrendered yourself...Even just the **bewildering minute** counts." – Identify the figure of speech
2. What is a rubai?
3. Do not go gentle into that good night/ Rage, rage against the dying of the light - Explain
4. What is metaphysical poetry?
5. What is a heroic couplet? Give an example of a poem written in heroic couplet from the poems prescribed for your study?
6. Give two expressions from the poem 'Childhood' to suggest loneliness.
7. How is time portrayed in the poem 'Be Drunk.'
8. What is Tel Gath?
9. Discuss the significance of the title 'Without Title.'
10. Discuss the metaphor of climbing in 'Mother to Son.'
11. What is the advice Hikmet gives to his fellow prisoners?
12. 'Neruda rejects Platonic versions of love and grounds his experience of love in the body of his beloved.' Justify the above statement.
13. What is a villanelle? Give an example from the poems prescribed for you.
14. Why does Pope address man as 'presumptuous?'
15. How is metonymy different from synecdoche. Give examples.

(Ceiling 25 marks)

**II. Answer the following in a paragraph of 100 words: (5 marks each)**

16. Analyze the structure of the sonnet 'Shall I compare thee to a summer's day.'
17. Describe the metaphor of light in Milton's sonnet.
18. Use of similes in 'Ode to a Skylark.'
19. Discuss 'In Memory of W B Yeats' as an elegy.
20. 'The Layers' as a philosophical reflection on life.

21. 'I am Your Man' as a typical love poem.
22. What image of the river do you get from the poem 'Landscape of the Capib River?'
23. Attempt a critical appreciation of the poem given below by Emily Dickinson:

Success is counted sweetest  
By those who ne'er succeed.  
To comprehend a nectar  
Requires sorest need.

Not one of all the purple Host  
Who took the Flag today  
Can tell the definition  
So clear of Victory

As he defeated--dying--  
On whose forbidden ear  
The distant strains of triumph  
Burst agonized and clear!

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**III. Answer any two of the following in an essay of 300 words each :**

24. Justify the title of the poem 'La Belle Dame Sans Merci.'
25. The skylark as a metaphor for the poet himself.
26. Ikpi's 'Homeward' as a chronicle of the pangs of a Nigerian "who lost the reality of her nationality to the hands of a foreign land."
27. Discuss 'Stonemasons, My Father and Me' as a powerful indictment of a caste ridden society.

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FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE

Second Semester BA English Degree Examination, March/April 2021

**BHS2C03 – Social & Cultural History of Britain : History of Tudors & Stuarts**

(2020 Admission onwards)

Time: 1 ½ hours

Max. Marks: 40

**Section A**

*All questions may be answered. Each question carries 2 marks.*

1. Mercantilism
2. Renaissance Humanism
3. Sir Isaac Newton
4. Oliver Cromwell
5. Metaphysical Poetry
6. Jonathan Swift
7. Daniel Defoe

**(Ceiling: 10 Marks)**

**Section B**

*All questions may be answered. Each question carries 5 marks.*

8. Sketch the characteristics of Enlightened Monarchy.
9. Examine the causes of Reformation.
10. Write a note on Elizabethan Church settlement.
11. Write a note on the growth of royal absolutism in England.
12. Compare Elizabethan and Restoration Theater.

**(Ceiling: 20 Marks)**

**Section C**

*Answer any one of the question; each question carries 10 marks*

13. Bring out the history of English Renaissance.
14. Discuss the development of Puritan republican experiments after the Civil War.

**(Ceiling: 10 Marks)**

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 Second Semester BA English Degree Examination, March/April 2021  
**BJL2C06 – Radio & Television**  
 (2020 Admission onwards)

Time: 1 ½ hours

Max. Marks : 40

**Section A**

All questions may be answered. Each question carries 2 marks

1. Community Radio
2. Radio Talk
3. Phone in Programme
4. T.V news channels.
5. HD Television
6. Voice - over
7. Cable T.V

(Ceiling: 10marks)

**Section B**

All questions may be answered. Each question carries 5 marks

8. Write a note on the functionaries of a Radio Station
9. Discuss in detail on the type of Radio programmes.
10. Discuss the qualities of Radio Jockey.
11. Narrate on the structure of Television News
12. Discuss the basic principles to be followed in Television Interview.

(Ceiling: 20marks)

**Section C**

Answer any one of the following question

13. Discuss the basic principle of 'writing for Radio'
14. Elaborate the new trends in online Radio and Television.

(1 x10=10marks)