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FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE
Second Semester BA Degree Examination, March/April 2020
BFE2C02 – Cultural Studies : Perspectives in Culture
(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 1½ hours

Max. Marks: 40

SECTION A**Answer the following in two or three sentences each.****Each question carries two marks.****(all questions may be attempted)**

1. What is Representation?
2. Arbitrariness
3. Cultural intermediaries
4. Raymond Williams
5. Stereotype
6. Gynocriticism
7. Identity

(ceiling 10 marks)**SECTION B****Answer the following in a paragraph of 120 words each.****Each question carries five marks.****(all questions may be attempted.)**

8. Basic assumptions of Structuralism.
9. Identity is socially constructed. Explain.
10. Reception studies
11. Production and consumption of culture.
12. Gay and lesbian theory

(ceiling 20 marks)**SECTION C****Answer any one of the following in about 200 words:**

13. Language and discourse in Cultural studies.
14. Cultural studies is embedded in power relations.

(1x10=10marks)

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 Second Semester BA Degree Examination, March/April 2020
BFE2B02 – Advanced English Grammar
 (2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks: 80

Section A

Attempt the following in two or three sentences. Each question carries 2 marks.

I. Define the following with examples.

1. Reciprocal pronoun.
2. Collective noun.
3. Regular and Irregular verbs.
4. Declarative sentence.
5. Adverbs of quality.
6. Numeral adjectives.
7. Co ordinating Conjunctions.
8. Show the structure of the following sentences.
 - (a) The river flowed swiftly.
 - (b) Kavitha writes poems.

II. Use the correct tense forms of the following.

9. Ramesh ——— six languages fluently. (speak)
10. I ——— all the books to the library yesterday. (return)
11. When I —— to his house, he —— . (go, sleep)

III. Do as directed.

12. Sanjay plays cricket, ——? (add a suitable question tag)
13. They have discovered our plan. (Change into passive voice)
14. Raghu said, "I have read this novel". (Change into indirect speech)
15. One of my cousins have come to visit us. (Correct the sentence)

(Ceiling - 25 Marks)

Section B

Answer the following in about 100 words each. (Each question carries 5 marks)

16. Conditional clauses.
17. Use of modal auxiliaries.
18. Passive voice.
19. Types of nouns.
20. Question tags.
21. Use of Future tenses.
22. Adjectives.
23. Types of sentences.

(Ceiling 35 marks)

Section C.

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

24. Use of articles.
25. Parts of speech.
26. Tenses in English.
27. Auxiliary verbs.

(2 x 10 = 20 Marks)

FAROOK COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), KOZHIKODE
 Second Semester BA Degree Examination, March/April 2020
BEN2B01 – Appreciating Poetry
 (2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks: 80

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

1. The pen is mightier than the sword – Identify the figure of speech.
2. Comment on the significance of Neptune and sea horse in “My Last Duchess”.
3. Why is Shakespeare’s sonnet an inversion of the Petrarchan sonnet?
4. They also serve who only stand and wait - Explain
5. What is the dream that the knight sees in ‘La Belle Dame Sans Merci?’
6. Explain the allusion in the phrase ‘harmonious madness.’
7. “I am not who I was, though some principle of being abides” – Explain.
8. What is a metaphysical conceit?
9. “Love is so short, forgetting is so long” – Explain.
10. How does ‘Essay on Man’ perceive human weaknesses?
11. To whom is the poem ‘Without Title’ dedicated?
12. ‘I bought my children to the mound’ – What does mound signify?
13. How does Basseyy Ikpi describe the struggle between remembering and forgetting?
14. What is a ghazal? Name a few ghazal singers.
15. Comment on the expression ‘eternal summer’ in Shakespeare’s sonnet.

(Ceiling 25 marks)**II. Answer the following in a paragraph of 100 words: (5 marks each)**

16. How is Dylan Thomas’ treatment of death in ‘Do not go gentle into that good night’ different from the conventional ways of representing it?
17. The skylark as a metaphor for the poet.
18. ‘A Valediction Forbidding Mourning’ as an explication of spiritual love.
19. “In memory of W.B Yeats” as an elegy.
20. Discuss the theme of endurance in Hikmet’s poem.

21. What is the philosophy of life represented in 'Be Drunk?'
22. 'Anniversaries of War' fuses personal and collective history. How?
23. Attempt a critical appreciation of the given poem 'The Poet to his Beloved'
by W B Yeats

I BRING you with reverent hands
The books of my numberless dreams,
White woman that passion has worn
As the tide wears the dove-grey sands,
And with heart more old than the horn
That is brimmed from the pale fire of time:
White woman with numberless dreams,
I bring you my passionate rhyme.

(Ceiling 35 marks)

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

24. "My last Duchess" as a Dramatic monologue.
25. How does Auden integrate his musings on Yeats with that of poets and poetry in general?
26. How does 'Mother to Son' subvert the stereotypical notions regarding black women?
27. Symbolism of the dog in 'Landscape of the Capibaribe River.'

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BEN2A04- Zeitgeist – Readings on Contemporary Culture

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks: 80

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

1. Define the word 'secular'.
2. What happened to the Hindu lawyer in the asylum in Saadat Hasan Manto's "Toba Tek Singh"?
3. What does Chief Seattle want the white man to teach his children?
4. Comment on the last line of the poem "On Killing a Tree".
5. Why did Reuven decide to sell Zlatch, the goat?
6. What, according to Adrienne Rich, is 'responsibility to yourself'?
7. What does the open window symbolize in "The Story of an Hour"?
8. "I was more boy than girl, more Ken than Barbie". Explain?
9. Comment on the title of the poem "Refugee Blues"?
10. Who is the narrator of the story "Amnesty"?
1. Bhiwarabai wouldn't let Parshya go on the picnic. Why?
2. Who is Harya?
3. Why is human biochemistry compared to an air conditioning system?
4. Yuval Noah Harari says that happiness causes marriage. How?
5. What will happen to man if all beasts are gone?

(Ceiling 25 marks)

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

(5 marks each)

16. Chief Seattle's views on the cities of white men.
17. Images of colonialism in the poem "Freedom."
18. Discuss how food is presented in "The Outcaste."
19. According to Adrienne Rich, what is the importance of educating women?
20. The preamble as "the identity card of the Constitution."
21. According to Pearl S. Buck, "non violence is the only commonsense for human beings." Explain.
22. The special bond between Aaron and Zlateh.
23. Kate Chopin's treatment of marriage and family in "The Story of an Hour".

(Ceiling 35 marks)

III. Write essays on any two of the following in 200 words each .

24. Analyse how Chief Seattle's speech brings out the interdependence and interconnectedness of the living and then on-living.
25. Discuss how Lee Mokobe's poem captures the identity crisis imposed on the transgender people by the main stream culture.
26. Discuss Yuval Noah Harari's views on chemical happiness.
27. The theme of madness as portrayed in "Toba Tek Singh."

(2x10=20 marks)

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BEN2A03- Writing for the Academic and Professional Success

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 2 ½ hours

Max. Marks: 80

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

1. What are the popular documentation styles in academic writing?
2. Differentiate between 'em dash' and 'en dash'.
3. What is discourse marker?
4. Write three key features of 'persuasive approach'.
5. What are the different rhetorical modes in writing?
6. Bring out the function of 'introductory' paragraph.
7. What are the appropriate pronouns to be used in an academic work?
8. Revise the following wordy sentences.
 - a) The coat that Meera wore for the party was blue in colour.
 - b) I think, in my opinion, study of humanities is very essential for our times.
9. What is AWL?
10. Punctuate the following.

running a massive enterprise is a tricky business being a woman and being at the helm of such an empire makes the situation all the more difficult to handle says apoorva tandon the ceo of silkways Designers new delhi
1. What are the different types of reports?
2. Give four transition words or phrases used for signalling 'comparison and contrast'.
3. What does 'informational process analysis signify'?
4. Identify dependent and independent clauses in the following sentences:
 - a) The man who killed the snake was caught by the police.
 - b) You may go wherever you like.
5. Correct parallelism related mistakes in the following sentences:
 - a) John was interested in reading novels, visiting ruins and he collects stamps.
 - b) You can pass the examination only if you answer the questions quickly, clearly and with accuracy.

(Ceiling 25 marks)

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

(Each question carries five marks)

16. What are the major differences between academic and non-academic writings?
17. Briefly describe the guidelines for writing emails.
18. Write a brief review of a film you have watched recently.
19. What are the features of illustrative writing?
20. Write a process analysis paragraph on how to write an essay.
21. Explain the procedure for summarising.
22. Correct the following sentences.
 - a) Though nobody died, everybody were injured.
 - b) When I was young, I can lift this chair easily.
 - c) The minister along with the bodyguards have arrived.
 - d) Neither the serving bowl nor the plates goes on that shelf.
 - e) Where is my shorts?
23. Write a letter to the owner of your flat outlining a number of repairs that need to be done to your flat.

(Ceiling 35 marks)

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

(Each question carries ten marks)

24. Discuss the genres in academic writing and their distinctive uses.
25. Prepare a cover letter and a CV to apply for the post of a part-time tutor in a boarding school.
26. Write a five paragraph essay on any one of the following topics employing the rules and techniques of writing academic essay.
 - a) Cultural pluralism in the present Indian context.
 - b) Impact of social networking on college students.
 - c) Does freedom of speech include the right to use hate speech?
27. Write a blog on 'Impact of WhatsApp on family life'.

(2 x10 = 20 Marks)

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BJL2C06 – Radio & Television
(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: 1 ½ hours

Max. Marks : 40

Section A

All questions may be answered. Each question carries 2 marks

1. Radio Magazine
2. Signature Tune
3. DTH
4. Sound bite
5. HD Radio
6. Radio commentary
7. RJ

(Ceiling: 10marks)

Section B

All questions may be answered. Each question carries 5 marks

8. Write a note on online radio.
9. Differentiate between AM and FM
10. Discuss the characteristics of Radio Drama
11. Explain the different genres of Television Programmes.
12. Explain the qualities of a News anchor in Television

(Ceiling: 20marks)

Section C

Answer any one of the following question

13. Discuss the organizational structure of a Radio station
14. Write a short note on Broadcast news writing.

(1 x10=10marks)