

B.A. (CBCS Pattern) Semester - II  
**BA12B-14 - Communicative English (Optional)**

P. Pages : 3

Time : Two Hours



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Max. Marks : 50

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1. a) Answer **any one** of the following question. **4**
- i) What is stress timed rhythm in connected speech?  
ii) Write a note on word accent.
- b) Answer **any one** of the following question. **4**
- i) Write a note on Elision.  
ii) What is intonation and its function?
2. a) Answer **any one** of the following question. **4**
- i) Write a dialogue in about 10 to 15 sentences between husband and wife who are getting late for a party.  
ii) What do you want most in life? Write about two or three of your ambitions and how you are going to achieve them.
- b) Answer **any one** of the following questions. **4**
- i) Write a dialogue between a Nurse and visitor.  
ii) Write a paragraph describing what you have to do on the days your college is open.
3. a) Answer **any two** of the following. **6**
- i) Exemplify word accent in compound words.  
ii) Discuss accent shift in derivatives.  
iii) Write a note on weak forms.
- b) Answer **any two** of the following. **6**
- i) What is tonic syllable? Exemplify.  
ii) Discuss intonation pattern patterns and their meaning.  
iii) What is allophonic assimilation.
4. a) Fill in the blanks as directed **any three**. **3**
- i) I went ---- Savitri's home at four O' clock.  
(at, to, in)

- ii) They agreed with me -----  
(completely, rather, definitely)
- iii) He is ----- grumbling about his ill-luck  
(ever, always, sometimes)
- iv) Have you -----thought of standing for an Election yourself?  
(always, regularly, ever)
- b) Do as directed **any two**. 2
- i) We come in  
(can, may, might)
- ii) Sheila's husband ----- sometimes on his mind.  
(use right form of saw)
- iii) Will you ----- me a hundred rupees?  
(lend, barrow, do)
- iv) I use your phone  
(shall, can, do)
- c) Answer the following as directed **any two**. 3
- i) I'm glad I -----  
(must, need or needn't)
- ii) That's a good idea ----- we take any thing else.  
(Should, shall, have to)
- iii) 'Break the sticks one by one'.  
(Put into indirect speech)
- iv) We are ----- driving out fifty or sixty miles into the country every weak-end.  
(Used to, must, have to)
- v) You give me my coffee now? I'll be late to the office.  
(Will, want, would)
- d) Do as directed **any two**. 2
- i) The snakes ----- are found in India are some of the best known ones in the world.  
(Who, which, that)
- ii) We must avoid -----  
(Smoking, to smoke)
- iii) I ----- to go now, it is getting late  
(have, to, must)
- iv) They ----- a birthday party for their son Rohan tomorrow.  
(Has, Have, are having)

5. a) Choose one of the objectives from the brackets for the following questions.

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- i) It ----- very heavily.  
(Is raining, rain, rains)
- ii) Did you ----- Pleasant Journey?  
(Has, have, had)
- iii) I had ----- fifty rupees from Nayar.  
(Borrowed, return, bought)
- iv) I ----- get my B.A. degree although I get ill two weeks before examination  
(Could, was able to)
- v) The president ----- agreed with the prime minister.  
(Entirely, fully)
- vi) Our daughter Shobha ----- merry next Wednesday.  
(Is going to, go to)

b) Rewrite the sentences using appropriate objectives from the bracket.

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- i) Soldiers ----- obey orders without question.  
(Must, have to)
- ii) All right, now I must run, ----- you get my jacket?  
(Will, want, would)
- iii) I'm going to see her tomorrow so you ----- stay for more than ten minutes.  
(Must, need, needn't)
- iv) You ----- send more money to your mother.  
(Should, Ought to used to)
- v) Don't fail ----- to the meeting.  
(To come, coming)
- vi) The man ----- saved England from Nazi onslaught was also one of the great English orators.  
(Who, that)

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