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B.Sc Non Medical (2018 & Onwards) (Sem.-1)

Subject Code : BSNM-107-18

Max. Marks : 50

1. SECTION-A is **COMPULSORY** consisting of **TEN** questions carrying **ONE** mark each.
2. SECTION-B contains **FIVE** questions carrying **FIVE** marks each and students have to attempt any **FOUR** questions.
3. SECTION-C contains **THREE** questions carrying **TEN** marks each and students have to attempt any **TWO** questions.

1. Follow the directions given above each sub section :

- A) a) Who wrote the poem “Fool and Flea”?
- b) Name the poet of “I Sit and Look Out”,
- c) Who wrote the story *Grief*?
- d) Who is the author of the short story *Dusk*?
- B) Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions :
- e) Though a playback singer, she is well versed classical music.
- f) We pine what is not there.
- C) Choose the correct nouns to make the sentence grammatically correct :
- g) Have you got all the informations/information?
- h) He doesn’t know how to give advice/advice.
- D) Fill in the blanks with the appropriate tense of the word given :
- i) Siddharth (take) coffee after dinner.
- j) We (not find) the solution of this problem on the internet.

SECTION-B

2. Discuss the use of personification by Emily Dickinson in her poem 'Apparently with no Surprise'.
3. Discuss the meaning and significance of the following stanza from Sarojini Naidu's poem "The Soul's Prayer".

'I, bending from my sevenfold height,

Will teach thee of my quickening grace,

Life is a prism of my light, And Death the shadow of My face.'

4. Describe the Doll's house in Katherine Mansfield The Doll's House and discuss its significance.
5. Punctuate the following :

That familiarity produces neglect has been long observed the effect of all external objects however great or splendid ceases with their novelty the courtier stands without emotion in the royal presence the rustic tramples under his foot the beauties of the spring with little attention to their colour or their fragrance and the inhabitant of the coast darts his eye upon the immense diffusion of water without awe wonder or terror.

6. In about 300 words describe one of the finest days in your life.

SECTION-C

7. Rabindranath Tagore has poignantly portrayed the relationships of friendship and heartbreak in his story The Kabuliwala. Elaborate the statement.
8. Discuss the theme and structure of Browning's Pippa's Song. Why is the poem considered to be Browning's distressing blunder?
9. Make a precise of the following paragraphs :
 - a) Among the manifold misfortunes that may befall humanity, the loss of health is one of the severest. All the joys which life can give cannot outweigh the sufferings of the sick. Give the sick man everything and leave him sufferings and he will feel that half the world is lost to him. Lay him on a soft silken couch; he will nevertheless be under the pressure of his suffering while the miserable beggar, blessed with health, sleeps sweetly on the hard ground. Spend his table with dainty meals and choice drinks, and

he will thrust back the hand that proffers them and every the poor man that thoroughly enjoys his dry crush Surround him with the pomp of kings, let his chair be a throne and his crutch a world saving scepter, he will look with contemptuous eye on marble, on gold and on purple and would deem himself happy, could he enjoy, even was it under a thatched roof, health of the meanest of his servants.

- b) Several times in the history of the world particular countries and cities or even small groups of people have attained a high degree of civilization. Yet none of these civilizations, important they were, have lasted and one of the reasons why they did not least was that they were confined to a very few people. They were like little oasis of civilization on deserts of barbarism. Now it is no good being civilized if everybody round about you is barbarous, or rather it is some good but it is very risky. For the barbarians are always liable to break in on you, and with their greater numbers and rude vigor scatter your civilization to the winds. Over and over again in history comparatively civilized people dwelling in cities have been conquered in this way by barbarians coming down from the hills and burning and killing and destroying whatever they found in the plains.

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