

S.P.M.Mv.Nandura (Rly)

Question Bank, 2019-20

Department of English

B.A.I Second Semester

- 1.What did Sudha Murthy write in her letter to JRD Tata? 03
- 2.Why did the narrator and Harris quarrel? 03
- 3.At what venues would Shaw lecture? 03
- 4.How does the man who is not smart win at life?03
- 5.Draw a character sketch of Sudha Murthy.05
- 6.Describe Sudha Murthy's encounters with JRD Tata.05
- 7.Describe how Harris and George packed the hampers.05
- 8.Trace the development of Shaw as a public speaker.05
- 9.Why does Kipling advise youth not to be smart?05
- 10.State the chief cause of fear in the speaker's mind.03
- 11.Why does the poet repeat the word remember?03
- 12.Who does He share sorrows with? 03
- 13.Summarize the poem Money Madness.10
- 14.Summarize the poem No Men Are Foreign.10
- 15.Summarize the poem On Another's Sorrow.10
- 16.Write a notice about conducting free medical camp for pregnant women and infants,05
- 17.Prepare an agenda and minutes about events and budget for annual literary festival.05

B.A.II Fourth Semester

- 1.According to Orwell what test do beggars fail?03
- 2.What prompts the author to write the letter.03
- 3.Who is Rafford Townsend?Why did Hartley dislike him?03

- 4.How did the narrator plan to pay the shopkeeper from the magic shop?03
- 5.What is Tagore’s definition of freedom?03
- 6.What is the poet lamenting?03
- 7.Give the gist of the poem Love in a Life.10
- 8.Describe the journey.What happens during the journey?03
- 9.Summarize the poem Where the mind is without fear.10
- 10.Summarize the poem A Lament.10
- 11.Summarize the poem Up-hill.10
- 12.Write a short note on the social position of beggars.10
- 13.What do we learn about life and character of William Hazlitt?10
- 14.Attempt a short character sketch of the shop keeper of the magic shop.10
- 15.Define simple,compound and complex sentences giving examples.05
- 16.Define assertive,interrogative,imperative and exclamatory sentences giving examples.05

B.A.III Sixth Semester

- 1.Describe the shoe shop in your own words.03
- 2.What happens to mr.Gessler in the end?Why does this situation come about?03
- 3.Give a brief character sketch of Miss Brill.03
- 4.Why was the narrator nervous?03
- 5.Describe the manager of the bank.03
- 6.Why did the author decide to open a bank account?03
- 7.What according to Socrates is the purpose of education?03
- 8.What is Socrates’ objective in talking to the villagers?03
- 9.Provide a character sketch of Mr.Gessler,the shoe maker.10
- 10.Describe the crowd in the park in your own words.10
- 11.Draw a character sketch of narrator in My Financial Career.10

12. Write a character sketch of the schoolmaster.10
13. Summarize Socrates' advice to the schoolmaster in your own words.10
14. What does the poet compare the song to and why?03
15. Give a gist of the poem The Solitary Reaper.10
16. What happens when your mind is tranquil?03
17. Give a gist of the poem Stay Calm.10
18. Write a newspaper report on Corona Virus.10
19. Write an essay on the topic The Value of Time Management.10

B.Com I

Second Semester

1. How can be a man great in his own place?08
2. Write an essay on Swami Vivekananda's lesson Each is Great in his own Place.08
3. How does Ratan serve the postmaster?08
4. Write in your own words the story The Postmaster.08
5. Throw light on the career of G.B.Shaw as a public speaker.08
6. In order to become a good speaker what Shaw had to do?08
7. What does Dr.B.R.Ambedkar say about prospects of democracy in India.08
8. Summarize the poem Success is counted sweetest.08
9. Summarize the poem Laugh and be merry.08
10. Give the gist of the poem The Impossible Dream.08
11. What is change the voice, write about its kinds giving formulas and examples.08
12. How many prepositions are there and which are they?08
13. Write a newspaper report on NSS camp.08

B.Com II Fourth Semester

1. How does Lucas explain the importance of Wednesday?

2. Why does the author consider Friday a friendly day?
3. Discuss the family background of Florence Nightingale.
4. What condition of the hospitals did Miss. Nightingale encounter?
5. How did Della manage to buy the Christmas present for Jim?
6. What does O. Henry tell us about the Magi?
7. Give the gist of the poem The Daffodils.
8. What does John Milton say to us in his poem On his Blindness.
9. Summarize Pope's poem Solitude.

B.Com III Sixth Semester

1. Who is Sundar Pichai and what is his background?
2. What is Pichai's former teacher's opinion of him?
3. Describe Mallika Srinivasan's relationship with her father.
4. What is the story behind Yunus's first loan?
5. Describe Grameen Bank's success.
6. Describe the objectives of the Right to Information Act.
7. Explain the historical background of Right to Information Act.
8. Summarize Shakespeare's poem All the World's a Stage.
9. Give a gist of the poem The duck and the kangaroo.
10. Bring out the central idea of Keats' poem To autumn.
11. Write a brief note on employability skills and advertising.

B.Sc.I Second Semester

1. What is courage according to the author?
2. What did the author learn from Indian women refugees?
3. Why is the food industry reluctant to use natural colours?
4. How can you check if the food you buy contains artificial dyes?

- 5.Explain why eating fresh home-made food is the healthiest option.
- 6.What were Mini's feelings when she first saw the Kabuliwallah?
- 7.How did the Kabuliwallah win Mini's confidence and friendship?
- 8.Describe the preparations for Mini's weddings.
- 9.What special possession did the kabuliwallah carry in his pocket?
- 10.Narrate in your own words the story The Eyes are not here.
- 11.Justify the title of the story My Lost Dollar.
- 12.Bring out the central idea of the poem A Psalm of Life.
- 13.Who is called the captain in the poem and what his contribution?
- 14.Summarize the poem Father Returning Home.
- 15.Critically appreciate the poem The World is Too much with Us.