

I B.Tech II Semester Supplementary Examinations, February 2013
ENGLISH - II

(Common to Civil Engineering, Electrical & Electronics Engineering,
Mechanical Engineering, Electronics & Communication Engineering,
Computer Science & Engineering, Electronics & Instrumentation
Engineering, Information Technology, Electronics & Computer Engineering,
Automobile Engineering, Mining and Petroleum Technology)

Time: 3 hours

Max Marks: 75

Answer any FIVE Questions
All Questions carry equal marks

1. (a) Write an e-mail message to your employer asking him to grant the sick leave for the period of your absence.
(b) Give the Synonyms of the following:
 - i. solemn
 - ii. redeem
 - iii. emulate
 - iv. unforeseen
 - v. compassion

[10+5]
2. (a) Expand the line into a paragraph.-' A man is social animal'
(b) Supply the quantifiers (some , any, a lot of, little, much)
 - i. Hurry up! There is _____ time left for the train to leave.
 - ii. There isn't _____ parking space in the apartment.
 - iii. There are _____ oranges on the table.
 - iv. Drink _____ water.
 - v. Are there _____ eggs in the basket?

[10+5]
3. (a) Write in 400-500 words an essay on the dowry system.
(b) Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions.
 - i. _____ it is a holiday, we have no time to relax.
 - ii. _____ did the thief robbed the house, _____ he _____killed the inhabitants.
 - iii. The fire quickly flared up _____spread across the entire street.
 - iv. Too much rain ---- too little is equally bad.
 - v. You can pay _____in cash _____- by a credit card.

[10+5]
4. (a) What are "life skills" and why are they called so?
(b) Correct the following sentences:
 - i. When have you come?
 - ii. Two hundred males attended the meeting.
 - iii. They have lost the way, isn't it?

- iv. Are you fond in pop music?
v. Neither side have scored any goal. [10+5]
5. (a) Develop a dialogue-You met your senior and you would like to know the details of student life in Australia.
(b) Write synonyms of the following:
i. contamination
ii. immunization
iii. eradication
iv. initiated
v. thatch
vi. flee
vii. disrupt
viii. sever
ix. devastation
x. epidemic [10+5]
6. (a) Submit a report to the Municipal Commissioner of your town in the authority of Asst Engineer , Roads and Buildings Dept about the bad state of Roads and Street lights in your town.
(b) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions:
i. She is fond——sweets.
ii. Get——the bus to reach the rescue camp.
iii. I was very sick —— the last month.
iv. The aeroplane is flying ——- the clouds.
v. The journalists went——the spot ——- a camera [10+5]
7. (a) Make a presentation with 5 to 6 slides on ‘Bio diversity’.
(b) Fill in the blanks with suitable articles:
(i)John is —-Italian.
(ii)Raja will be visiting—United States next year.
(iii)Carry —umbrella and also a raincoat.
(iv)We went to climb —Himalayas.
(v)I have never attended—university. [10+5]
8. (a) Write a letter to the area manager of DELL COMPUTERS, asking the firm to send your brochures to buy a computer, along with the items available and the price list.
(b) Match the following:
i. core (1)produce
ii. endowed (2)ever-changing
iii. generate (3)develop

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iv. dynamic (4)central
v. evolve (5)gifted

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1. (a) write an e-mail message to your friend that you will not be attending to the marriage of your classmate.
(b) Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions:
(i) she is weak, ———— she cannot walk.
(ii) ———— she worked hard, she could get good rank.
(iii) ———— she made a good effort, she failed in examination.
(iv) ———— he is poor, he is honest.
(v) he is ———— a poet, ———— a painter. [10+5]
2. (a) Visiting new places has turned to be a hobby for many, now-a-days. Plan an itinerary for a fortnightly visit and give the details of travel, accommodation etc.
(b) Fill in the blanks with much/many/few/little:
(i) She's lucky. She has ———— problems.
(ii) Did you take ———— photographs when you were on holiday?
(iii) The weather has been very dry recently. We have had ———— rain.
(iv) 'Do you know Rome?' 'No, I haven't been there for ———— years.
(v) This is a very modern city. There are ———— old buildings. [10+5]
3. (a) Write about the importance of Good health.
(b) Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions.
(i) Prasad is a good singer ———— a poor dancer.
(ii) The dictionary contains 3000 words — 100 pictures.
(iii) Did you come by bus — by train.
(iv) It began to rain, — I didn't go out.
(v) We started the party — my friend came home. [10+5]
4. (a) Expand the line into a paragraph 'Wisdom is better than education'.
(b) Correct the following sentences:
(i) He married with an Indian woman.
(ii) He accompanied with his friends.
(iii) He can be able to do this.
(iv) He know about the incident.
(v) We discussed on the matter. [10+5]

5. (a) Prepare a power point presentation on one of the following:
(i)organizing a cricket match
(ii)football
(iii)hockey or table tennis
- (b) Correct the following sentences:
(i) The principal and lecturer have attended the meeting.
(ii) I have two brother- in-laws.
(iii) He is my cousin brother
(iv)They have entered into my room.
(v) She has gone out few minutes ago [10+5]
6. (a) Explain to your father, how important it is to join N.S.S. Develop a dialogue.
- (b) Fill in the blanks with suitable Articles.
(i)——-APPSE conducts competitive examinations.
(ii) I met ——- European.
(iii) You should read———Vedas.
(iv)India is———great country.
(v)Both ——-chapters are important. [10+5]
7. (a) How effective is a Power Point Presentation? Prepare a PPT of about 6 to 8 slides highlighting your college.
- (b) Place exclamatory marks:
(i) Hush the baby is sleeping
(ii) That’s great you proved yourself well
(iii) Hurrah we won the match
(iv) She became very slim, I can’t believe
(v) Thank you that would be a great help [10+5]
8. (a) Write a letter to the municipal authorities requesting them to control the pigs that roam the streets and cause brain fever.
- (b) Match the following:
(i)Preliminary 1.awkward
(ii)Fashionable 2.get rid of
(iii)Dispose 3.stylish
(iv)Emulate 4.initial
(v)Clumsy 5.excel [10+5]

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1. (a) Write an e-mail message to your book seller asking him to send the books you ordered immediately. Enquire the reasons for the delay.
(b) Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions:
(i) Look——— you leap.
(ii) He writes slowly——— neatly.
(iii) He died——— his country.
(iv) Sushma ——- Reshma are sisters.
(v) Show me —— you can. [10+5]
2. (a) The invention of 'CELL-PHONE' a boon or bane? Develop a dialogue between two friends.
(b) Correct the following sentences:
(i) One of the mirrors are broken.
(ii) She sat between you and I.
(iii) He passed the examination because he works hard.
(iv) There is no place in the bus.
(v) He is suffering with Malaria. [10+5]
3. (a) Write an essay in about 400 words on "advantages and disadvantages of co-education".
(b) Give the synonyms of the following words and use the words (not synonyms) in sentences of your own.
(i) Courage
(ii) Monitor
(iii) Battered
(iv) Essential
(v) Stupendous [10+5]
4. (a) Corruption is prevalent in the society because people encourage it - Discuss.
(b) Correct the following sentences:
(i) They have played a game last week.
(ii) There are no less than twenty girls in the class.
(iii) The fact is know by me.

- (iv) No sooner I reached the place than he left.
(v) If only Nalini was here, we could start dinner. [10+5]
5. (a) What are the advantages of power point presentation? Give a PPT about the importance of your home town . Make at least 6 to 8 slides
(b) Fill in the blanks with suitable quantifiers: (somewhere, some, anything, much, many)
(i) Can you give me _____-advice?
(ii) There are _____apples in the fridge.
(iii) Your pen may be _____in the bag.
(iv) Would you like to eat _____?
(v) There is not _____- parking space in the ground floor. [10+5]
6. (a) Discuss the importance of communication skills.
(b) Correct the following sentences:
(i) This house is belonging to me.
(ii) The girl is standing besides her mother.
(iii) He is my cousin brother.
(iv) He returned back from US yesterday.
(v) He purchased lot of furnitures for his shop. [10+5]
7. (a) Expand the line into a paragraph. “Personal life is more important than profession”
(b) Rewrite as directed:
i. Knife (Note: Change into plural noun)
ii. She saw _____in the mirror. (Note: write an appropriate reflexive pronoun)
iii. She is not only kind but also generous. (Note: Identify the adjective(s) in the sentence.
iv. Comfortable (Note: Write the adverb form of the word)
v. Reading improves your speaking skill.(Note: Identify the gerund in the sentence.) [10+5]
8. (a) Discuss the importance of teamwork explaining the factors that are to be followed to be an effective and useful member of a team.
(b) Match the following on the left (a-e) with their opposites on the right (1-5)
(i) Modest 1. Unimpressive
(ii) Stupendous 2. Proud
(iii) Voluntary 3. Complexity
(iv) Simplicity 4. Join
(v) Sever 5. Unwilling [10+5]

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(b) Give the Antonyms of the following:
 - i. Traditional
 - ii. Interesting
 - iii. Destruction
 - iv. Reveal
 - v. Feeble

[10+5]
2. (a) Write about the importance of communication skills?
(b) Supply the quantifiers (a lot of, nothing, a few, some, any)
 - (i)———people are honest in the world.
 - (ii)There is———new in the news.
 - (iii)———food is wasted here.
 - (iv)Is there———thing in the box?
 - (v) Could you bring ———water, please?

[10+5]
3. (a) Develop a dialogue between a sales man who sells Laptops of seconds and a customer
(b) Fill in the blanks with suitable conjunctions.
 - (i)The cost of war is high, —that does not stop people from going to battle.
 - (ii)Enjoy the smell ——beauty of the rose.
 - (iii)They offered lunch —I didn't eat.
 - (iv) I went to the station ——the train had left the platform.
 - (v)Sita dropped the glass—it didn't break.

[10+5]
4. (a) Write about the importance of Sports
(b) Correct the following sentences.
 - (i)He has suffered from fever since four days.
 - (ii)He came by walk.
 - (iii)He brings mangoes, isn't it?
 - (iv)She has taken my pen yesterday.
 - (v)I am knowing several people here.

[10+5]

5. (a) What are the advantages of PPT? Describe your university making a PPT of about 6 to 8 slides
- (b) Fill in the blanks with correct prepositions:
- (i) His stories are full _____ humour.
- (ii) The cat sat _____ a wall.
- (iii) He is fond _____ tea.
- (iv) The river flows _____ the bridge.
- (v) He described _____ journey. [10+5]
6. (a) Submit a report to the Municipal Commissioner of your town in the authority of Asst Engineer , Roads and Buildings Dept about the bad state of Roads and Street lights in your town.
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- iv. The aeroplane is flying _____ the clouds.
- v. The journalists went _____ the spot _____ a camera [10+5]
7. (a) Write an essay on the importance of a friend in life.
- (b) Fill in the blanks with a, an, the :
- (i) Their car does 150 miles _____ hour.
- (ii) Where's _____ USB drive I lent you last week?
- (iii) Do you still live _____ same town?
- (iv) Is your mother working in _____ old office building?
- (v) Smitha's father works as _____ electrician. [10+5]
8. (a) Write a letter to the Electrical Department. Inform them that you applied for new electrical connection for your house, and so far you were not given any response.
- (b) Match the following on the left (i-v) with their synonyms on the right (1-5)
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|-----------------|---------------|
| (i) Egalitarian | 1. Bravery |
| (ii) Renounce | 2. Complexity |
| (iii) Cowardice | 3. Conflict |
| (iv) Simplicity | 4. Elitist |
| (v) Truce | 5. Acquire |
- [10+5]
