



LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034

U.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – GENERAL ENGLISH

THIRD SEMESTER – NOVEMBER 2022

UEL 3203 – GENERAL ENGLISH - BASIC - III

Date: 26-11-2022

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

SECTION A

1 Answer ALL the Questions.

(5x1= 5 marks)

a)	Punctuate the following: he was a fine-looking cop watchful, guarding the peace	K1	CO1
b)	Punctuate the sentence what is your name	K1	CO1
c)	<i>Spot the error and rectify the sentence.</i> This glass is full with water.	K1	CO1
d)	<i>Spot the error and rectify the sentence.</i> You are late in the meeting.	K1	CO1
e)	The two brothers look so.....that it is difficult to differentiate them (1. same 2. similar 3. identical 4. alike)	K1	CO1

2 State True or False.

(5x1= 5 marks)

a)	The police-man who handed over the letter to Bob was Jimmy	K1	CO1
b)	The Gettysburg Address was delivered as a commemoration to the dead soldiers.	K1	CO1
c)	Smiling does not have any impact on the human brain	K1	CO1
d)	The postmaster was expecting a letter from his daughter	K1	CO1
e)	The astrologer was an expert in Astrology	K1	CO1

3 Fill in the blanks.

(5x1= 5 marks)

a)	Jimmy decides to stay in.....to earn a living	K2	CO1
b)	Four score and seven years counts to.....years	K2	CO1
c)	Rishi Khanna states that “Smiling is.....”	K2	CO1
d)	Ali had been a clever.....	K2	CO1
e)	The astrologer had stabbed.....with a knife.	K2	CO1

4 Answer ALL the Questions

(5x1= 5 marks)

a)	Explain how a child increases its bonding with humans.	K2	CO1
b)	Describe the place where the astrologer carried on his business.	K2	CO1
c)	State why Ali was a familiar figure at the post office.	K2	CO1
d)	Comment on the agreement between Bob and Jimmy.	K2	CO1

e)	Explain what Lincoln meant by ‘unfinished work’	K2	CO1
Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words		(2 x 10 = 20 marks)	
5.	Illustrate the character of Jimmy Wells as portrayed by O. Henry.	K3	CO2
6.	Demonstrate how smiling impacts the brain.	K3	CO2
7.	Explain the circumstances that led Ali to give up hunting.	K3	CO2
8.	Comment on the astrologer’s knowledge of astrology in “The Astrologer’s Day”.	K3	CO2
SECTION C			
Answer any TWO of the following in 100 words		(2 x 10 = 20 marks)	
9.	Compare and contrast the character of Jimmy Wells and Bob with suitable references from the story “After Twenty Years” to support your view.	K4	CO3
10.	‘The darkness load that was inside the astrologer has disappeared’. Through this sentence, explain the significance of the title “An Astrologer’s Day”.	K4	CO3
11.	“Ali displays qualities of love and patience”. Illustrate the statement from the story <i>The Letter</i> by Dhumketu.	K4	CO3
12.	‘The Government of the people, by the people, for the people shall not perish from the earth’. Examine the statement with reference to “The Gettysburg Address” by Abraham Lincoln	K4	CO3
SECTION D			
Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words		(1 x 20 = 20 marks)	
13.	Analyze how O. Henry builds suspense and provides a twist in the story “After Twenty Years”.	K5	CO4
14.	Assess the astuteness and cleverness of the astrologer.	K5	CO4
SECTION E			
Answer any ONE of the following in 250 words		(1 x 20 = 20 marks)	
15.	Write about the indispensable role of friendship in one's life and describe your friend who has helped you a lot.	K6	CO5
16.	Draft a letter to Ali, the coachman imagining yourself as Miriam the daughter.	K6	CO5

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