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U.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – GENERAL ENGLISH

SECOND SEMESTER – APRIL 2024

UEL 2206 – GENERAL ENGLISH II (ADVANCED) VOC

Date: 08-04-2024

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 01:00 PM - 04:00 PM

SECTION A - K1 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions -

(10 x 1 = 10)

1. Match the following idioms with their meaning.

- a) break a leg - to fool someone
- b) keep an eye on - to behave in a relaxed manner
- c) let one's hair down - wishing someone good luck
- d) pull one's leg - slow to catch on
- e) thick in the head - to watch closely

2. Complete the following sentences for you.

- a) As soon as I get home today, I.....
- b) If I have any phone messages, I.....
- c) Before I go to bed tonight, I.....
- d) When I retire, I think I.....
- e) I might move house when.....

SECTION A - K2 (CO1)

Answer ALL the Questions
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3. Make these sentences negative.

- a) I often call my sister.
- b) Everyone in my family has a mobile phone.
- c) Miranda sent me a text.
- d) Both of my sisters like texting.
- e) All of my friends have got mobiles.

4. Write sentences with 'wish' for these situations.

- a) I have to study all evening.
- b) I'm sitting in a traffic jam.
- c) We have to get up early every day.
- d) I can't remember his phone number.
- e) We don't walk to the market.

SECTION B - K3 (CO2)

Answer any TWO of the following

(2 x 10 = 20)

5. Explain the following tweet:



Franco Ronconi  
@FrRonconi

...

15 year old amputee Grace receives her [#bionic](#) arm 🦾

Made possible by [@openbionics](#)

[#WearableTech](#) [#TechForGood](#) [#HealthTech](#)

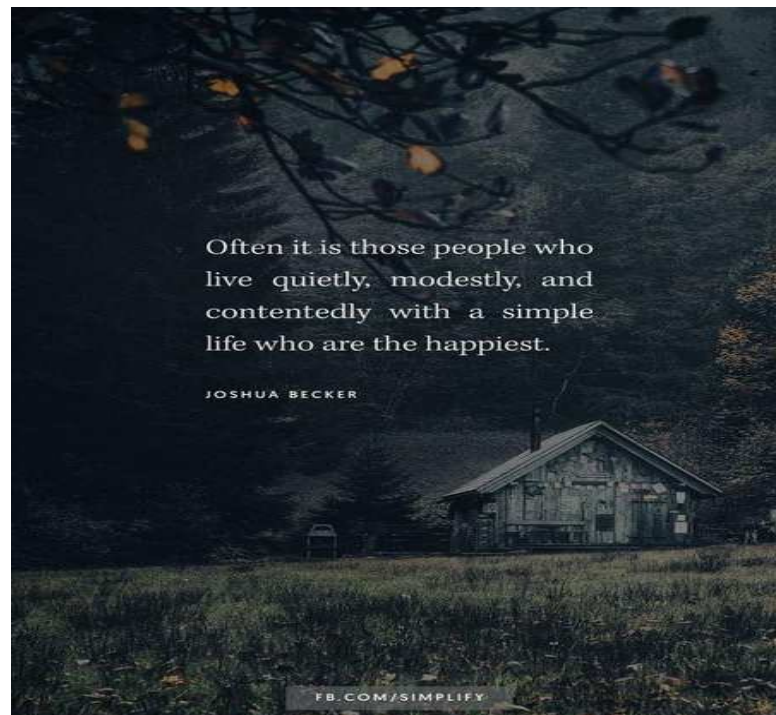
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[@RagusoSergio](#) [@AlbertoEMachado](#)



6. Examine the following image and write what you think about it:



7. Sketch the character of a person who you always look up to.

8. Explain why muting the phone is considered important, especially for young people today.

SECTION C – K4 (CO3)

Answer any TWO of the following **(2 x 10 = 20)**

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| 9. | Write a review of the BBC article titled 'The all-women crew fighting the Indonesia's peatland fires' dated 16 February 2024. |
| 10. | Analyze the BBC article titled 'Climate change: Polar bears face starvation threat as ice melts' dated 13 February 2024 and write a review. |
| 11. | Write a letter to your best school friend and invite him/her to participate in a conference being organized by your department. In your letter: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - say when and where the conference is organized. - explain what the theme of the conference is. - say how registration for the conference is to be done. |
| 12. | Write a letter to the Director of the Government Museum in Chennai and ask for permission to visit the museum. In your letter: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - mention the date and time of the visit - explain the purpose of the visit - ask for someone from the museum to accompany students during the visit |

SECTION D – K5 (CO4)	
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Answer any ONE of the following **(1 x 20 = 20)**

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| 13. | Justify why women's rights are human rights. |
| 14. | Evaluate if young people should NOT be given the freedom to make their own decisions and choices. |

SECTION E – K6 (C05)

Answer any ONE of the following (1 x 20 = 20)

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| 15. | It is seen that many children and young people are misled by what they read and watch on social media. What do you think are the reasons for it? What measures do you suggest to address this issue?
Write a five-paragraph essay. |
| 16. | Some think that globalisation is a boon while others think that it is a bane. Discuss both views and write your opinion in a five-paragraph essay. |

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