Progressive Education Society's

Modern College of Arts, Science & Commerce Ganeshkhind, Pune – 16 End Semester Examination: October-2024

Faculty: Humanities and Fine Arts

Program: **BA01** Semester: **V** SET: **A**

Program (Specific): BA Course Type: CC Class: TYBA Max Marks: 70
Name of the Course: Literature and Writing Skills Time: 3 Hrs.

Course Code: 24- A 3525 Paper:

Instructions to the candidates:

- 1) There are 4 sections in the question paper. Write each section on separate page.
- 2) All Sections are compulsory.
- 3) Figures to the right indicate full marks.
- 4) Draw a well labelled diagram wherever necessary.

Section A

Q1) A) Answer the following questions in one sentence each (6 out of 9)

- 1. Who is Ellen Niggle?
- 2. What is intelligence according to Krishnamurti?
- 3. How many years Aksionov lived as a convict in Siberia?
- 4. Which book did Aksionov buy when he was in prison?
- 5. What does living safely mean by Krishnamurti?
- 6. What time did Milly go to hotel for lunch with her friends?
- 7. Where was Aksionov sent and for how many years?
- 8. What is Sir James Drakmanton's vocation?
- 9. Who is the author of 'The function of Education'?

B) Attempt the following (Any 2 out of 3)

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- 1. Attempt a character Sketch of lady Drakmanton.
- **2.** How does Krishnamurti explore the restricted view of education in 'The Function of Education'?
- **3.** Attempt a character sketch of Aksionov.

Section B

Q2) A) Answer the following questions in one sentence each. (6 out of 9). [6]

- 1. What does the poem 'Neutral Tones' depict?
- 2. What is the untold truth according to the Speaker soldier in the poem 'Strange Meeting'?
- 3. Who is the poet of the poem 'Have you Got a Brook in Your Little Heart?
- 4. What about does Emily Dickinson warn in the last stanza of 'Have you got a Brook in your Little Heart'?
- 5. Why does the poet call the meeting as a strange meeting?
- 6. What stanza form is used in the poem 'Neutral Tones'?

- 7. What about does Emily Dickinson warn in the last stanza of 'Have You Got a Brook in Your Little Heart'?
- 8. Who is the poet of the poem 'Strange Meeting'?
- 9. Who is the poet of the poem 'Neutral Tones'?

B) Attempt the following (Any 2 out of 3)

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- 1. How does the poem 'Neutral Tones' reflect pessimism?
- 2. Discuss the symbolic significance of the Title 'Have you got a Brook in your Little Heart'.
- 3. How does Emily Dickinson convey the need of love and kindness in human life?

Section C

Q3) Attempt the following questions: (10 out of 12)

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- 1. What type of adverb is used in the sentence: "She sang beautifully"?
- 2. Identify the adverb in this sentence: "They will arrive tomorrow."
- 3. What type of adverb is used in the sentence: "He always works hard"?
- 4. Rewrite the sentence by using a participle: "She saw the snake and screamed."
- 5. Combine the following sentences using an infinitive: "He wants to be fit. He exercises daily."
- 6. Synthesize the following into one sentence using a participle: "She opened the book. She began to read."
- 7. Join these sentences using an adverbial: "He worked hard. He failed the test."
- 8. What type of sentence is this: "Take your umbrella with you."
- 9. Classify the following sentence: "Why are you late today?"
- 10. Identify the type of sentence: "She loves dancing."
- 11. Our soldiers fought bravely. (Identify the adverb and its type).
- 12. Puneet is clever. Puneet is kind. (Combine into a compound sentence)

Section D

Q4) Attempt any two of the following.

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- 1. Write a short paragraph on 'Use of social media by youth?
- 2. What are the steps involved in note making?
- 3. How thesaurus is useful in improving vocabulary?

Q5) Attempt any two of the following.

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- 1. Write a note on body language.
- 2. Discuss the role of the receiver of message in effective communication.
- 3. Imagine that you and your friend are talking on telephone about examination preparation. Write a short dialogue.