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2024/FYUG/EVEN/SEM/ ENGSEC-151T/118

FYUG Even Semester Exam., 2024

ENGLISH

(2nd Semester)

Course No.: ENGSEC-151T

(Creative Writing)

Full Marks: 50
Pass Marks: 20

Time: 2 hours

The figures in the margin indicate full marks for the questions

SECTION. A

Answer any fifteen of the following questions: $1 \times 15=15$

- 1. What do you mean by creative writing?
- 2. How can we measure creativity?
- 3. What is divergent thought?
- 4. Why are creative people compared with funatics'?

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- 5. What are tropes?
- 6. What is standard language?
- 7. Define jargon.
- 8. Define slang.
- **9.** What do you understand by poetical function of language?
- 10. What is rhyme?
- 11. What is creative non-fiction?
- 12. What is a Sonnet?
- 13. What is print media?
- 14. What are personal columns?
- 15. What is an editorial?
- 16. What do you understand by good journalism?
- 17. What do you do in the process of revising?
- 18. Define editing.
- 19. Define proofreading.
- 20. Mention any two publishing houses in India.

SECTION-B

Answer any five of the following questions: 2×5=10

- **21.** What role does inspiration play in the creative process?
- **22.** Why do authorities and power resist creativity?
- 23. Distinguish between simile and metaphor. Cite examples.
- **24.** Distinguish between denotation and connotation. Cite examples.
- 25. Bring out the difference between prose and poetry.
- **26.** Distinguish between prototypical and stereotypical characters.
- 27. State briefly the language of TV news.
- 28. Bring out the purpose of advertisements.
- 29. Distinguish between copy editing and general editing.
- **30.** Differentiate between an expert and a novice writer.

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SECTION-C

Answer any five of the following questions: 5×5=25

- 31. How is imagination central to the concept of creative writing?
- **32.** State the importance of reading in creative writing.
- 33. What is a dialect? Write a brief note on the dialects of the English language.
- 34. Write a brief note on language and gender.
- **35.** Write a brief note on the formal and informal usage of language.
- 36. Write a note on children literature.
- 37. Discuss the similarities and differences between creative writing and writing for the media.
- 38. Write a brief note on the New Media.
- 39. Write, in brief, the most effective ways of revising a manuscript.
- **40.** Discuss the physical and mechanical details that should be kept in mind while submitting a manuscript for publication.
