

Three/Four Year B.C.A. II Semester Examination**SESSION 2023-24 – July 2024****(Faculty of Science)****(Ability Enhancement Course)****Paper – AEC – 52T – 103A****FOUNDATIONS OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE :
A COMPREHENSIVE INTRODUCTION****Time Allowed: Three Hours****Maximum Marks – 40****QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF THREE PARTS A, B AND C.**

Part A of the paper has 10 very short answer type questions from **Unit – I** and **Unit – II**. Each question carries **one** marks.

Part B of the paper has 10 short answer type question from **Unit – III**. (Chapters in the book Essential Language Skills) Student will have to attempt any 5 questions of **one** mark each. 5 questions will be based on an unseen passage, having **one** marks each.

Part C of the paper is based on the unit IV of the syllabus. The questions will be based on the writing of CVs, job application, and newspaper report. This part is of **20** marks.

PART – A**Unit – I**

1. Write antonym of the following : [5]
 - i. Clever
 - ii. Knowledge
2. Write synonym:
 - i. Abundance
 - ii. Poor

Write one word of the following.

- i. The study of rocks & soil.

Unit – II**3.****[5]**

- i. It _____ rain today (possibility or probability)
- ii. You _____ quit smoking. (necessary)

Change into passive voice:

- iii. Dog chase cat
- iv. She would teach us today.

Change into indirect narration:

- v. “Get out of the car” said the police man.

Part – B**Unit – III****4. Answer any questions:****[5]**

- i. What is ‘Tryst with Destiny’ by Jawahar Lal Nehru?
- ii. What was declared by Nehruji in the Tryst with Destiny?
- iii. What is Kings main message in the “I have a dream”?
- iv. What are the devices or techniques used in I have a dream?

OR

Read the passage & answer the following questions:

India is a big country with population, next to China only in the world. It is a country having diversity of culture, religious, languages, races, and socio-economic problems. It is the biggest functional democracy in the world and the

world looks at it working with interest. The question of its future is often raised by several political thinkers. It has gone through so many stressing socio-economic & political questions. Recently it has experienced a hung parliament at the centre. In Uttar Pradesh too, it is experiencing a political crisis. There have certainly been such occasions when the future of democracy is felt at stake. But the system has never stagnated. It has been working, no matter sluggishly, to keep on moving.

Questions :-

[5]

- i. What type of government do we have in India?
- ii. What question is often raised by political thinkers?
- iii. What difficulty is Indian Parliament facing?
- iv. What are the crises we are facing in Indian Political System?
- v. Find the word from the passage which means 'variety'.

Part – C

Unit – IV

5. Write a CV along with a job application. [10]
6. Write a news report of an accident on road witnessed by you. [10]
