

End Semester Examination (2021-22)-Odd Semester

B.Tech CE,ME,EE,EC,BT, CSE (Data Science and Artificial Intelligence)

- I Year (I Sem)

Course Name: English

Code: BHU1701

Time: 02 Hours

Max Marks: 60

University Roll No.

(To be filled by the Student)

Note: Please read instructions carefully:

- The question paper has 03 sections and it is compulsory to attempt all sections.
- All questions of Section A are compulsory; questions in Section B and C contain choice.

Section A: Very Short Answer type Questions		BL	CLO	Marks (10)
Attempt all the questions.				
1.	What do you mean by clichés? Give two examples.	BL1	CL3	02
2.	Define blending as a process of word formation and give suitable examples.	BL1	CL1	02
3.	How will you achieve unity in a paragraph?	BL1	CL2	02
4.	Match the following- Words Antonyms Abhor Rejoice Defeat Solitary Mourn Love Alone Victory	BL1	CL1	02
5.	Identify the phrase and write its type- To win a prize is my ambition. They live on an island. He was a lad of great promise I have read Bacon to my great profit	BL3	CL2	02
Section B: Short Answer Type Questions		BL	CLO	Marks (30)
Attempt any 03 out of 05 questions.				
1.	Explain any five rules of the use of Definite giving suitable examples.	BL2	CL3	10
2.	Use suitable prepositions in the given sentences- Everyone laughed ____ him. He looked ____ his watch everywhere. He goes ____ Sunday to church. Do not cry ____ spilt milk. It is ten o'clock ____ my watch. He killed two birds ____ one shot. He slept ____ eight o'clock. She acted ____ upon my suggestion.	BL3	CL3	10

	He is fond ____ tea. There is a big tree ____ of his house.			
3.	Make use of the following suffixes to make new words - -ship, -dom, -en, -ish, -ful	BL3	CL1	10
4.	Compare Simple, Compound and Complex sentences. Support your answer with suitable examples.	BL4	CL2	10
5.	Use the pronoun in agreement with the noun in the following sentences. 1 Francine edited her paper because her paper was full of errors. 2 Each student must find their own note-taking strategy. 3 A community group of teachers is meeting tonight to see if they can find a way to help students to improve scores. 4 A teacher should carefully choose professional development opportunities that address her gaps in knowledge. 5 Jane Roberts is my friend and mentor, they answers all my questions.	BL3	CL3	10
Section C: Long Answer Type Questions/Case Study Attempt any 01 out of 03 questions.		BL	CLO	Marks (20)
1.	Read the passage carefully and answer the questions given below- The other day we heard someone smilingly refer to poets as dreamers. Now, it is accurate to refer to poets as dreamers, but it is not discerning to infer, as this person did, that the dreams of poets have no practical value beyond the realm of literary diversion. The truth is that poets are just as practical as people who build bridges or look into microscopes; and just as close to reality and truth. Where they differ from the logician and the scientist is in the temporal sense alone; they are ahead of their time, whereas logicians and scientists are abreast of their time. We must not be so superficial that we fail to discern the practicableness of dreams. Dreams are the sunrise streamers heralding a new day of scientific progress, another forward surge. Every forward step man takes in any field of life, is first taken along the dreamy paths of imagination. Robert Fulton did not discover his steamboat with full steam up, straining at a hauser at some Hudson River dock; first he dreamed the steamboat, he and other dreamers, and then scientific wisdom converted a picture in the mind into a reality of steel and wood. The automobile was not dug out of the ground like a nugget of gold; first men dreamed the automobile and afterward, long afterward, the practical-minded engineers caught up with what had been created by winging fantasy. He who looks deeply and with a seeing eye into the poetry of yesterday finds there all the cold scientific magic of today and much which we shall not enjoy until some tomorrow. If the poet does not dream so clearly that blueprints of this vision can immediately be drawn and the practical conversions immediately effected, he must not for that reason be smiled upon as merely the mental host for a sort of harmless madness. For the poet, like the engineer, is a specialist. His being tuned to the life of tomorrow, cannot be turned simultaneously to the life of today. To the scientist he says, "Here I give you a flash of the future." The wise scientist thanks him, and takes that flash of the future and makes it over into a fibre of today. 1 Are poets dreamers? In what sense? 2 Is a poet a practical man? In what way? 3 What was Fulton's achievement? 4 If the poet did not dream, what would happen?	BL3	CL4	20

	5 In what way is the poet a specialist?			
2.	<p>Construct the précis in one-third length of the given passage.</p> <p>Every individual wants peace of mind. But it is hard to find a person who can say that he has attained such a state of mental equilibrium as will allow him to live a life of tranquility. Peace of mind is a distant dream for all of us. What is the reason for this? The reason is that people hanker after ideal peace, that is, pure peace—a peace that is free from all kinds of non-peace items.</p> <p>But this kind of absolute peace is not in nature’s storehouse. Let us take the analogy of the rose. A rose is a very beautiful flower, but every stem has its thorns. Indeed, thorns are an integral part of the rose plant. A poet has rightly said that thorns serve as security guards for the flower. The translation of his Urdu lines is: “The safety of the flower would become impossible if the thorns were silk-like.’ So flowers have to be accompanied by thorns. There must be hard thorns along with soft flowers—that is, there must be non-peace items along with peaceful items. A peaceful mind is a very precious aspect of human nature and it too needs safety to maintain its sublime quality.</p> <p>Studies in psychology show that an untroubled mind very soon becomes stagnant. It loses its creativity. For this reason, nature always leads people in challenging situations. It is a non-peace item which acts as a challenge for the mind. This guarantees that the creativity of a peaceful mind never comes to an end. A creative mind is always alive. It is a common phenomenon that one who is born in affluence and has a problem-free life, very soon finds his mind becoming dull, while the one who is born into a life of problems and hardships, has an active mind. Such a person develops the creative thinking and his intellectual development continues unhindered.</p> <p>Here, I would like to cite personal experience, concerning a politician who had two sons. He loved one of his sons very much. He got this son married to someone of his choice and presented him with a farmhouse in which to live a life of comfort, just as he pleased. I met this son and conversed with him. It seemed as if I were talking to a dull person. He did tell some jokes but could not utter a word of wisdom. I have met the other son also. He was not given a comfortable life by his father and so left town for another place. After a few years of struggle, he emerged as a successful person. When I met him, I found that his whole conversation was full of wisdom. (453 words)</p>	BL4	CL4	20
3.	Develop your ideas on Cyber-bullying and its effect on youth.	BL5	CL4	20