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TIME : 2:45-4:30

C.U.SHAH.SCIENCE COLLEGE

SEMESTER - 2

GENERAL ENGLISH

ROLL NO

MARKS:50

- Q.1 (A) Answer the following questions in brief (Any Three). (6)
- (1)The significance of the title of the story "The Highway".
  - (2)Why did the Chairman wish to remove the statue of Sir Frederick Lawley ?
  - (3) What were the mother's feelings for her son ?
  - (4) What was the fate of Princess September and that of her sisters ?
- (B) Attempt any one short - note: (6)
- (1) Fear of War as expressed in the story 'The Highway'.
  - (2) The Humour and Irony in 'The Lawley Road'.
  - (3)The little Bird and Princess September.
- Q.2 (A) Answer the following questions in brief (Any Three). (6)
- (1) What according to the poet- Eva Gore Booth , is more beautiful ?
  - (2) What was the attitude of the teacher to the students ?
  - (3) Is the Indian who died in Africa turned into a hero ? How?
  - (4) How is W.B.Yeats fascinated by the Wild Swans?
- (B) Attempt any one short- note: (6)
- (1) The poet's mood in the poem- 'The Wild Swans'.
  - (2) The poet's experience of a School Teacher in the poem - The Best of School'.
  - (3) The central idea of the poem-'The Little Waves of Breffny'.
- Q.3 (A) Develop a dialogue on any one of the following : (10)
- (1) A talk about a movie.
  - (2) A conversation on the uses and abuses of social media.
- (B) Develop a story from the given points and give it a suitable title : (10)
- A son born to a king - the mother dies in childbirth - a young mother with a baby chosen as nurse - enemies of the king plot to kill his son - bribe the guards and get into the palace - the nurse quickly changes the children's dresses -leaves her own child dressed as prince and flies with real prince – murderers kill the child left behind - prince saved - king offers nurse reward - she refuses - kills herself –king grieved - erects splendid tomb for her.
- Q.4 (A) State whether the following sentences are interrogative , assertive ,imperative Or exclamatory : (3)
- (1) Please leave.
  - (2) How nice!
  - (3) Does she cook the food ?
- (B) Fill in the blanks with an appropriate articles. (3)
- (1) -----banyan is a kind of a fig tree.
  - (2) He is not -----honourable man.
  - (3) You are a B.sc.,only -----M.sc. can apply for this post.

P.T.O.

- (1) 'The Lawley Road' is written by ----- .  
 (A) D. H. Lawrence (C) R.K. Narayan  
 (B) Somerset Maugham (D) Ray Bradbury
- (2) Somerset Maugham has written -----  
 (A) The Lawley Road (C) The Highway  
 (B) The Mother of a Traitor (D) Princess September
- (3) I \_\_\_\_\_ read German.  
 (A) can (C) must  
 (B) would (D) ought
- (4) The story 'The Highway' goes back to the dropping of the two atom bombs in -----  
 (A) Herosima and Nagasaki (C) Japan and Germany  
 (B) France and Tokyo (D) America and Australia
- (5) I believe nurses ----- have higher salaries.  
 (A) Can (C) Should  
 (B) will (D) may
- (6) I ----- not sleep last night.  
 (A) can (C) might  
 (B) should (D) could
- (7) In the end of 'The Mother of a Traitor', the mother -----  
 (A) Killed herself (C) ran away  
 (B) Wept bitterly (D) none of the above
- (8) They will call you ----- 9:00 a.m.  
 (A) in (C) on  
 (B) at (D) of
- (9) Disha is fond ----- watching movies.  
 (A) at (C) of  
 (B) into (D) with
- (10) The sky is ----- our head.  
 (A) beyond (C) over  
 (B) above (D) on