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Term-End Examination : January-2026

Course Name : BCOMHONS

Date : 16-02-2026

Subject Name : Compulsory English-2 (English Text)

Time : 03:00PM TO 05:15PM

Subject Code : AEC201-BC

Max Marks : 35

Q.-1. Fill In The Blanks With Appropriate Prepositions.

(10)

1. Sheela paid __ hotel rooms __ advance, as she had booked the rooms online.
2. The professor went to the wrong classroom __ mistake.
3. Please make sure that you are __ time for the Rajdhani train.
4. I was looking __ my book and __ chance I saw a hundred rupee note __ my table.
5. The bike rider suddenly stopped the bike and got ____ to collect his glove that had fallen __ the road.
6. I love eating __ Ahmedabad streets.
7. Youngsters prefer fast food, __ instance Pizza and Sandwiches.
8. We saw the cat running _____ the terrace.
9. Isha has a lot ____ Common with her friend.
10. If the baby starts crying pick her up _____ once.

Or

Exercise:

1. I Cricket when you called. (Play)
2. They exercises in morning. (Do)
3. Summit for this firm in the 1990s. (Work)
4. What you last night at seven? (Do)
5. I the office when my boss called me back. (Leave)
6. When I arrived at the cinema, the movie (Start)
7. Amit in Hyderabad before he went to Mumbai. (Live)
8. She told me she a lot before the exam. (study)
9. After we the lunch, Vicky came in. (Eat)
10. The patient _____ before the doctor came to the hospital. (Die)

Q.-2. Answer the following question (Attempt any one) in about 1200 words.

(10)

- (1) What does A.G. Gardiner say about personal liberty? Explain.
- (2) Explain the meaning and types of articles.

Q.-3. Write short notes on any two of the following topics.

(10)

- (1) "Some books are to be chewed and digested" Elucidate the statement.
- (2) Why does A.G. Gardiner call people liberty-drink?
- (3) What would happen if all people drove or walked as they wanted?
- (4) Explain the use of definite Article and omission of definite Article.
- (5) Explain the classification of tenses.

Q.-4. Choose the correct option (A, B, C, or D).

(05)

(1) 'The Advancement of learning is a _____ work by Bacon

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| A) empirical | B) philosophical |
| C) scientific | D) literary |

(2) Francis Bacon's style is called_____

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| A) romantic | B) logical |
| C) epigrammatic | D) lucid |

(3) At the end of the day, an eagle returns to -----

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| A) a hill | B) a mountain top |
| C) its abode | D) its goal |

(4) I met —— European yesterday.

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| A) a | B) an |
| C) the | D) none of these |

(5) By the end of this month, she money for her trip. (Save)

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| A) will have been saving | B) will have not been saving |
| C) will be saving | D) none of these |
