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SARDAR PATEL UNIVERSITY

FYBA (I Semester) Examination

(NC) (On Demand)

Saturday, March 04, 2023

02:00 pm - 05:00 pm

UA01FGEN01: General English- I (Foundation Basic)

Total Marks: 70

Notes:

1. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
2. Mention clearly the option you attempt.

- Q 1 Answer ANY FOUR of the following questions in brief. (16)
(Two or three sentences only)
1. Which of these two challenges is more difficult? Why?
 2. Why are elephants preferred to machines by Indian foresters??
 3. Who won the prize announced by Mahatma Gandhi? What was it for?
 4. Was Mahatma Gandhi satisfied with the term 'passive resistance'?
 5. Was Sardar affected when he was praised by people?
 6. How do khotals track down their elephants?
 7. Who, according to Sardar Patel, should fix the revenue?
 8. What are the two challenges that face state governments and municipal bodies?
- Q 2 Write short notes on ANY TWO of the following. (About 60 words) (14)
1. Sardar Patel and Bardoli satyagraha
 2. Mahatma Gandhi
 3. Importance of Clean up Operations
 4. Khotals and elephants
- Q 3 (A) Fill in the blanks with the appropriate articles 'a', 'an' or 'the'. (ANY SIX) (06)
1. _____ teacher taught well.
 2. Honesty is _____ best policy in city.
 3. Let's have _____ cup of tea.
 4. I have _____ big family.
 5. My father is _____ architect.
 6. There is _____ big table in the center of the room.
 7. I need _____ pencil.
 8. Look at _____ Sun.

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Q 3 (B) Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions. Select the prepositions from list given in the bracket. (ANY FIVE) (05)

(in, at, for, into, of, on, with)

- (1) He will meet _____ Monday.
- (2) My brother is weak _____ science.
- (3) They will start the work _____ six o'clock.
- (4) He is fond _____ music.
- (5) They have been living _____ a very long time.
- (6) The cat fell _____ the river.
- (7) Are you familiar _____ this subject?

Q 3 (C) Fill in the blanks with proper form of verbs given in the brackets. (12)

1. The news _____ new to me. (is / are)
2. Swimming and singing _____ my favourite hobbies. (is / are)
3. Ram and Shyam _____ always been very good friends (has / have)
4. I wish it _____ Sunday. (were / was)
5. One of the boxes _____ missing. (is / are)
6. Virat _____ every ball thrown at him. (hit / hits)

Q 4 (A) Write a paragraph on ANY ONE of the following. (100 words) (10)

1. My ambition
2. Life in a hostel
3. Importance of English
4. Pros and Cons of Social Media

Q 4 (B) Match the words in column 'A' with their meaning in column 'B'. (07)

A	B
i. Forget	a) Kept to be used later
ii. Soul	b) Cause
iii. Aside	c) Not moving
iv. Application	d) The feeling of happiness
v. Reason	e) To not remember facts
vi. Steady	f) A formal request
vii. Pleasure	g) Spirit
