

[A-13]

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S.Y.B.A. EXTERNAL EXAMINATION (OLD COURSE)
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English Compulsory – ENG200
(ENGLISH AND NON ENGLISH STREAM)

Total Marks:70
10.00 a.m. to 12.00 p.m.

Note: Figures to the right indicate full marks.
Mention clearly the option you attempt.

Q-1 Oliver is a young, good-hearted, and kind--but often mistreated--orphan who is raised in a workhouse, and finds himself indentured to an undertaker." Discuss in detail the character of Oliver in the light of this statement. [17]

OR

Q-1 Write a detailed note on the themes of the novel, *Oliver Twist*.

Q-2 "*The Will* focuses on the passage of time, greed, and death."-Comment on the theme of the play. [18]

OR

Q-2 "*Villa for sale* is nothing but just about a woman(Juliette) who sells her house to a couple in hastiness, and Mr. Gatson who buys the house sells it to another American who assumes Gatson to be the husband of Juliette."- Explain.

Q-3 Write a paragraph on Any One of the following: [17]

- 1) Role of Teachers in education
- 2) Advantages of online teaching
- 3) Corruption
- 4) My favourite Book

Q-4 Read the following passage carefully and answer the following questions. [18]

When another old cave is discovered in the south of France, it is not usually news. Rather, it is an ordinary event. Such discoveries are so frequent these days that hardly anybody pays heed to them. However, when the Lascaux cave complex was discovered in 1940, the world was amazed. Painted directly on its walls were hundreds of scenes showing how people lived thousands of years ago. The scenes show people hunting animals, such as bison or

wild cats. Other images depict birds and, most noticeably, horses, which appear in more than 300 wall images, by far outnumbering all other animals.

Early artists drawing these animals accomplished a monumental and difficult task. They did not limit themselves to the easily accessible walls but carried their painting materials to spaces that required climbing steep walls or crawling into narrow passages in the Lascaux complex. Unfortunately, the paintings have been exposed to the destructive action of water and temperature changes, which easily wear the images away. Because the Lascaux caves have many entrances, air movement has also damaged the images inside. Although they are not out in the open air, where natural light would have destroyed them long ago, many of the images have deteriorated and are barely recognizable. To prevent further damage, the site was closed to tourists in 1963, 23 years after it was discovered.

- Questions:

- 1) Which title best summarizes the main idea of the passage?
- 2) According to the passage, which animals appear most often on the cave walls?
- 3) Why was painting inside the Lascaux complex a difficult task?
- 4) What does the passage say happened at the Lascaux caves in 1963?
- 5) In line 10, the word depict is closest in meaning to _____.
- 6) Based on the passage, what is probably true about the south of France?