



**A-2661-62**

**Second Year B. Com. (Sem. III) Examination  
March/April - 2015**

**Foundation Course in English**

**A-2661 : Written & Spoken Communication Skills**

**A-2662 : Language Through Literature (New Course)**

*(Text : Fast Tracks - II - A Multi Skill Course in English)*

Time : 2 Hours]

[Total Marks : 50

**A-2661 : Written & Spoken Communication Skills**

**Instructions :**

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- (2) Figures to the right indicate full marks.  
(3) Indicate clearly the options you attempt.

1 Answer briefly any five of the following : 10

- (1) What do we learn from the Hindu woman who received some rice ?
- (2) What did the young man's illness teach him ?
- (3) How did the Cabuliwallah win Mini's confidence and friendship ?
- (4) By what steps does the narrator come to realize that the hitch-hiker was in fact a pickpocket ?
- (5) 'Her real wealth is Himalayan in size' what does the statement mean ?
- (6) Describe the look and feel of the BMW.
- (7) Give description of Uncle Podger.

- 2 (a) Analyze the relationship between Rahman and Mini in the 'Cabuliwallah'. 14

OR

- (b) Describe how the whole family got involved in putting up the picture.

- 3 Think of a product you are promoting in the market. It could be any consumer durable item. Prepare a presentation consisting charts or slides. 13

OR

You have an opportunity to interview a famous artist for a local news paper. Anticipate 5 to 6 questions that you may ask and write down with its possible responses.

- 4 (a) You are Sharif Abdullah of 35 Palam Vihar, New Delhi. You are planning to buy an automatic washing machine. Write to the Showroom Manager, Ajay Electronics, Karol Bagh, New Delhi, asking a catalogue and price list. 7

OR

- (a) You are Umesh Patel and you work for Hindustan Travel. Write an e-mail letter to the id mallika\_rao@gmail.com in response to a request you have received from Ms. Mallika Rao for information about the packages for holidays in Goa.

- (b) Rewrite the following passage making correction in spellings, the use of capitals and punctuations : 6  
notices are displayed on boards in public places such as educational institutions offices airports low courts and libraries where people work or come together for a common purpose or to avail of some service.

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- (2) Indicate clearly the options you attempt.  
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- 1 Answer any **five** of the following : **10**
- (a) Explain the technique called 'Tongue Fu'.  
(b) What did Nicola and Jacopo do to earn money ?  
(c) Describe the character of Lucia in brief.  
(d) What gifts did Sudha Murthy decide to give to the tribal children of Sahaydri Hills ? Why ?  
(e) How do people try to conceal their thoughts ? Is it possible to do so successfully ?  
(f) Why did the Gaiety Land prove to be a big hit ?  
(g) Describe the relation between Samsuddin and Kalam.

- 2 (a) 'How little did I guess that my trouble had just begin.' 14  
Justify the statement with special reference to lesson 'Engine trouble',

**OR**

- (b) What technique does Sam Horn suggest for avoiding an argument. **14**
- 3 (a) Assume that you stay in a hostel. Draft a telephonic conversation between you and your mother describing your hostel life. **13**

**OR**

- (b) A customer has complained to you about the malfunctioning of the new laptop purchased by him from your shop. Draft a suitable reply. **13**

4 (A) (a) Write a brief description of a hill station you had visited 7

OR

(b) Narrate a chain snatching incident you had witnessed. 7

(B) Do as directed : 6

(i) He \_\_\_\_\_ go home tomorrow.  
(Fill in the blank using the appropriate modal verb)

(ii) She's slowly getting \_\_\_\_\_ after the accident.  
(Fill in the blank with any of correct word : better, over, well or improved)

(iii) They \_\_\_\_\_ nervously as they waited for their turn at the interview. (Fill in the blank with grin, giggle or guffaw whichever appropriate)

(iv) Most sand \_\_\_\_\_ like hot tin summer.  
(Fill in the blank using the right form of a verb)

(v) \_\_\_\_\_ I prefer chocolate drinks, my mother prefers coffee. (Complete the sentence with a right linker).

(vi) After giving up smoking she has had strong craving for smoke. But she refuses to be controlled by that emotion. (Rewrite the sentence by substituting the underlined part with the phrasal verb beginning with give).

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