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**IV Semester B.A./B.Sc. Degree CBCSS (OBE) Regular/Supplementary/
Improvement Examination, April 2022
(2019 Admission Onwards)
COMMON COURSE IN ENGLISH
4A06ENG : Readings on Philosophy of Knowledge**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

- I. Write an essay in **250** words on **one** of the following : **(1×8=8)**
- 1) Explain the role of media in sensationalizing non-issues as revealed in "Zero-Sum Game".
 - 2) The short story "The School of Sympathy" envisions a world based on empathy. Comment.
- II. Write an essay in **250** words on **one** of the following : **(1×8=8)**
- 3) Madness as a metaphor of trauma in "Toba Tek Singh".
 - 4) Describe the relationship of people with nature and mangrove forests in the context of Pokkudan's life.
- III. Answer **four** of the following in about **100** words : **(4×4=16)**
- 5) How does the poet describe Benaras from the riverbank in the evening ?
 - 6) Bourgeois values undermine the democratic exchange of ideas. Comment.
 - 7) Explain the 'fatal disconnection of subjects'.
 - 8) Problem-posing education as an alternative to banking concept of education.
 - 9) Discuss the chief characteristics of narrative education.
 - 10) Theme of oppression in "How to Tame a New Pair of Chappals".

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IV. Answer **eight** of the following in **not** more than **two** sentences :

(8×1=8)

- 11) What is the purpose of liberal education ?
 - 12) Expand GATT and TRIPS.
 - 13) Who does the poet refer to as Chappals in the poem ?
 - 14) How do people internalize hierarchy ?
 - 15) The narrator in "The School for Sympathy".
 - 16) What was unacceptable in the classroom social order ?
 - 17) What do you understand from the existence of three hundred Ramayanas ?
 - 18) How does Gregg break all rules for a beach vacation ?
 - 19) The contribution of Shewprasad Tiwari.
 - 20) How does the city of Benaras empty itself every day ?
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**IV Semester B.A./B.Sc. Degree CBCSS (OBE) Regular
Examination, April 2021
(2019 Admission Only)
Common Course in English
4A06ENG : READINGS ON PHILOSOPHY OF KNOWLEDGE**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 40

- I. Write an essay in **250** words on **one** of the following : **(1×8=8)**
- 1) Banking concept of education is an erroneous approach to education.
Comment.
 - 2) Describe the plight of Indian farmers as depicted in "Zero-Sum Game".
- II. Write an essay in **250** words on **one** of the following : **(1×8=8)**
- 3) Comment on the reality of class differences in educational institutions.
 - 4) Explain how the poet weaves the city of Benaras through his imagination and memory.
- III. Answer **four** of the following in about **100** words : **(4×4=16)**
- 5) Sarcasm in "How to Tame a New Pair of Chappals" ?
 - 6) How does Miss Beam give the children an idea of suffering in the world ?
 - 7) Write a note on the contribution of Kallen Pokkudan.
 - 8) Explain the mission of liberal arts.
 - 9) Identity crisis in "Toba Tek Singh".
 - 10) Discuss the basic nursery sounds and their significance.

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IV. Answer **eight** of the following in **not more than two sentences** : **(8x1=8)**

- 11) Why is the blind day most frightening ?
 - 12) How does Bishan Singh resolve his frustration at the end of the story ?
 - 13) Gregg in "Beach Vacation".
 - 14) Why does A. K. Ramanujan prefer the word 'tellings' to other terms ?
 - 15) The background of "Zero-Sum Game".
 - 16) What do you understand by 'bourgeois values' in classrooms ?
 - 17) Significance of mangrove forests in human life.
 - 18) The concept of 'wholeness' in liberal education.
 - 19) What is original about Miss Beam's school ?
 - 20) How do people internalize hierarchy ?
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