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AMEN 51B.A. (CBCS) DEGREE EXAMINATION,
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Fifth Semester

English — Core

NON-FICTION

(For those who joined in July 2017 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. According to Bacon, to spend too much time studying is ————
- (a) sloth (b) gluttony
(c) happiness (d) wrath

2. The phrase 'Cor ne edito' means ————
- (a) eat not the ears (b) eat not the eyes
(c) eat not the heart (d) eat not the nose
3. Sir Roger was ———— years old in the essay *Sir Roger and the Window*.
- (a) 36 (b) 46
(c) 56 (d) 66
4. Altangi is a ———— traveller.
- (a) England (b) Japan
(c) Chinese (d) Korean
5. John L is Lamb's ————
- (a) elder brother (b) younger brother
(c) friend (d) butler
6. The literal and dogged style of conversation resembles that of a ———— picture.
- (a) Latin (b) French
(c) England (d) Chinese
7. A.G Gardiner's fellow-traveller was a ————
- (a) bird (b) man
(c) dog (d) mosquito

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8. Lynd is of the opinion that human consciousness is made up of ———— selves.
- (a) three (b) four
(c) two (d) multiple
9. The Voyager and his wife had been active for the past ———— years in the field of youth welfare.
- (a) 10 (b) 15
(c) 11 (d) 13
10. In *The Worship of the Wealthy* by G.K. Chesterton, the theme is ————
- (a) flattery (b) worshipping
(c) fantasy (d) luxury

PART B — (5 × 5 = 25 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).
Each answer should not exceed 250 words.

11. (a) According to Bacon, what are the benefits of studying history, poetry, mathematics, natural philosophy, morality, logic and rhetoric in the essay "Of studies"?
- Or
- (b) Explain the attitude of a crafty man about studies.

12. (a) Describe the character Sir Roger in the essay *Sir Roger and the Widow*.
- Or
- (b) Summarise the views of the Man in Black regarding beggars and their responsibility.
13. (a) Describe the death of Mrs. Field.
- Or
- (b) Write a short note on *On Disagreeable People*.
14. (a) Describe the behaviour of the fellow traveller in the essay *The Fellow Traveller*.
- Or
- (b) Write a summary of the essay *The Money Box*.
15. (a) Explain the life of Mr. John.
- Or
- (b) Discuss the theme in *The Worship of the Wealthy*.

PART C — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b)
Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

16. (a) Explain the term 'Cor ne edito' in the essay
Of Friendship.

Or

- (b) Write a detailed summary of *Sir Roger at Theatre*.

17. (a) Explain the disappointment of love in
Sir Roger and the Widow.

Or

- (b) Discuss the autobiographical elements in the
essay *The Man in Black*.

18. (a) Justify the title of the essay, 'Dream
Children : A Reverie'.

Or

- (b) Describe the psychological fear of death in the
essay *On Disagreeable People*.

19. (a) Write a detailed description of Gardiner's
experience with his fellow traveller.

Or

- (b) Bring out the themes rendered in the essay
The Money Box.

20. (a) Write a critical appreciation on the essay
The Best Investment I Ever made.

Or

- (b) Explain Chesterton's views on journalists in
The Worship of the Wealthy.