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INTEGRATED M.A PROGRAMME (C.S.S) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2024 **2024 ADMISSIONS REGULAR**

SEMESTER I - COMMON COURSE 1 (ENGLISH)

EN01A01IM20 - English - I Fine Tune Your English

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Weight: 30

Part A

I. Answer any Eight questions. Each question carries 1 weight

(8x1=8)

- 1. State the two types of conjunctions.
- Construct a sentence by enlarging the subject and extending the verb: a. The girls danced. b. The sun is shining.
- List any two uses of the auxiliary verb 'do'. 3.
- 4. A reflexive pronoun shows that a person does something to himself. Write two sentences to illustrate this.
- Elucidate why mispronunciation is a common error in English.
- Why do students find pronunciation in English difficult? 6.
- Rewrite the sentence so that the verb will be in Passive Voice: They painted the house red
- 8. Identify the verbs in the sentences and state whether they are in the Active or in the Passive Voice: a. The dog chased the sheep. b. The boy made a kite.
- 9. How do you start a conversation?
- 10. Change the following into direct speech a. He asked them whether they would listen to such a man. b. Jacob asked Hari if he would go swimming with him over the weekend.

Part B

II. Answer any Six questions. Each question carries 2 weight

(6x2=12)

- 11. Identify the following grammatical components Subject, Verb, Indirect Object and Direct Object: a) John sent me a parcel b) Dawn bought her mother a sari
- 12. Underline and identify the adverb clause in the following sentences: a) You should reach home before the sun sets. b) I will wake up early so that I may see you. c) That is the cafe where we held the meeting. d) I cannot go on holiday because I don't have enough money. e) She ate as if she were starving for years.
- 13. Insert the adverbs given in brackets in the correct position a. We have breakfast at eight (usually) b. The train has left (just) c. I am late for school (always) d. It is raining (heavily) e. She sang (yesterday, in the concert)
- 14. Explain the different types of Adverbs.
- 15. Choose the correct form of the verb and fill in the blanks. a. Annie and her brothers _____ at school. (is, are) b. Either my mother or my father____ coming to the meeting.(is, are) c. George and Tamara ____ want to see that movie. (don't, doesn't) d. The man with all the birds _____ on my street. (live, lives) e. The Prime Minister, together with his wife, ____ press cordially.(greet, greets)
- Describe the structure of Future Continuous and Future Perfect forms with examples.
- 17. Describe the structure of Past continuous and Past Perfect tense using examples.
- 18. Write a short note on the topic: "The year 2021 What we thought and what it was."

III. Answer any Two questions. Each question carries 5 weight

(2x5=10)

19.	a. Do as directed: i. This is the place	(Add a defining relative claus	e) ii. The news is so good that
	it cannot be true. (Identify and state the adver-	$^{ m t}$ b clause) iii. I remember the house $_$	(Complete by
	adding a suitable relative clause) iv. Write a se	entence which has a relative clause b	eginning with 'who.' v. You will

	pass	(Add a	n adverb clause) vi. (Construct a sentence	e using so tha	t. vii. Nature is	
	the best physician.	(Identify the Subject	t and the Predicate) v	iii. I know the place	(\$	Supply suitable	
	relative clause) ix, she prayed fervently to her favourite god. (Fill in the gap with						
phrase) x. I wonder (Complete by adding a suitable noun clause) b.					se) b. Enlarge the	Enlarge the subject and	
	extend the verb. i. The children are playing. ii. Hari broke the window. iii. The book is on the desk. iv. The cat						
dead. v. The boy laughs.							
20.	20. Choose the correct form of verbs in brackets: i. The river under the bridge. (flow) ii. Here are you						
	Ithem.	(just clean) iii. I	a dancer (be) iv. I	English	for five years. (stu	ıdy) v. The	
	soup go	od. (taste) vi. She _	singing (be) vii. I	My uncle tom	norrow. (arrive) viii.	. They	
	since for	ır o' clock. (play) ix.	They good fri	ends (be) x. She	sad. (seem) xi	. The cake	
	great (ta	ste) xii. When	the coffee house	? (do, reopens)	xiii. John now	_ forward and	
	a heavy blow	v to Jaison. (rush, de	eal) xiv. They	the bridge for	several months. (t	ouild) xv. They	
	a game ye	sterday (play)					
21.	Describe the differen	ent ways to express	Futurity in English. Sเ	upplement the answ	er with examples.		

- 22. Write a letter to your friend, telling that you have shifted to a new house, and describe your new neighbourhood.