

April 2025
B.A./B.Sc.
Second Semester
ABILITY ENHANCEMENT COURSE – 2
ENGLISH
Course Code: ENA 2.11
(Language, Literature & Creativity)

Total Mark: 50

Pass Mark: 20

Time: 2 hours

I. Answer the following questions in 100 to 500 words.

UNIT-I

1. How does the madman convince the author that there is logic behind his mad reasoning? 6
2. How did Delhi change and become more cosmopolitan? 6

UNIT-II

3. Do you think Arun brought about a change for the better in the life of the thief? Briefly discuss. 6
4. How does the ragpicker convey a sense of self-worth despite a life of poverty and hardship? 6

UNIT-III

5. What powers did Abo Tani possess that helped him win battles against gods and deities? 6
6. Describe how Verrier Elwin and his fellow travellers were welcomed by the local people at Dirang. 6

II. Answer any two of the following questions.

7. Match the words in Column A with the words which have similar meaning in Columns B and C. 7

Column A	Column B	Column C
(a) Anarchical	Remnants	Attract
(b) Ponder	Example	Striking
(c) Artefacts	Impressive	Disorder
(d) Microcosm	Lawlessness	Ruins
(e) Fascinate	Contemplate	Patchwork
(f) Imposing	Variety	Reflect
(g) Mosaic	Captivate	Miniature

8. Match the words in Column A with their descriptions in Column B.

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Column A	Column B
(a) Melancholia	Mental disorder and breakdown of thought processes
(b) Schizophrenia	Mental ability to think, plan, solve, execute rationally
(c) Psychosis	Manic depression
(d) Bipolar disorder	Depression
(e) Intelligence	Madness
(f) Genius	Loss of contact with reality
(g) Insanity	Exceptional intellectual or creative power or other natural ability

9. Write an article on one of the following topics in 150 to 200 words.

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- (a) The Importance of Sports
- (b) Fast Food
- (c) Erratic Electricity Hampering Life