

2022

B. Sc. (Honours) in AGRICULTURE

1st Semester Examination

**Comprehension and Communication
Skills in English**

PAPER — AGS-105

Full Marks : 50

Time : 2 hours

The figures in the right-hand margin indicate marks.

*Candidates are required to give their answers
in their own words as far as practicable.*

Illustrate the answers wherever necessary.

*Answer from **all** the Groups as directed.*

GROUP—A

1. Answer *any* **five** questions : 2×5=10

Select the correct option from the following :

(a) (A/An/The) rose is (a/an/the) sweet flower.

(b) We should not be blind (of/to) the fault of
our children.

(2)

- (c) My sister does not agree (for/with) me.
(d) None of the boys (have/has) done the work.
(e) Each of the students (is/are) obedient.

Turn the following sentences into passive :

- (f) Open the door.
(g) They write poems.

Join the following sentences without changing the meaning :

- (h) His brother would not come. The boy stated it.

GROUP—B

2. Answer *any four* questions :

- (a) Why did the bearded man swear to kill the Tsar? 5
(b) "You have already been answered," said the hermit. What were the hermit's answers to three questions asked by the Tsar? 5
(c) How did Leela try to make Sidda write? What was the result? 3+2=5
(d) "The inspector was furious..."
—Who was the speaker? Why was the speaker 'furious'?
What did the speaker inform? 1+2+2=5

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(3)

- (e) Portray the character of Subhashini. 5
(f) Who was Pratap? How was the boy? 1+4=5

GROUP—C

3. Answer *any two* questions : 10×2=20

- (a) As a secretary of the Students Cultural Association of your college, draft a notice informing the students that the Association is going to organise an educational tour to Digha. You would mention the date, duration, expenditure and ask for the consent letters from guardians.
(b) Write a report for a newspaper about a street accident.
(c) Write a letter to your friend describing him/her about your college.
(d) Suppose you are going to attend your cousin's marriage ceremony. Now write a leave application to the Principal of your college regarding this and request him/her to grant the prayer.

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