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**THIRD SEMESTER (CBCSS—U.G.) DEGREE EXAMINATION
NOVEMBER 2025**

English

ENG3B04—ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND USAGE

(2020–2023 Admissions)

Time : Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

I. Read the following questions and do as directed. All questions can be answered.

Each question carries 2 marks. (Ceiling : 25 marks) :

- 1 My sister wrote a truly inspiring essay on patriotism. (Classify the words in the sentence into form class and function class)
- 2 They are going to paper the wall as part of Christmas celebrations.' (Identify the parts of speech the underlined words belong to) :
- 3 Write a sentence with a gerund as its subject.
- 4 Leave your coat in the hallway, please. (Identify the mood of the statement and justify your answer).
- 5 The committee decided to punish the offenders, (form inflectional and derivational variants of the underlined word).
- 6 Nancy was unwilling to call on the ill-mannered chairman. (Identify the phrasal verb in this sentence and give its meaning).
- 7 Make a sentence using the idiom *Once in a blue moon*.
- 8 Develop the given pattern into a sentence:
S + V+ Adjunct.
- 9 This is my friend. I am using his car now. (Combine into a single sentence using a subordinating conjunction)

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- 10 Much water has flown under the bridge. (Correct the mistake in the sentence and justify your correction).
- 11 Write a sentence with a dependent clause followed by a main clause.
- 12 They have been living here for the last twelve years. (Identify the tense of this sentence).
- 13 No other boy in the class is as good as Tom in English grammar. . (Rewrite using the comparative degree of the underlined word).
- 14 The ministers were discussing about the problem of unemployment. (Correct the mistakes, if any, and justify your changes).
- 15 I am not as tall as my brother, (frame a question tag).

II. Read the following questions and do as directed. All questions can be answered.

Each question carries 5 marks. (Ceiling : 35 marks) :

- 16 Analyse the pattern of the following sentences and say what type they belong to :
 - (a) All the passengers are safe.
 - (b) You may kindly visit our new service outlet for quicker service.
 - (c) Why did he spoke so rudely ?
 - (d) What a refreshing sight to see !
 - (e) Since the gardener was on leave, I watered the plants in the morning.
- 17 Understand the tenses of the following sentences and convert them into corresponding past tenses :
 - (a) She is singing while cooking.
 - (b) We make butter cakes every week.
 - (c) They have lived in very poor conditions.
- 18 Rewrite the following according to correct usage. Justify the changes you have made.
 - (a) I am hoping that the Covid pandemic will disappear within a decade.
 - (b) Tim revealed to Jim that his father has started drinking heavily.
 - (c) A team of experts are analysing the post Covid health issues.

- 19 Identify the clause pattern in the sentences and convert them into other patterns :
- (a) Though he was lame, the man walked fast.
 - (b) Studying systematically she secured high marks.
- 20 Give two examples each for the use of modal auxiliary *may* to give permission, to express possibility and to ask permission.
- 21 Each of the following sentences has a mistake. Identify the mistake and rewrite them correctly.
- (a) There is no place in this carriage for so many men.
 - (b) All his family members are educated.
 - (c) He was in hurry.
- 22 Change the voice of the following :
- (a) Call the police.
 - (b) The old man had built a huge house.
 - (c) Uncle showed me a picture.
- 23 Rewrite the following text by correcting the collocation errors in it. Underline the changes you made :

Jani was the eldest daughter in the family, and so she had to make care of her younger sisters. She had a good interest in cooking, and she made nice food for her sisters. She also had a mood of responsibility and was much concerned in the education of her sisters.

III. Answer any *two* of the following :

- 24 Read the following passage and note the mistakes in it. Specify if the mistake is related to tense, concord, preposition etc. Rewrite the sentences correctly and justify each of the changes you made :

When was the last time you travelled out of the country ? Travelling for business is one thing, but I'm talking about filling your bags, getting out of your email account and disconnecting from your normal routine for a week or more. Travelling the world isn't just fun and exciting; there's ample research to suggest it's highly beneficial for your physical, mental and emotional health as well. Americans may say they like to travel, but most doesn't venture abroad very often. According to a study published in the Hostelworld Global Traveler Report, Americans are half likely as Europeans to go abroad and visit more than one country.

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- 25 Elucidate any *five* rules of reported speech in English, giving two examples for each.
- 26 Rearrange the jumbled words given below to form meaningful sentences. The identify the tense of each sentence :
- of the principal / welcomed him / the teacher / on behalf.
 - his poor mother / he might help / so that / he went to work.
 - in the class / seema / of all the children / is the youngest.
 - during the game / the wrong / you were making / moves.
 - had traveled far / was tired / and / the old man.
- 27 Study the following table and frame ten correct sentences from it. Use different structures/ tenses so that your answer includes statements, questions, negatives, and sentences in present, past and future tenses:

He			a luxurious flat
She			reached the station
It	Am/is/are/was/were		learning how to skate
They	Do/does/did	not	the job better
We	Have/has/had		alert me at once
I	Will/will have		visited many lands
Tom and Sam			works nearby
Luna			a new boss next week
			an injured leg
			trying to overhear me
			always

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English

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(2019—2023 Admissions)

Time : Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

I. Read the following questions and do as directed. All questions can be answered. Each question carries two marks. (Ceiling : 25 marks) :

- 1 My uncle bought a newly built apartment last summer. (Classify the words in the sentence into form class and function class).
- 2 I am hungry as I had my breakfast very early today. (Identify the parts of speech the underlined words belong to).
- 3 Write a sentence which begins with a present participle.
- 4 The tourists arrive at 6 : 00 a.m. tomorrow morning. (Identify the mood of the statement and justify your answer).
- 5 Most of the members refused to agree with the chairman, (form inflectional and derivational variants of the underlined word).
- 6 The firemen struggled for hours to put out the fire.(identify the phrasal verb in this sentence and give its meaning).
- 7 Make a sentence using the idiom *Sit on the fence*.
- 8 Develop the given pattern into a sentence :
S + V + Complement
- 9 The girl sang a nice song. She got the first prize. (Combine into a single sentence using a subordinating conjunction).

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- 10 One of my relatives are working in All India Radio. (Correct the mistake in the sentence and justify your correction).
- 11 Write a sentence which has one main clause and one dependent clause.
- 12 The old man had given all his belongings to his neighbor. (Identify the tense of this sentence).
- 13 This train is faster than the one we travelled by last week. (Rewrite using the positive degree of the underlined word).
- 14 The lady sat on a chair with a broken leg. (Correct the mistakes, if any, and justify your changes).
- 15 Let's go for a picnic tomorrow, (frame a question tag).

II. Read the following questions and do as directed. All questions can be answered. Each question carries 5 marks (Ceiling : 35 marks) :

- 16 Analyse the pattern of the following sentences and say what type they belong to :
 - (a) We are hiring cashiers for our new branch.
 - (b) You may please introduce yourself before presenting the paper.
 - (c) Why did the police summon you ?
 - (d) How high the prices have soared up !
 - (e) The minister confirmed that the project is going to be dropped.
- 17 Understand the tenses of the following sentences and convert them into corresponding past tenses :
 - (a) We change our curtains every week.
 - (b) Denny is hosting a Christmas party.
 - (c) You have given me the right advice.
- 18 Rewrite the following according to correct usage. Justify the changes you have made.
 - (a) I am hearing a lot about your involvement in the money lending scam.
 - (b) Ninu told Minu that her bag needs to be mended.
 - (c) A group of expert doctors are attending the minister.

19 Identify the clause pattern in the sentences and convert them into other patterns :

- (a) Hearing a loud noise we all rushed out.
- (b) As he was very poor, he did not cherish lofty dreams.

20 Give two examples each for the use of the auxiliary 'must' to express obligation, to give orders and to express possibility.

You must go to sleep now. You must finish the record before Friday.

There must be some mistake. The thief must be hiding in the bush.

21 Each of the following sentences has a mistake. Identify the mistake and rewrite them correctly.

- (a) I haven't seen Sanu since the last six years.
- (b) Neither of the singers were present.
- (c) He is senior than me.

22 Change the voice of the following :

- (a) Paint the house green.
- (b) Smoking is prohibited.
- (c) Two brothers have started this firm.

23. Rewrite the following text by correcting the collocation errors in it. Underline the changes you made :

It was my friend's twenty first birth day and I decided to make him a treat. He had helped me much in the past, and it was a golden chance for me to please him. So I asked him to come to the lately opened restaurant. I also had a plan to give him a wonder gift.

III. Answer any *two* of the following ($2 \times 10 = 20$ marks) :

24 Read the following passage and note the mistakes in it. Specify if the mistake is related to tense, concord, preposition etc. Rewrite the sentences correctly and justify each of the changes you made :

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Digital India is a campaign opened by the Government of India in order to ensure that the services provided by the government is made available to citizens electronically by improve online infrastructure and by increasing Internet connectivity or making the country digitally empowered for the field of technology. The initiative include plans to connect rural areas with high-speed internet networks. It consists in three core components : the development of secure and stable digital infrastructure, delivering government services digitally, and universal digital literacy.

- 25 Elucidate any *five* rules of passivising sentences in English, giving two examples for each.
- 26 Rearrange the jumbled words given below to form meaningful sentences. The identify the tense of each sentence :
- as you listen / to note down / points / it is important.
 - most important / of his career / match / it was the.
 - clapped happily / came in / when santa claus / the children.
 - the cake / home from school / when he returned / his mother baked.
 - in many parts / are found / of the world / pearl oysters.
- 27 Study the following table and frame ten correct sentences from it, using appropriate verb forms. Use different structures/tenses so that your answer includes statements, questions, negatives, and sentences in present, past and future tenses :

He			a new cell phone
She			reached the office
It	Am/is/are/was/were		learning how to swim
They	Do/does/did	not	the job better
We	Have/has/had		inform me fast
I	Will/will have		watched many plays
Rinu and Vinu			works two miles away
Meena			a son next week
			a long neck
			trying to insult me always

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English

ENG 3B 04—ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND USAGE

(2019—2022 Admissions)

Time : Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

I. Read the following questions and do as directed. All questions can be answered. Each question carries two marks. (Ceiling : 25 marks) :

- 1 My friend bought a nice new car last month. (Classify the words in the sentence into form class and function class).
- 2 She was trying hard to conceal the hard truth from her family. (Identify the parts of speech the underlined words belong to).
- 3 Write a sentence with a gerund as its object.
- 4 It's important that she be informed of the changes. (Identify the mood of the statement and justify your answer).
- 5 She was really excited to read the poem. (form inflectional and derivational variants of the underlined word).
- 6 It was really difficult to put up with the noisy chef. (Identify the phrasal verb in this sentence and give its meaning).
- 7 Make a sentence using the idiom *spill the beans*.
- 8 Develop the given pattern into a sentence :
S + V + O + Complement.
- 9 This smart watch doesn't work. I bought it last week. (Combine into a single sentence using a subordinating conjunction).
- 10 The leader, as well as his followers, have left the party. (Correct the mistake in the sentence and justify your correction).

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- 11 Write a sentence with a dependent clause followed by two main clauses.
- 12 I will have finished the work by next Monday. (Identify the tense of this sentence).
- 13 Hamda is one of the tallest girls in the class. . (Rewrite using the positive degree of the underlined word).
- 14 When the police arrived, the thief went away. (Correct the mistakes, if any, and justify your changes)
- 15 I think that man is a stranger in this area. (frame a question tag).

II. Read the following questions and do as directed. All questions can be answered. Each question carries 5 marks. (Ceiling: 35 marks) :

- 16 Analyse the pattern of the following sentences and say what type they belong to :
 - (a) The minister inaugurates the new bridge.
 - (b) Please leave your footwear outside.
 - (c) Why is the town under police surveillance ?
 - (d) How silly your argument sounds !
 - (e) Since the Principal was on leave, I didn't get my certificates attested.
- 17 Understand the tenses of the following sentences and convert them into corresponding past tenses :
 - (a) She prays aloud every morning.
 - (b) Nina is waiting for her visa.
 - (c) Diya have been expecting her appointment letter.
- 18 Rewrite the following according to correct usage. Justify the changes you have made.
 - (a) I am seeing a short man coming and speaking to the policeman !
 - (b) Renu met Githu after a decade when she was on a picnic.
 - (c) A panel of experts are visiting the draught affected area tomorrow.
- 19 Identify the clause pattern in the sentences and convert them into other patterns :
 - (a) Spotting all errors, he began to rewrite the draft.
 - (b) The road was rough, but we drove fast.

- 20 Give two examples each for the use of the auxiliary can to express ability, to make polite request, and to express the possibility of an action in the future.
- 21 Each of the following sentences has a mistake. Identify the mistake and rewrite them correctly.
- (a) He is enough strong to do this work.
 - (b) Walk carefully lest you may fall.
 - (c) These three boys help each other.
- 22 Change the voice of the following :
- (a) That window was broken by those two boys.
 - (b) Who wrote this long poem ?
 - (c) When did you attend the viva voce ?
- 23 Rewrite the following text by correcting the collocation errors in it. Underline the changes you made :

When all candidates were gone, Julie was sitting lonely at the corner of the hall. She had no plan how to face her parents. She had come for the interview with much hopes and was even thinking of changing her residence to the city. But all her hopes were broken when the result came.

III. Answer any *two* of the following. (2 × 10 = 20 marks) :

- 24 Read the following passage and note the mistakes in it. Specify if the mistake is related to tense, concord, preposition etc. Rewrite the sentences correctly and justify each of the changes you made :

Why are drugs especially dangerous for young people? Young people's brains are growing and developing until they are in their mid-20's. This is especially true of the prefrontal cortex, which is used to form decisions. Taking drugs when young can interfere in developmental processes occurring in the brain. It can also effect their decision-making. They may be more likely to do risky things, such as unsafe sex and thoughtless driving. The earlier young people start using drugs, the greatest their chances of continuing to use them and become addicted for drugs later in life. Taking drags when you are young can contribute in the development of adult health problems, such as heart disease, high blood pressure, and sleep disorders.

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- 25 Elucidate any *five* rules of tag questions in English, giving two examples for each.
- 26 Rearrange the jumbled words given below to form meaningful sentences. Then identify the tense of each sentence :
- the temple architecture/form an/sculptures and paintings/ of/essential part.
 - we/enjoy/the/much more/borrowed ones/our own books/reading/than.
 - have become/part of/developing city/airports/an essential/a.
 - is situated/north-eastern/Konark temple/side/on the /of Puri.
 - that life began/centuries ago/scientists think/twenty million/on earth/about.
- 27 Study the following table and frame ten correct sentences from it. Use different structures/ tenses so that your answer includes statements, questions, negatives, and sentences in present, past and future tenses :

He			a new apartment
She			joined the army
It			learning how to lecture
They	Am/is/are/ was/ were		the letter nicely
We	Do/does/did	not	text me in time
I	Have/has/had		asked many questions
Jim and Jan	Will/will have		running a hotel in the town
Nancy			a new manager next week
			a lame foot
			waiting to argue with me.

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**THIRD SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
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English

ENG 3B 04—ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND USAGE

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time : Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

I. Read the following questions and do as directed. All questions can be answered. Each question carries 2 marks. Ceiling - 25 marks :

- 1 Here lies a man whose name was writ in water. Categorise the words in the sentence to *form class* and *function class*.
- 2 The pretty girl in blue salwar spoke eloquently. Identify the parts of speech of the underlined words.
- 3 Write a sentence with a *gerund* as its subject
- 4 There goes a harmless arrogant guy. Identify the mood of the sentence and justify your answer.
- 5 The chief guest *presented* her with the medal. Form two inflexional and derivational variants of the italicized word.
- 6 *Prem said, you can bank on me.* Identify the phrasal verb and write its meaning.
- 7 Make a sentence using the idiom, call it a day.
- 8 Develop the given pattern to a sentence. S + V + O + Participle.
- 9 The novel is about clash of civilizations. It is a must read. Convert the given sentences into a single sentence using any subordinate conjunction.
- 10 Can you say that bread and butter are a balanced diet ? Identify the mistake in the sentence and justify your correction.
- 11 Write a sentence which has one main clause and one dependent clause.
- 12 I had called him several times. Which is the tense used in the sentence.
- 13 Maya is bolder than any other student in the class. Rewrite the sentence in positive degree.

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14 She used to go to church occasionally. Correct the mistake if any in the sentence and justify your changes.

15 The boys went to play. Frame a Tag Question.

II. Read the following questions and do as directed. All questions can be answered. Each question carries 5 marks. Ceiling - 35 Marks :

16 Following are the sentences found in an advertisement. Analyse the pattern of each sentence and write what type they belong to :

- a) Branded items are here for sale
- b) You may please walk in and see for yourself
- c) What a wonderful collection is on display
- d) Why do you hesitate ?
- e) We promise you 100 % satisfaction

17 Analyse the given sentences, understand their tenses and convert them to corresponding past tenses :

- a) We are going to the theatre.
- b) I wake up at 6
- c) The building is nice to hang around

18 The given sentences were in an address made by Ram on learning Soorya's decision to go abroad. Try to correct the mistakes in the sentences if any :

- a) I am appreciating your decision to go abroad
- b) The youngsters are falling a prey to overseas consultants.
- c) Each one have to verify the authenticity of the consultants.

19 Identify the clauses in the given sentences and convert them to other types of sentences :

- a) Identifying the omission, she approached the publishers to edit it.
- b) The building in the compound was really enormous but still I could find out the office.

20 The auxiliary *can* is used to express ability and capability. Give two examples each for the above functions.

- 21 Each of the given sentences has a mistake. Identify the mistake and rewrite them correctly :
- Sheela and Gita comes from the hostel.
 - I am going to the Ooty during the winter.
 - Some video games is challenging.
- 22 Change the voice of the given sentences to the other :
- A notice was read out by the teacher.
 - Maya loves Dalmatians.
 - Did you receive the questions in time ?
- 23 Rewrite the following text by correcting the collocation errors in them. Underline the changes you make :

We had some plans to meet the customers. So this morning I took a little shower. As I was making for the bed, I could hear heavy rain outside. I checked closely the weather and saw it was going to be full of a wet day

III. Read the following questions and answer any *two* :

- 24 Read the given passage and list the mistakes in it. Specify if the mistake is related to tense, concord, preposition or verb. Rewrite the sentences correctly and justify each of the changes you made.

She didn't had money to buy the dress of her choice. She use her all resources to buy the next option, which was one of the most expensive dress in that shop and everyone pay attention on it. The customers shows similar interest by the same product at times.

- 25 Elucidate any five rules of reported speech and write two examples of each.
- 26 Rearrange the jumbled words given below to form meaningful sentences :
- to / the company / goods / Vietnam / exports.
 - Brother/ an/ wants /be/my/ astronaut /to
 - I read / paper / in the / burglar / been / caught / had / the / that
 - the storm /shed / damaged / the /was / during
 - would / no/ like / sight / one /to/ such / see / a

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- 27 Study the given table and frame 10 correct sentences from it. Use different structures or tenses so that your answer includes statements, questions, negatives, present, past and future sentences :

He	Is/am/are/was/were	At town plaza
She	Do/does/did	Go home by foot
It	Have/has/had	Swim for an hour
They	Will/will have	A lot of pet animals
We		To the cinema hall
I		Necessary tools to make it
Radha		The liberty to do it
Manu and Manju		Writing the exam
		Been in their destination
		Buy books

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**THIRD SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
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English

ENG 3B 04—ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND USAGE

(2019—2020 Admissions)

Time : Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

Section A*Answer at least **ten** questions.**Each question carries 3 marks.**All questions can be attended.**Overall Ceiling 30.*

1. The book I bought yesterday is quite interesting to read. Categorise the words in the sentence to *form class and function class*.
2. The legendary singers have set an example striving hard for perfection. Identify the parts of speech on the underlined words.
3. Write a sentence with a **gerund** as its subject
4. What a pleasant surprise! Identify the mood of the sentence and justify your answer.
5. The naughty kids kept playing in spite of the heavy rain. Form two inflexional and derivational variants of the italicized word.
6. The culprit got away as soon as the incident took place. Identify the phrasal verb and write its meaning.
7. Make a sentence using the idiom, better late than never.
8. Develop the given pattern to a sentence. S+V+O+Participle
9. The sanctuary is known for migratory birds. It has some rare trees in it. Convert the given sentences into a single sentence using any subordinate conjunction.
10. One of the student tripped and got injured. Identify the mistake in the sentence and justify your correction.

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11. Write a sentence which has one main clause and one dependent clause.
12. Masha has been playing hide and seek with the bear. Which is the tense used in the sentence.
13. Vimala is the best dancer among this group. Rewrite the sentence in comparative degree.
14. Her parents want that she studies more but she is very lazy. Correct the mistake if any in the sentence and justify your changes.
15. They should get vaccinated. Frame a Tag Question.

(10 × 3 = 30 marks)

Section B

Answer at least five questions.

Each question carries 6 marks.

All questions can be attended.

Overall Ceiling 30.

16. Following are the arguments in favour of a woman athlete. Analyse the pattern of each sentence and write what type they belong to :
 - a) She plays well for the team.
 - b) What a wonderful spectacle it is to see her on the track.
 - c) Please try to support her in her hour of need.
 - d) We must stop harassing her.
 - e) What is your opinion ?
17. Analyse the given sentences, understand their tenses and convert them to corresponding past tense forms.
 - a) I send the flowers to Delhi.
 - b) She pretends as if she doesn't know.
 - c) Shiju is going to Kottayam.
18. These are the sentences found in a brochure sent for editing. How will you correct it? Justify your answer.
 - a) I extending warm welcome to Kerala.
 - b) People of Kerala is known for their hospitality.
 - c) Kerala have been called a tourist hub.

19. Identify the clauses in the given sentences and convert them to other types of sentences :
- Crying aloud, the child rushed towards parents.
 - The book seems to be quite interesting but certain passages need editing.
20. The auxiliary *will* is used to express a request or intention. Give two examples each for the above functions.
21. Each of the given sentences has a mistake. Identify the mistake and rewrite them correctly :
- She going to England next week.
 - He come to college on a tricycle.
 - The puppies were heard bark throughout all night.
22. Change the voice of the given sentences to the other :
- Anupama will take care of your baggage.
 - The soldiers were defeated by the guerrilla fighters.
 - The birthday party was attended by Amina's dearest friends.
23. Rewrite the following text by correcting the collocation errors in them. Underline the changes you make :
- My sister made some breakfast. The idlis were soft but she made a sort of mess out of it. But she herself did wash all the dishes and so I can't complain. So we took some train to go to our destination. We had a great enjoyable time.

(5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Section C

*Answer any two questions.
Each question carries 10 marks.*

24. Read the given passage and list the mistakes in it. Specify if the mistake is related to tense, concord, preposition or verb. Rewrite the sentences correctly and justify each of the changes you made.
- She used to be sympathy to the man in blue. Occasionally she offer him food and some cash. The man started identify her as she was spotted by the street. The bond among them was so naturally evolved that others also start notice of this. The noble gesture was took up by other benevolent souls who made the man in blue more famous person on the street.
25. Elucidate the features of simple, complex and compound sentences and state the rules of transformation of sentences from simple to other forms with examples.

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26. Rearrange the jumbled words given below to form meaningful sentences.

- assistants /shop / required / salesman/ and / are
- money / you/me/ lend / can / some ?
- boys / succeed / always / hard working
- cave / could / explore / not/they/torch /the / without/a.
- I read / paper / in the / burglar / been / caught / had / the / that.

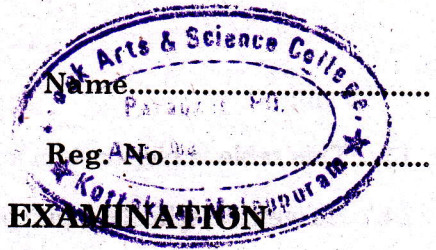
27. Study the given table and frame 10 correct sentences from it. Use different structures or tenses so that your answer includes statements, questions, negatives, present, past and future sentences.

He	Is/am/are/was/were	The marine drive
She	Do/does/did	Get some pictures
It	Have/has/had	See the event
They	Will/will have	A lot of questions
We		To consult the doctor
I		Finished their work
Kiran		Done it
Mary and Shiva		Walking all the way
		Been to Mumbai
		Paint well

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)

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**THIRD SEMESTER (CBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION
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English

ENG 3B 04—ENGLISH GRAMMAR AND USAGE

Time : Two Hours and a Half

Maximum : 80 Marks

Section A

Answer at least ten questions.

Each question carries 3 marks.

All questions can be attended.

Overall Ceiling 30.

1. Weather is becoming unpredictable these days. Categorise the words in the sentence to *form class* and *function class*.
2. *Jaya works relentlessly* to sustain her *superior status*. Identify the parts of speech on the italicised words.
3. Write a sentence with a *gerund* as its subject.
4. How dare you talk to me like that ? Identify the mood of the sentence and justify your answer.
5. Can you *suggest* a new title for this? Form two inflexional and derivational variants of the italicized word.
6. She finally gave in after battling the disease. Identify the phrasal verb and write its meaning.
7. Make a sentence using the idiom, break the ice.
8. Develop the given pattern to a sentence. S + V + O + Participle.
9. The river is dark. It is polluted by factory wastes. Convert the given sentences into a single sentence using any subordinate conjunction.
10. The Himalayas are the most imposing structure in the world. Identify the mistake in the sentence and justify your correction.
11. Write a sentence which has one main clause and one dependent clause.
12. . Jas is going to Mumbai this Friday. Which is the tense used in the sentence ?

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13. This table is bigger than yours. Rewrite the sentence in positive degree.
14. He went to school despite of his illness. Correct the mistake if any in the sentence and justify your changes.
15. The students weren't permitted to go for the study tour. Frame a tag question.

(10 × 3 = 30 marks)

Section B

Answer at least five questions.

Each question carries 6 marks.

All questions can be attended.

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16. Rani read these sentences out from a book. Analyse the pattern of each sentence and write what type they belong to :
 - (a) This mansion is 200 years old.
 - (b) Please pay attention to these pictures.
 - (c) What a lovely picture it is !
 - (d) Who do you think this is ?
 - (e) This was the last man who lived in this mansion.
17. Analyse the given sentences, understand their tenses and convert them to corresponding past tenses :
 - (a) The plane lands at 10 : 30.
 - (b) The noise of the moving train is horrible.
 - (c) The Santoor is a lovely instrument.
18. The given sentences were in a letter from Kiran to a friend. Find out grammatical mistakes if any and correct them. Justify your changes.
 - (a) The train reaching the station at 10 : 30.
 - (b) I am sure you will not be missing the station while you get down.
 - (c) A lot of passengers will have get down at the station along with you.

19. Identify the clauses in the given sentences and convert them to other types of sentences :
- (a) Seeing the policemen, the thief jumped across the compound wall.
 - (b) The plant is beautiful but it is carnivorous in nature.
20. The auxiliary *ought to* is used to express obligation and likelihood give two examples each for the above functions.
21. Each of the given sentences has a mistake. Identify the mistake and rewrite them correctly.
- (a) Rahul is mighty than Sahad.
 - (b) I cant say what go in your mind.
 - (c) This pictures worth Rs. 3,000.
22. Change the voice of the given sentences to the other :
- (a) The bus will be driven by an experienced driver.
 - (b) Did you see the rose flower in the garden ?
 - (c) The team is devising a new strategy.
23. Rewrite the following text by correcting the collocation errors in them. Underline the changes you make.

She likes to drink powerful coffee and want to study in a relax room. It can make a pleasurable feeling for her as she lies down thinking about doing her homework in the morning after making her bed.

(5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Section C

Answer any two questions.

Each question carries 10 marks.

24. Read the given passage and list the mistakes in it. Specify if the mistake is related to tense, concord, preposition or verb. Rewrite the sentences correctly and justify each of the changes you made.
- This morning I were making toast for breakfast. Me, Nisha and Priya sits together to have breakfast, we does not wait for Sruthi to join us as we have in a hurry to go for college.
25. Examine the main categories of adjectives in English by providing examples for each.

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26. Rearrange the jumbled words given below to form meaningful sentences :

- Society/is/discipline/of/foundation/the very.
- By/learning is/effective/doing/method/an.
- You/ life/become/without/ miserable/ at home/will.
- Obey/ a soldier/ or/ the orders/ a child/ a student/ must.
- For/ is/ our/ progress/ it/ a must/ country's.

27. Study the given table and frame 10 correct sentences from it. Use different structures or tenses so that your answer includes statements, questions, negatives, present, past and future sentences.

He	Is/am/are/was/were	The mischievous guy
She	Do/does/did	Went home early
It	Have/has/had	Ever talk to me like that
They	Will/will have	Red and blue combination
We		Hardly sleep yesterday
I		Enjoying a party with my classmates
Malini		Sings with a melodious voice
Ravi and Sangeeta -		Done that perfectly
		Help me prepare biriyani
		Always been the pet of her parents

(2 × 10 = 20 marks)