

# FD-971

BBA 1st Semester Examination, Dec.-Jan., 2021-22

#### **ENGLISH**

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Time : Three Hours]	[Maximum	Marks	:	90
	[Minimum Pass	Marks	:	32

**Note** : Answer **all** questions. The figures in the righthand margin indicate marks.

(a) Rewrite the sentences in suitable tense with the verbs given in brackets : (any eight) 1×8
(i) The earth ..... round the sun. (move, moves, moved)
(ii) I ..... him only one letter up to now. (sent, have sent, send)
(iii) I'm sure I ..... him at the party last night. (saw, have seen, had seen)

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- (*iv*) He thanked me for what I .......(have done, had done, have been doing)
- (v) Don't disturb me. I ..... my homework. (do, did, am doing)
- (vi) Look ! The sun ..... over the hills.

(rises, is rise, is rising)

- (vii) Everyday last week my aunt ..... a plate. (breaks, broke, was breaking)
- (*viii*)When we went to the cinema, the film ...... (already started, had already started, would already start)
- (ix) Sheila ..... her case, look.

(packed, has packed, had packed)

- (x) I meant to repair the radio, but ..... time to do it today. (am not having, haven't had, hadn't)
- (b) Fill in the blanks with suitable modals :  $1 \times 5$ 
  - (*i*) I don't think I (shall, should, can) be able to go.
  - (*ii*) He said I (can, might, should) use his telephone at any time.
  - (*iii*) I was afraid that if I asked him again he (can, may, might) refuse.

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(iv)	He (use	ed, 1s 1	used,	was	used)	to	play
	cricket	before	his	marr	iage.		

- (v) He (will, can might) come, but I should be surprised.
- (c) Point out the Participles and Gerund in the following sentences :

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- (*i*) He has ruined his sight by reading small print.
- (*ii*) Hearing the noise, he ran to the window.
- (iii) Amassing wealth often ruins health.
- *(iv)* She was angry at Saroja trying to lie to her.
- (v) Are you afraid of his hearing you?

#### 2. Do as directed :

- (a) Fill in the blanks with suitable relative pronouns : 1×5
  - (*i*) We always like boys ..... speak the truth.
  - (ii) Listen to ..... I say.
  - (iii) Do you know ..... has happened?
  - (iv) Do the same ..... I do.
  - (v) He is a man ..... you can trust.

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(b)	Combine the following sentences using 'but', or 'either or', 'neither nor', otherwise, or else :	2×5
	( <i>i</i> ) I don't like Stephen. I don't like Peter.	
	( <i>ii</i> ) He will not come here. He will not send a representative.	
	( <i>iii</i> ) We must hurry up. We will be late for the party.	
	<ul><li>(<i>iv</i>) She ought to put the meat in the oven now. Dinner will not be ready when the guests arrive.</li></ul>	
	(v) Walk carefully. You will fall.	
( <i>c</i> )	Do as directed :	1×3
	( <i>i</i> ) He reached the bus station. The bus came at once. (combine using no sooner than)	
	<ul><li>(<i>ii</i>) My friend saw me. He stopped his car at once. (combine using as soon as)</li></ul>	
	( <i>iii</i> ) You can borrow my car. You are careful. (combine using as long as)	
( <i>a</i> )	Combine the following sentences into simple sentences :	2×3
	( <i>i</i> ) I read the book. I returned it to the library.	

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## (ii) I have some work. I have to do it tonight. (iii) Farida is my tenant. She looks after the house very well. (b) Combine the following sentences into compound sentences : $2 \times 3$ (i) Bruce is very efficient at work. He is efficient at home too. (ii) You are quite intelligent. However, you don't think before you act. (iii) Larry watches the news. Bill makes news. (c) Combine the following sentences into complex sentences : $2 \times 3$ (i) He will get us out of this difficulty. His way of doing it is known to no one but himself. (ii) The rose is the sweetest of flowers. This is certain. (iii) He is going to some place. No one knows it. $1\frac{1}{2} \times 6$ (a) Change the narration (any six): 4. (i) 'Bring me a drink of milk', said the Swami to the villagers. (ii) He said, 'My God ! I am ruined.'

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- (iii) 'How smart you are !' She said. (*iv*) He asked me where I was going. (v) The stranger asked Alice where she lived. (vi) He told us that he had waited an hour. (vii) He asked me if I would accompany him. (b) Change the voice (any six):  $1\frac{1}{2} \times 6$ They know me. *(i)* (ii) The boy is climbing the cliff. (iii) I offered him a chair. (iv) He will be greatly surprised if he is chosen. (v) We shall be blamed by everyone. (vi) Honey is made by bees. (vii) The boy was praised by the teacher. (viii) I was offered a chair. (a) Write an essay on any one of the following topics in about 200 words : 6 *(i)* **Global Warming** (ii) The effect of COVID-19 in India
  - (iii) Social Media as a career

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( <i>b</i> )	Write a paragraph on any <b>one</b> of the following topics in about 150 words :
	(i) Electric vehicles in India
	(ii) Pollution due to urbanization
	(iii) Usage of technology in education
(c)	Write a letter on any <b>one</b> of the following :
	( <i>i</i> ) Write a letter to your Collector to restrict noise pollution during examination.

(*ii*) Write a letter to a landlord, asking that certain repairs be done to the house in which you are living.

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