

## FOURTH SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2019

(CUCBCSS—UG)

English

ENG 4B 02—METHODOLOGY OF HUMANITIES

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

I. Answer *all* the questions :

1 Methods that are creative and speculative are employed by :

- (a) Social Science. (b) Humanities.  
(c) Physical Science. (d) Natural Science.

2 History deals with :

- (a) Fancies. (b) Facts.  
(c) Hypotheses of past. (d) Beliefs.

3 Twentieth century literary criticism attempted to keep away from :

- (a) Discussion on reality. (b) Discussion on truth.  
(c) Discussion on taste. (d) Discussion on value.

4 Father of modern linguistics :

- (a) Saussure. (b) Bloomfield.  
(c) Halliday. (d) Chomsky.

5 *Death of the Author* is written by :

- (a) Dryden. (b) Roland Barthes.  
(c) Mathew Arnold. (d) Frantz Fanon.

6 The linguistic sign is an ————— link between a significant and signified :

- (a) Affiliatory. (b) Arbitrary.  
(c) Affective. (d) Attractive.

7 Who is the founder of deconstruction ?

- (a) Roland Barthes. (b) Jacques Derrida.  
(c) Kent. (d) Saussure.

Turn over

- 8 Which among the following is a type of invalid knowledge ?
- (a) Inference. (b) Testimony.  
(c) Tarka. (d) Doubt.
- 9 Yoga school of philosophy was founded by :
- (a) Yogananda. (b) Nimbaraka.  
(c) Patanjali. (d) Nagarjuna.
- 10 The earliest available Indian literature on record are the :
- (a) Puranas. (b) Sasthras.  
(c) Vedas. (d) Itihasas.

(10 × 1 = 10 marks)

II. Answer any *ten* questions in a sentence *or* two :

- 11 What are Axioms ?
- 12 What is Social Science ?
- 13 What are values ?
- 14 What are constructivist theories ?
- 15 Define Linguistics.
- 16 Subjectivity.
- 17 What do you mean by Habitualisation ?
- 18 Which are two ways of representing the reality ?
- 19 *Sjuzet*.
- 20 Which are the three components of narratives ?
- 21 Architextuality.
- 22 *Jnana* and *Prama*.

(10 × 2 = 20 marks)

III. Answer any *four* questions in a *paragraph* of 100 words each :

- 23 What are the views of Plato and Aristotle on literature ?
- 24 Difference between *langue* and *parole*.

- 25 Explain habitualization.
- 26 *Diegesis*.
- 27 Two broad divisions of the schools of Indian Philosophy.
- 28 What do you understand by objectivity in scientific enquiry ?

(4 × 5 = 20 marks)

IV. Answer any *two* questions in 300 words :

- 29 What are the differences between social sciences and natural sciences ?
- 30 Discuss language in relation to caste, class, race and gender.
- 31 Attempt an essay on Narratives.
- 32 Trace the evolution of Indian Philosophy.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)