B. Ed. (Sem. I) Examination
May/June - 2014
EDEC-123 : English Content & Methodology

Time : 3 Hours] [Total Marks : 70

1 Attempt any two of the following questions : 20
   (a) Answer any two of the following questions. 10
      (i) State kinds of verbs with adequate illustrations.
      (ii) How many articles are there in English ? Show the different uses of article 'the'.
      (iii) What is a sentence ? How do simple, compound and complex sentences differ structurally ?
   (b) Do as directed : 10
      (i) The habit of _____ too much is harmful. (talk)
      (ii) We should keep our promises given to others. (Change the voice)
      (iii) Ankita expresses her thoughts more impressively than Hema. (Change the degree)
      (iv) Run or you will miss the train. (use 'unless')
      (v) The maid servant works well _____ ? (Add question tag)
(vi) Trupti asked Premlata, "Will you accompany me?" (Change the narration)
(vii) Every girl was in her uniform. (use 'All)
(viii) What a waste of time!
     (Make it 'assertive')
(ix) After he ______ his work, he went out to play. (do)
(x) May I ask you difficult questions?
     (use 'Let')

(c) Do as directed:

(i) Finish your work and go home.
    (use 'before')

(ii) The class rooms ______ by the peon everyday. (clean)

(iii) Within fifteen minutes, Safina had taught the whole lesson. (Change the voice)

(iv) Mr. Shah said, "Mina, do your work yourself". (Turn into indirect speech)

(v) I would like a pen ______ in Japan. (make)

(vi) Obama is one of the most popular leaders of the world. (Turn into positive degree)

(vii) She saw a very horrible scence. (Make it exclamatory)

(viii) Meshwa always tells truth ______? (Add a question tag)

(ix) As soon as the sun sets, the gates are closed. (use 'No....sooner')

(x) She didn't phone me. She didn't come personally. (Join with Neither .... nor)
2 Answer any four of the following questions:  
(i) Write a short note on: Juliane, a girl of great courage.  
(ii) Describe the end of the story 'Test of True love'.  
(iii) Why can't the poet stop in the woods for a long time?  
(iv) Write a short note on 'Japan-The land of rising sun'.  
(v) Write five sentences on Anne Sullivan.  
(vi) What, according to the poet, decides our victory or failure?

3 Answer the following questions:  
(i) Make a sentence using 'on account of'.  
(ii) Give adjective form of: industry, educational.  
(iii) What is prefix?  
(iv) The matter was urgent _____ he sent a telegram. (and, but, so)  
(v) What is rising tone?

4 Answer any two of the following questions:  
(a) 'Oral work is the quickest way of teaching English'. Discuss keeping in view the objectives and techniques of oral work.  
(b) Enlist the various types of teaching aids. How are role-play games and the language laboratory useful to the students of English?  
(c) What are the aims of teaching reading at secondary schools? Discuss the different types of reading with their aims and limitations.
5 Answer any two of the following questions : 10
(a) When can the teacher use the mother tongue while teaching English ?
(b) 'Motivation is the precondition of learning'. Discuss.
(c) What is the importance of writing ? State the qualities of good handwriting.

6 Answer the following sentences in short : 5
(i) What is attention ?
(ii) Name any four types of dictionaries.
(iii) Mention four main objectives of teaching English.
(iv) How will you introduce two meanings of the word 'bank' ?
(v) Prepare a B.B. note on the any unit of your choice.