

**September 2018**  
Bachelor of Business Administration (BBA) Examination

(Full Time) (New) Second Semester  
BB-205 : ENGLISH

Time 3 Hours

[Max. Marks 80]

**Note :** Answer all five questions. All questions carry equal marks.

1. A. G. Gardiner believes "Bad manners probably do more to poison the stream of general life than all the crimes of calendar". Elaborate.

OR

Write Gardiner's view as discussed in his essay "On Keyhole Morals".

2. Explain reference to context any two of the following :

(a) A lilly of a day

Is fairer fair in May,

Although it fall and die that night,

It was the plant and flower of light

In small proportions we just beauties see.

And in short measures, life may perfect be :

(b) That murmurs soon replies "God doth not need".

Either man's work or his own gift who best

Bear his mild yoke, they serve him best.

(c) How does Milton take the curse of his blindness as a boon in his sonnet "On His Blindness"?

(d) Critically evaluate the poem "Elegy Written in a Country Churchyard".

3. Write an essay on any one of the following topic

(a) Every cloud has a silver lining.

(b) A man is known by the company he keeps.

(c) Globalization.

4. Write the stages of "Precis Writing".

OR

Write letter to the Managing Director of your company for New Marketing Plan and Branding.

5. Do as directed : (any sixteen)

(1) Who did it. (Change the voice)

(2) Teachers said "Perform your duties honestly". (Change the narration)

(3) Gold is precious of all metals. (Positive degree)

(4) Hurry up otherwise you ..... miss the bus. (Put will or shall)

(5) She ..... sit there for hours. (Put would or should)

(6) ..... God bless you with success. (Fill suitable modals)

(7) My brother and ..... had a fight. (Use Pronoun)

(8) I have been unwell ..... Monday. (Correct preposition)

(9) The bell rang. The boy left the class. (Combine using No sooner ..... than)

(10) Honest man speaks ..... truth.

(11) The train goes ..... Mumbai. (till / until / to)

(12) ..... plate is no good; we need ..... dozen. (a / an / one)

(13) Radha lives in Mumbai since 2005. (Change the Tense)

(14) Who taught you to dance. (Change the voice)

(15) They cook food for ..... (Use Pronoun)

(16) Monalisa painted by Leonardo. (Change the voice)

(17) Always ..... to answer the questions briefly. (trying, try, tries)

(18) By the end of the next week, you ..... your work. (finish) (Put future perfect tense)

(19) Tailor stitches the clothes. (Change the voice)

(20) There are some letters for me. (Change the voice)