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**BACHELOR OF MEDICAL RECORD SCIENCE DEGREE EXAMINATION**

(For candidates admitted from 2006-07 onwards)

First Year

**Paper III – ENGLISH COMMUNICATION SKILLS**

*Q.P. Code : 704913*

**Time : Three hours**

**Maximum : 100 marks**

**Answer ALL questions**

**I. Rewrite the following as directed:**

**(25X1=25)**

**1 to 4 – Change the sentences into active or passive voice.**

1. He has made this box. (into passive)
2. The boy ate the fruit. (into passive)
3. A letter is written by Mohan. (into active)
4. My purse has been lost by me. (into active)

**5 to 8 – Fill in the blanks with the verbs in correct tense:**

5. No, he isn't here: \_\_\_\_\_ (go) out.
6. The temple \_\_\_\_\_ (build) during the twelfth century.
7. Factory \_\_\_\_\_ (Close) for six months.
8. She \_\_\_\_\_ (clean) the room when the door bell rang.

**9 to 13 – Change sentences into indirect speech:**

9. He said to the sales person, "How much does the equipment weigh?"
10. My uncle told me, "I don't know about this subject. So I can't offer you advice".
11. The teacher said to students, "Don't work in the laboratory barefoot".
12. The Poet said, "What a piece of work is man! How noble in reason! How infinite in faculty!".
13. The factory supervisor told the worker, "You can clean this tool with emery cloth".

**14 to 17 – Fill in the blanks with the proper verb:**

14. Hydrogen \_\_\_\_\_ (is/was) lighter than air.
15. He \_\_\_\_\_ (has/have) raised this tempest.
16. Joy's father \_\_\_\_\_ (go/goes) to his office regularly.
17. I did not \_\_\_\_\_ (saw/see) him yesterday.
18. He was ill and so he was absent. (into complex sentence).
19. His dog followed wherever he went. (into compound sentence)
20. The film is good to see. (Frame a Yes or No question)
21. You have enough money. (Frame a Yes or No question)
22. You want to see the doctor Rames. (Frame a question using 'Which')
23. I go to complain. (Frame a question using 'Where')
24. She looks very nice. (Frame a question using 'How')
25. I am writing. (Frame a question using 'What')

**II. 1 to 15 – Give the meanings of the words/phrases.**

**(15X1=15)**

1. Gland
2. Angiography
3. Tonsillitis.
4. Pellagra.
5. Physiology.
6. Orchidectomy.
7. Glaucoma.

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8. Hemolysis.
9. Hydrocele.
10. Hepatitis.
11. Ischemia.
12. Thrombus.
13. Paralysis.
14. Meningitis.
15. Oophorectomy.

**16 to 30 – Frame sentences using the words/phrases:**

**(15X1=15)**

16. Reliance
17. Splendour.
18. Abbreviate.
19. Abuse.
20. Alien.
21. Defect.
22. Horrible.
23. Impulse.
24. Obstacle.
25. Quake.
26. Studious.
27. Ultimate.
28. Pollute.
29. Proficient.
30. Quest.

**III. Summarize the given passage to one third of its length. Give a suitable title.**

**(1X15=15)**

Once, a great Chinese traveler by name Huentasang came to India. He studied Buddhism for sometime in the Nalanda University: and then, while returning to his country he carried with him some manuscript granthas relating to Buddhism. He was sailing on the Bay of Bengal on his way to China.

In Order to bid farewell to him, two Buddhist scholars by name Gnangupta and Tyagaraja were accompanying him to board the ship. The ship was sailing forth. Unexpectedly, dark clouds appeared in the sky. All the members on board in the ship feared danger to their lives because terrific tempests and cyclonic winds began to blow. The captain of the ship gave orders to the crew that if anyone had with them those manuscript.

At that time, Gnangupta and Tyagaraja said to him, "These works are a treasure house of knowledge. Please do not cast them into the sea". He got ready to throw them into the sea. "Man's life is transitory and perishable. Knowledge is permanent and imperishable. Please do not throw away these extra ordinary granthas. From these granthas thousands of people will obtain light which will lead them on the path of Nirvan (Salvation) and they will get supreme bliss in consequence". Having said, those great Indian scholars jumped into the tempestuous sea.

**IV. Letter writing:**

**(1X15=15)**

Write a letter to your family describing your first experience in the hospital where you have just joined.

**V. Write an essay in about 350 words on ONE of the topics.**

**(1X15=15)**

- a) Blessing of science.
- b) The importance of water in our life.

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