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BCMENL 203

**III Semester B.Com. Degree Examination,
October/November 2019**

(Credit Based Semester Scheme)

(Common to All Batches)

ENGLISH

**Shri Dharmasthala Manjunatheswara
College of Business Management Library
MANGALORE - 575 003**

General Proficiency and Communicative English

Time : 3 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 80

SECTION - A

1. Answer **any three** of the following questions in not more than **two** pages each : **(3 × 10 = 30)**
- Discuss Billy Biswas as a tragic character.
 - What are your impressions of Romi as a narrator?
 - Compare and contrast Meena and Tuula Lindgren.
 - Describe the significance of the Chandtola in the tribal world.
 - Attempt a character sketch of Billy Biswas based on the study of The Strange Case of Billy Biswas.

SECTION - B

2. Answer **any five** of the following questions in **a** page each : **(5 × 6 = 30)**
- How does Billy cure Situ's illness?
 - What is the significance of the incident of Banjaras?
 - Write a note on the relationship between Situ and Meena.
 - What is the significance of the incident involving Rima in Bombay?
 - Write a note on Billy's parent.
 - What are the various theories proposed regarding the disappearance of Billy and how does it conclude?
 - Write a short note on Dhunia.
 - Why do the tribals revere Chandtola?



SECTION - C

3. Do as directed :
- (a) Punctuate the following sentence using capital letters wherever necessary : (5)
the visitor asked where is the railway station

 - (b) Rearrange the following details in bibliographic format : (3)
Book : Wise and otherwise
Publisher : East West Company
Place : Madras
Author : Sudha Murthy
Year : 2002

 - (c) Interpret **any one** of the following notices in **one** or **two** sentences : (2)
 - (i) Keep silence
 - (ii) No parking
 - (iii) Photography prohibited
4. Write a dialogue of about **10-15 sentences** on any **one** of the following : (5)
- (a) Two men discuss their plans after retirement.
 - (b) Two classmates discuss their education tour to Madikeri.
 - (c) Two women exchange ideas about planning Diwali celebration.
5. (a) Prepare an advertisement within a frame with a slogan and USP for a newly launched Android Phone. (5)

Or

- (b) Prepare an advertisement within a frame with a slogan and USP for a newly launched Organic Shampoo.