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**M.Sc. IT - Software Development (Web & Mobile) Sem.-III**

**5 Year Integrated**

**AEC-235 : English for Excellence**

**Time : 1 Hour]**

**[Max. Marks : 25**

- Instructions :**
- (1) Attempt **all** questions.
  - (2) Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
  - (3) Figures to the right indicate full marks.

1. Summarize the story 'After Twenty Years' in your own words. **10**

**OR**

1. Describe the school as well as school master from the poem 'The Village Schoolmaster'. **10**

2. Change the following passage into indirect sentences : **10**

The shopkeeper : "Welcome to my store! What would you like to buy today?"

Meera replied : "I need some fresh vegetables for tonight's dinner."

Meera asked : "How much do the tomatoes cost per kilogram?"

The shopkeeper : "They are ₹ 40 per kg."

Meera : "Alright, please give me two kilograms of tomatoes."

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2. Convert the following active voice sentences into passive voice sentences : 10

- (1) Priya prepares delicious khichdi every Sunday.
- (2) The students celebrated garba in the school auditorium.
- (3) My grandmother tells fascinating stories about the Ramayana.
- (4) The Indian cricket team won the world cup trophy last year.
- (5) Local artisans make beautiful Madhubani paintings in Bihar.
- (6) The government launched a new metro line in Ahmedabad.
- (7) Street vendors sell fresh samosas near the railway station.
- (8) Ravi teaches Gujarati to foreign students at the university.
- (9) The farmers grow organic mangoes in the orchards of Ratnagiri.
- (10) The dance troupe performed Bharatanatyam at the cultural festival.

3. Find out if the following statements are **True** or **False**. Answer any **five** statements. 5

- (1) Happy and joyful are \_\_\_\_\_. (synonyms / antonyms)
- (2) The prefix *un-* in the word *unhappy* means \_\_\_\_\_.
- (3) Hot and cold are \_\_\_\_\_ antonyms. (gradable / complementary)
- (4) The poem 'The Village Schoolmaster' was written by \_\_\_\_\_.
- (5) In the story 'After Twenty Years', \_\_\_\_\_ had become a successful businessman in the West.
- (6) The bearded man gives old woman his last \_\_\_\_\_ pies.

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