



PG – 805

I Semester M.T.T.M. (Integrated Course) Degree
Examination, December 2015
(2014-15 and Onwards) (CBCS Scheme)
Paper – 1.1 : TOURISM AND TRAVEL MANAGEMENT
Language English – I

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 70

PART – A
(Experience)

I. Answer **any five** of the following in **one** or **two** sentences : (5x2=10)

- 1) What was the subject in which Carson specialised while in college ?
- 2) Where do rich American middle classes who own a car usually go ? Why ?
- 3) Did Mark Dubois and Medha Patkar know each other and plan their actions similarly ?
- 4) What does the tenant request the landlord to do ?
- 5) How did 'madam' respond to carmens request for money ?
- 6) What was the matter of anxiety for Allarakhi on the pay day ?
- 7) What was the head masters reaction when Jerome tried to get the details of the pig ?

II. Write short notes on **any three** of the following : (3x5=15)

- 1) Give an account of Rachel Carson's interests during her students days in school and college.
- 2) According to the poet Gordon J.L. Ramel, why do people kill tigers ?
- 3) Discuss how the judge and the landlord are unjust in their behaviour towards the tenant in 'Ballad of the landlord'.
- 4) Why does the narrator feel that Jeromes aunt had no sense of humour ?
- 5) Why did Allarakhi carry her child to the work place ? Explain her encounter with the Inspector in that situation.

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III. Write an essay on **any one** of the following :

(1×10=10)

- 1) Why, according to Toffler is society undergoing such rapid change ?
- 2) Bring out the significance of the title "She spoke for all nature".
- 3) How does the mistress treat her maid in 'The Advance' ?

PART - B
(Expression)

IV. Do as directed :

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1) Fill in the blanks with suitable articles :

- a) My sister is _____ engineer.
- b) Is there _____ hospital in your village ?

2) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions :

- a) I wrote the letter _____ a pencil.
- b) We lived in Paris _____ six months.

3) Fill in the blanks with correct verb form :

- a) Raju _____ in Bengaluru last week. (to be)
- b) Fifty thousand rupees _____ too much for a camera. (to be)

4) Fill in the blanks with either the present simple or the present progressive forms of the verbs given in the brackets :

- a) They are _____ at that shop for now. (to work)
- b) Fashion trends are _____ rapidly. (to change)

5) Punctuate the following :

tony an african mttm first semester student went to brigade road to purchase books he was told to go to avenue road and make the purchase as the books were available there at a cheaper rate.



V. Read the following passage and answer the questions below :

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The Taj Mahal has become one of the world's best known monuments. This domed white marble structure is situated on a high plinth at the Southern end of a four-quartered garden, evoking the gardens of paradise, enclosed within walls measuring 305 by 549 metres. Outside the walls, in an area known as Mumtazabad, were living quarters for attendants, markets, serais and other structures built by local merchants and nobles. The tomb complex and the other imperial structures of Mumtazabad were maintained by the income of thirty villages given specifically for the Tomb's support. The name Taj Mahal is unknown in Mughal Chronicles, but it is used by contemporary Europeans in India, suggesting that this was the Tomb's popular name. In contemporary texts, it is generally called simply the illuminated Tomb (Rauza-i-Munavvara).

Mumtaz Mahal died shortly after delivering her fourteenth child in 1631. The Mughal court was then residing in Burhanpur. Her remains were temporarily buried by the grief-stricken emperor in a spacious garden known as Zainabad on the bank of the river Tapti. Six months later her body was transported to Agra, where it was interred in land chosen for the mausoleum. This land, situated South of the Mughal city on the bank of the Jamuna, had belonged to the Kachhwaha rajas since the time of Raja Man Singh and was purchased from the then current raja, Jai Singh. Although contemporary chronicles indicate Jai Singh's willing cooperation in this exchange, extant *farmans* (imperial commands) indicate that the final price was not settled until almost two years after the mausoleum's commencement. Jai Singh's further cooperation was insured by imperial orders issued between 1632 and 1637 demanding that he provide stone masons and carts to transport marble from the mines at Makrana. Within his "ancestral domain", to Agra where both the Taj Mahal and Shah Jahan's additions to the Agra fort were constructed concurrently.

Work on the mausoleum was commenced early in 1632. Inscriptional evidence indicates much of the Tomb was completed by 1636. By 1643, when Shah Jahan most lavishly celebrated the 'Urs ceremony for Mumtaz Mahal', the entire complex was virtually complete.

**Questions :**

- 1) Which stone was used for construction of the Taj Mahal ?
- 2) Who named as Taj Mahal ?
- 3) When was the construction of Taj Mahal was completed ?
- 4) Who celebrated the 'Urs Ceremony for Mumtaz Mahal' ?
- 5) In which year Mumtaz died and how ?

VI. Do as directed :**(3+3+4=10)**

- 1) Introduce your H.O.D. to your father.
- 2) Give instructions to your friend on how to book a bus ticket ?
- 3) How will you enquire about how to buy an air ticket in reservations office of an airport ?

VII. Write a paragraph of about 100-150 words on **any one of the following :****5**

- 1) Mysore-Heritage tourist Destination.
- 2) Importance of Tourism and Travel Management Education.