

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

Term-End Examination

December, 2015

ES-344 : TEACHING OF ENGLISH

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Weightage : 70%

- Note :** (i) All questions are *compulsory*.
(ii) All questions *carry equal weightage*.

1. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

English is considered to be "a passport to higher educational opportunities and better economic gains". Do you agree ? Justify your answer by bringing out the status of English and objectives of teaching it in India.

OR

List 3 common approaches/methods of teaching English. Which one of them do you think is the best ? Justify your answer.

2. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

What is the importance of good hand writing ? Suggest some strategies to improve writing skill.

OR

Discuss the role of grammar in teaching learning of English. How will you plan practical activities for teaching grammar to students of class VIII .

3. Answer **any four** of the following questions in about **150** words each :

- (a) Differentiate between active and passive vocabulary.
- (b) What is the role of scanning in reading comprehension ?
- (c) What is 'information transfer' ? What is its role in developing writing skills.
- (d) Discuss any 2 characteristics of reading.
- (e) How will you teach grammar through drama ?
- (f) Discuss the most important objectives for teaching reading according to you.

4. Answer the following question in about **600** words :

Suppose you are appointed in English medium school as a teacher for class 8th. Draw up a plan for developing proficiency of your students in listening-speaking skills.
