

FEG-02

Bachelor's Degree Programme (BDP)

ASSIGNMENT

(For July 2021 and January 2022 Sessions)

FEG-02: Foundation Course in English-2



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FOUNDATION COURSE IN ENGLISH-2 (FEG-02)

Programme: BDP/2021-22

Course Code: FEG-02

Dear student,

You are required to do **one** assignment for the Foundation Course in English-02. It is a Tutor Marked Assignment (TMA) and carries 100 marks. It covers four blocks of the course.

Aims: The TMA is primarily concerned with assessing your writing and study skills. You should not reproduce chunks of information from the units but effectively use the skills that you may have acquired during the course of study to compose your answers. These assignments aim to teach as well as to assess your performance.

Guidelines: You will be required to write a paragraph, an essay, reports, make notes and summarize.

As in day-to-day life, **planning** is important in attempting the assignment as well. Read the assignment carefully; go through the units on which the questions are based; jot down some points regarding each question and then re-arrange them in a logical order. Pay attention to your introduction and conclusion. The introduction must tell you how to interpret the given topic and how you propose to develop it. The conclusion must summarize your views on the topic.

Make sure that your answer:

- a) is logical
- b) is written in simple and correct English
- c) does not exceed the number of words indicated in your questions
- d) is written neatly and clearly

Please remember that it is compulsory to submit your assignment before you can take the Term End Examination. If you have not submitted the assignment in time you will not be allowed to appear in examination. Also remember to keep a copy of your assignment with you and to take a receipt from your Study Centre when you submit the assignment.

The completed assignment should be sent to the Coordinator at the Study Centre allotted to you.

Last date for submission of assignment:

For June Examination: 31st March

For December Examination: 30th September

Good Luck!

Foundation Course in English-2(FEG-02) Assignment

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Max. Marks: 100**

Attempt all the questions

1. Read the following passage and make notes in an appropriate format: (15)

Most of us nowadays carry the world in our pocket! It is amazing, but true. A mobile phone keeps us connected to the rest of the world all of the time. Today, parents do not have to remain in tension if their sons or daughters are late. Businessmen do not have to queue up before a telephone booth to make an important call. Apart from making calls and sending messages, the mobile phone is used as a multipurpose gadget. It is a calculator, a timepiece, a calendar, a voice recorder, a media player, a camera, a gaming device, a net browser, and so much more. The invention of mobile phones is a great achievement and plays an important part in our daily lives. Its many aspects are beneficial but it has some negative effects as well. The development of the mobile phone has made our lives very convenient. Communication between people has become quite easy and very fast. We can keep in contact with others from any place on the bus, in a street or while in a meeting, by sending a message that costs us much less than the price of a call. The Internet can be accessed through it and it is also used to take photos and shoot videos. Business deals can be done on a single call through a cell phone outside the office, in a park, or in any shopping centre. This invention gets the world closer and makes it easily accessible. Though the mobile phone is a giant step of technological advancement, its abuses cannot at all be overlooked. Talking or texting while driving may lead to accidents. The radiations of mobile may be dangerous to health and may cause headaches, earaches, and blurring vision. These invisible radiations destroy the cells located in the ear which cause damage to the brain and to the nephrons in the head region. Its use in certain places causes disturbance sometimes, such as in a classroom, a movie theatre, or a hospital, etc. Mobile phones with cameras are causing serious privacy problems with people using them as a hidden camera to take pictures and make videos. And although the mobile phone brings the world in our pockets by keeping us connected all of the time, it also unfortunately disconnects us from our loved ones.

2. Write a summary of the passage and give it an appropriate title. (15)
3. Write a paragraph of 100-150 words on any one of the following topics: (10)
- a) Covid 19 b) The role of media
4. You are the Secretary of the Students Union in your college. Write a report in 250 words of a meeting held to discuss the forthcoming Annual Cultural Program. (20)

5. Write a report in 250 words of an interview you had with a Film Star who graduated from your institution. (20)

6. Write a composition of 250-300 words based on any **one** of the pictures given below: (20)

(a)



(b)



(c)



(d)

