

**CERTIFICATE PROGRAMME IN  
FUNCTIONAL ENGLISH (CFE)**

**Term-End Examination**

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**BEG-004 : ENGLISH IN DAILY LIFE**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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**Note :** *All questions are compulsory.*

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1. Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow :

Many psychologists lay great emphasis on the process of socialization and its role in moral development. Sigmund Freud argued that the young child's inappropriate impulses and desires can be controlled only through socialization. Here, the word 'socialization' refers to the way peers, adults and society in general, condition the child to conform to their rules. But as you can imagine, things are nowhere near as simple as 'taking in the external rules and acting according to them'. Young people, if and when they attend to the moral values expressed by the adults, do not always accept them. Hostility, anger and rejection are common, even when a young person is outwardly obedient.

What does research tell us that could help us in our work ? Although most studies involve parents and their children, the same principles apply to any adult interacting with young people. Psychologists Joan Grusec and Jacqueline Goodnow, for example, have focused on discipline encounters, trying to discover what works and what does not. They have discovered several factors that influence internalisation, having to do with the situation, the adult's characteristics and the student's temperament. For example, adult statements may sometimes be irrelevant, such as when they say, 'This is not the first time you have done this' or 'And another thing you always do is...'. Whatever the situation, ultimately two things must happen for a value to be internalized :

(A) the child's perception of the adult's viewpoint must be accurate, and

(B) she must accept, not reject it.

- (a) (i) Give an appropriate title to the passage. 2
- (ii) What do you make of 'Socialization' ? 2
- (iii) Why is socialization essential in the development of children ? 2
- (iv) What factors are important in the process of socialization according to psychologists Grusec and Goodnow ? 2
- (v) Give antonyms of the words hostility, obedience, rejection, wrong. 4

- (b) State whether the statements given below are *True* or *False* :  $3 \times 1 = 3$
- (i) Socialization is a process whereby the child learns through interaction with adults.
  - (ii) Young people accept moral values easily.
  - (iii) For smooth socialization, the child must accept the adult's viewpoint.

2. Do as directed :  $10 \times 2 = 20$

- (a) The book of detective stories is lying on the table. (Change into an interrogative sentence)
- (b) I reached home. I found a big lock on the door. (Combine the two sentences with 'when')
- (c) Mohan \_\_\_\_\_ (compose) a new song for the college event. (Write the correct verb form)
- (d) The mother said, "Alas ! I have lost my son." (Rewrite in the indirect speech)
- (e) Some unknown students locked Rohan inside the classroom. (Change the voice)
- (f) Mahesh with his friends want to go for Shimla during their summer break. (Correct the sentence)
- (g) Harishchandra was known for his truthfulness. (Change into negative sentence)

- (h) She is too old to walk for long distances.  
(Use 'so... that')
- (i) The playground was occupied by them.  
(Begin with 'They')
- (j) I like to play the \_\_\_\_\_ (tough, tougher, toughest) of all games. (Choose the correct word)

**3.** Identify the prepositions in the given sentences. *5×1=5*

- (a) He noticed that there was something fishy in the discussion.
- (b) He threw all the luggage over the wall.
- (c) Ram has been working in the college for the last many years.
- (d) How many people will actually come to the conference ?
- (e) The cat climbed the tree to escape a dog.

**4.** Transform the given sentences into passive or active voice : *5×1=5*

- (a) The Judge announced a sentence of 10 years imprisonment to the criminal.
- (b) Agatha has bought the latest edition of Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary.
- (c) We should obey all the traffic rules.
- (d) No one can encroach upon government land.
- (e) The New Education Policy was placed on the table of the House by the Education Minister.

5. The use and arrival of social media was exciting and refreshing in the beginning but now it is resulting into loss of time and distraction among the youth in particular. Write your experiences and views on the advantages and disadvantages of social media. 15
6. Crimes against senior citizens are increasing day by day and we are least prepared to deal with it. Write an essay on this issue suggesting some remedies. 20
7. The issue of climate change is inviting everyone's attention. However, the younger generation needs to be more aware and take steps to overcome the difficulties that may arise out of it. Write a letter to the Chief Minister suggesting necessary steps to be taken for the sensitization of youth about it. 20
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