

**D. K. M. COLLEGE FOR WOMEN (AUTONOMOUS), VELLORE-1**  
**SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

**APRIL - 2018**

**15SEN6A**

**SKILL BASED SUBJECT - IV : ENGLISH FOR COMPETITIVE EXAMINATIONS**

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Time : 2 Hours

Max. Marks : 50

**SECTION-A ( 10 x 2 = 20 )**

**Answer ALL the questions.**

1. Correct the following.
  - a. Whom do you think is the thief?
  - b. Ram and me attended the party.
2. Choose the correct answer.
  - (i) I saw her \_\_\_\_\_ in the field.  
(a) reap (b) reaping (c) to reap (d) to be reaping.
  - (ii) When I was a child, I \_\_\_\_\_ to school every day.  
(a) had walked (b) walked (c) have been walking (d) have walked.
  - (iii) India has been Independent \_\_\_\_\_.  
(a) In 1947 (b) since 1947 (c) after 1947 (d) at 1947.
  - (iv) I \_\_\_\_\_ him only one letter until now.  
(a) had sent (b) am sending (c) send (d) have sent.
3. What is called tag questions?
4. Identify the sentence pattern.
  - (a) The boys played cricket yesterday.
  - (b) Johan gave Mary a ring.
5. Complete the following sentence.
  - (a) Unhygienic surroundings \_\_\_\_\_ health problems.
  - (b) To be \_\_\_\_\_ I think you did not do the right thing.
6. Write the synonyms for the following.
  - (a) Prejudice (b) Tasty.
7. Write the antonyms for the following.
  - (a) Admire (b) Famous.
8. Write a layout of a formal letter.
9. What is called Report writing?
10. What are the characteristic of good essay?

**SECTION- B ( 3 x 10 = 30 )**

**Answer any THREE of the following questions.**

11. Write an essay on "The importance of Newspaper".
12. Write a report on the free medical camp held in a village by your N.S.S. Unit.
13. Imagine that you are the president of your college union. Write a letter to the principal requesting her to give permission to organize a tour.
14. Write the Synonyms for the following.
  - a) Abbreviate
  - b) Abolish
  - c) Binding
  - d) Current
  - e) Decay
  - f) Keen
  - g) Horrible
  - h) Prohibit
  - i) Tease
  - j) Physical.
15. Correct the following sentence.
  - (i) The old man resembled to my father.
  - (ii) Whom do you believe is to blame?
  - (iii) The thief was caught by I.
  - (iv) It is me who has done this?
  - (v) He is very rich and he is not happy.
  - (vi) I had two coffees.
  - (vii) I satisfied with your performance.
  - (viii) The scenery are not good.
  - (ix) Geetha is angry on me.
  - (x) He will not come in the evening when it rains.

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