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**FOURTH SEMESTER (CUCBCSS—UG) DEGREE EXAMINATION  
APRIL 2022**

English

ENG 4B 02—METHODOLOGY AND HUMANITIES

(2014—2018 Admissions)

Time : Three Hours

Maximum : 80 Marks

I. Answer *all* the questions. Each question carries 1 mark :

1 Literature is primarily a subject of :

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| (a) Natural Sciences. | (c) Humanities. |
| (b) Social Sciences.  | (d) Psychology. |

2 Modern science depends on \_\_\_\_\_.

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| (a) Opinions. | (b) Beliefs.    |
| (c) Facts.    | (d) Intuitions. |

3 \_\_\_\_\_ is the belief that human beings possess an innate, natural unchanging Identity.

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| (a) Idealism.       | (b) Essentialism. |
| (c) Constructivism. | (d) Naturalism.   |

4 *Course in General Linguistics* was written by :

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| (a) Sapir.      | (c) Chomsky.  |
| (b) Bloomfield. | (d) Saussure. |

5 *Death of the Author* is written by :

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| (a) Dryden.        | (b) Roland Barthes. |
| (c) Mathew Arnold. | (d) Frantz fanon.   |

Turn over

- 6 The linguistic sign is an ——— link between a signifier and signified.
- (a) Affiliatory. (b) Arbitrary  
(c) Affective (d) Attractive.
- 7 Who is the founder of deconstruction ?
- (a) Roland Barthes. (b) Jacques Derrida.  
(c) Kent. (d) Saussure.
- 8 The earliest available Indian literature on record are the :
- (a) Puranas. (b) Sasthras.  
(c) Vedas. (d) Itihasas.
- 9 The Indian word for philosophy is :
- (a) Vedanta. (b) Sastra.  
(c) Mokshamarga. (d) Darsana.
- 10 Yoga school of philosophy was founded by :
- (a) Yogananda. (b) Nimbaraka.  
(c) Patanjali. (d) Nagarjuna.

(10 × 1 = 10 marks)

II. Answer any *ten* questions in a sentence or two. Each question carries 2 marks :

- 11 What is fact ?
- 12 What is Science ?
- 13 What are dominant tastes ?
- 14 What is essentialism ?
- 15 What is the idea conveyed by Sapir-Whorf hypothesis ?
- 16 Define *Parole*.
- 17 What do you mean by agency ?
- 18 Which are two ways of representing the reality ?
- 19 *Sjuzet*.

20 Which are the three components of narratives ?

21 *Tarka*.

22 Khyati.

(10 × 2 = 20 marks)

III. Answer any *four* questions in a paragraph of 100 words each. Each question carries 5 marks :

23 Explain the concept of discourse.

24 What are the uses of Humanities ?

25 Division of labour.

26 What is textuality ?

27 Two broad divisions of the schools of Indian Philosophy.

28 What do you understand by objectivity in scientific enquiry ?

(4 × 5 = 20 marks)

IV. Answer any *two* questions in 300 words. Each question carries 15 marks :

29 What distinguishes the humanities from the natural Sciences ?

30 Explain the various aspects of social construction of reality.

31 Attempt an essay on Narratives.

32 Trace the evolution of Indian Philosophy.

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)