

**I B. Tech I Semester Supplementary Examinations, May - 2017****ENGLISH-I**

(Common to All Branches)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 70

- Note: 1. Question Paper consists of two parts (**Part-A** and **Part-B**)  
 2. Answering the question in **Part-A** is Compulsory  
 3. Answer any **THREE** Questions from **Part-B**

**PART -A**

1. a) Give an account of Dr. G.D. Naidu's attitude towards education as he grew up. (4M)
- b) '*My life was certainly more truthful and my soul knew no bounds of joy.*' How did Gandhi narrate his journey as a student in London? (3M)
- c) Do you think that the goal of science should be to help the common man in the society? How should we educate an average man about science as described in 'The Scientific Point of View' by JBS Haldane? (3M)
- d) How important are good reading and keen observation to become a good writer according to Hill's 'Principles of Good Writing'? (4M)
- e) Give a brief account of the work of Dr. Bhatkar. (4M)
- f) Write the contributions of Dr. Sudha Murthy in the field of Technology. (4M)

**PART -B**

2. a) What impact did Gopinath's headmaster have in shaping his future? (8M)
- b) Write an e-mail to your friend asking him to attend a Seminar on emerging technologies that will be held in your college. (8M)
3. a) What was Dr. Kalam's opinion on 'the knowledge society' and how was it driven by societal transformation and wealth generation? Explain. (8M)
- b) Write a letter to the editor of a News Paper to Publish on Street Dog menace in your town. (8M)
4. a) Give an account of some of the work done by Mrs. Sudha Murthy in the field of philanthropy and social work. (8M)
- b) Write the synonyms of the following (8M)  
 i) Philanthropy ii) Generous iii) Inevitable iv) Mysterious  
 Write the Antonyms of the following  
 i) Natural ii) Vague iii) Difficult iv) Worthy
5. a) What were the experiments on plant responses conducted by Dr. J.C. Bose? (8M)
- b) Prepare a Power Point Presentation on the topic 'Cinema and its influence' (8M)
6. a) What are the repercussions of atomic warfare as described by Bertrand Russell? (8M)
- b) Write a paragraph on 'Demonetisation' (8M)
7. a) How did Scoresby participate in the war? How were his blunders interpreted by others in the war? (8M)
- b) Express your views on "Rain water harvesting system" (8M)

