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20UGFCT4004

SHRIMATHI DEVKUNVAR NANALAL BHATT VAISHNAV COLLEGE FOR WOMEN
(AUTONOMOUS)

(Affiliated to the University of Madras and Re-accredited with 'A+' Grade by NAAC)
Chromepet, Chennai - 600 044.

B.A./B.Sc./B.Voc. - END SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS - NOVEMBER 2025
SEMESTER - IV

20UGFCT4004 - General English-IV

Total Duration : 2 Hrs.30 Mins.

Total Marks : 60

Section B

Answer any **SIX** questions (6 × 5 = 30 Marks)

1. Explain the significance of Swami Vivekananda's opening words, "Sisters and Brothers of America", in his Chicago speech. How did this greeting reflect his message of religious tolerance?
2. Explain the role of the speaker's tone in shaping the reader's perception of death in "Because I Could Not Stop for Death".
3. Summarize the plot of "Where There's a Will" and explain how Hasmukh's will serves as a central plot device.
4. Discuss the transformation of Raju from a tour guide to a spiritual guide in The Guide. What factors contribute to this change?
5. Prepare CV/Resume of your own to attend an interview during campus recruitment.
6. Write an essay on the impact of social media on students.
7. Examine the tone of "We Are Seven". How does it reflect Wordsworth's views on childhood and mortality?
8. Explain how Socrates' final speech reflects his view on the relationship between philosophy and society.

Section C

Answer any **THREE** questions (3 × 10 = 30 Marks)

9. How does Duflo's speech reflect broader implications for global policy on poverty alleviation? Illustrate with references to her and her co-laureates' experimental methodology.
10. Examine the role of the sea and the boat as symbols in the ballad. How do they contribute to the narrative's sense of adventure and inevitability.

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11. Discuss how "Where There's a Will" employs black comedy to address generational conflicts. Illustrate with examples of character interactions and their implications for modern Indian families.
12. Critically analyze Raju's transformation from a tour guide to a spiritual figure in *The Guide*. To what extent is his change driven by personal growth versus external circumstances.
13. Write an essay on the importance of communication skills and various strategies to develop English language.
