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Sixth Semester B.A. Degree Examination, April 2018
First Degree Programme under CBCSS
Common for English Language and Literature and English and Communicative English
Core Course – XII
EN1642/CG 1643 : METHODOLOGY AND PERSPECTIVES OF HUMANITIES
(2015 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

I. Answer **all** questions in **one** word or a maximum of **two** sentences **each** : **(10×1=10 Marks)**

1) Name the author of *The Story of Civilization.*
2) Who wrote the story, "Rip Figs" ?
3) Who is the founder of the doctrine of positivism ?
4) What is the meaning of the Greek word 'oikonomicos' ?
5) Who looks up on literature as, "The question minus the answer" ?
6) Who claims that, "Language is a guide to social reality" ?
7) Who is known as the father of English poetry ?
8) From which language does the term, 'festschrift' come ?
9) In the Seventeenth Century, in which country did the genre, 'novel' emerge in ?
10) Give any two examples for Bildungsroman.

II. Answer **any eight** of the following questions in a maximum of **one** paragraph **each**. **(8×2=16 Marks)**

11) Which are the major disciplines that are recognized as a part of the humanities ?
12) Describe the two kinds of phenomena into which everything can be divided.

13) Define subjectivity.

14) What is 'parole' ?

15) Define dialects.

16) What is diglossia ?

17) What is code switching ?

18) Define epistolary novel.

19) What is stream of consciousness technique ?

20) Write a brief note on comedy of manners.

21) Explain aside.

22) What are the two basic theoretical approaches to modern acting ?

III. Answer **any six** of the following questions in a maximum of **100** words **each** : **(6×4=24 Marks)**

23) Explain the idiosyncratic modes of presentation in cinema.

24) Explain briefly the contribution of Max Weber in the field social sciences.

25) Write a short note on Gora.

26) Briefly explain Dr. S. Radhakrishnan's views on the convergence of all branches of knowledge.

27) Write a short note on ambiguity.

28) Explain the relationship between language and colonialism.

29) Explain the question of agency in language.

30) Explain the term, 'point of view'.

31) Write a brief note on transformation.

IV. Answer **any two** questions as essays : **(2×15=30 Marks)**

32) Explain the differences between natural, social and human sciences.

33) Describe the characteristic features of New Criticism.

34) Write in detail about the major genres in textual studies.

35) Trace the growth and development of film as a genre.
