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Faculty of Science & Information Technology

Department of Computer Science & Engineering

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Course Code: ENG101, Course Title: Basic Functional English and English Spoken

Level: 1 Term: 1 Batch: 69

Time: 01:30 Hrs **Marks: 25**

Answer ALL Questions

[The figures in the right margin indicate the full marks and corresponding course outcomes. All portions of each question must be answered sequentially.]

1.	a)	*Identify the misspelled words and Subject-Verb Agreement errors in the passage below and record only the correct versions on your answer sheet.* During the recent energy crisis sparked by the global epidamic, many households turned to solar power to ensure a reliable source of electricity. One key component in their systems was the invarter, which converted the direct current (DC) from solar panels into alternating current (AC) suitable for home use.To combat these issues, engineers began developing more advanced hardwaer that could adapt to verying conditions. Many of these new systems used thermaplastic materials for their casings due to their durability, flexibility, and ability to withstand high temperatures. Despite the chaos in the laboratory, the batch of samples collected by the researchers were carefully labeled and stored in the refrigeration unit. Neither the supervisor nor the junior analysts was aware that an error had already compromised the results. Each of the participants, regardless of their academic background or specialization, have submitted a reflective essay, though a number of entries requires further revision. On another note, mathematics appear intimidating at first glance. The data collected from the recent trials suggests a pattern that warrants further investigation.	[5]	CO2
	b)	*Generate English translations of the following sentences.* 1. ছোটবেলা থেকেই শিশুরা সৃজনশীল কার্যকলাপে যুক্ত থাকলে তাদের চিন্তাশক্তি বিকশিত হয়, এবং ভবিষ্যতে তারা আরও দক্ষ নাগরিক হয়ে ওঠে। 2. গণপরিবহন ব্যবস্থার উন্নতি ঘটালে যানজট কমে, এবং মানুষের কর্মস্থলে পৌঁছাতে সময় সাশ্রয় হয়। 3. মানসিক চাপ কমালে মানুষের মনোবল বৃদ্ধি পায়, এবং দৈনন্দিন জীবনে ইতিবাচক সিদ্ধান্ত গ্রহণ সহজ হয়। 4. আমাদের শিক্ষা ব্যবস্থায় উদ্ভাবনী পদ্ধতি প্রয়োগ করলে, শিক্ষার্থীদের অংশগ্রহণ বাড়বে। 5. যেহেতু উন্নয়নের জন্য গবেষণা অপরিহার্য, সরকারকে এই খাতে বিনিয়োগ বাড়াতে হবে, এবং নতুন উদ্যোক্তাদের উৎসাহ দিতে হবে। 6. মা বাজারে গিয়েছিলেন, কিন্তু যেহেতু বৃষ্টি শুরু হয়েছিল, তিনি	[10]	

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		বাসায় ফিরে এসেছেন। 7. যখন আমরা অন্যের মতামতকে সম্মান করতে ব্যর্থ হই, তখন সমাজে মতভেদ ও বিরোধ বাড়ে, আর তাতে শান্তিপূর্ণ পরিবেশ বিঘ্নিত হয়। 8. যদি কর্মক্ষেত্রে সহকর্মীদের মধ্যে পারস্পরিক সহযোগিতার মনোভাব না থাকে, তবে কোনো প্রতিষ্ঠানই দীর্ঘমেয়াদে উন্নতি অর্জন করতে পারে না। 9. যখন মানুষ স্বাস্থ্যকর খাবার খায় এবং নিয়মিত ব্যায়াম করে, তখন তারা সুস্থ থাকে এবং চিকিৎসার প্রয়োজন অনেক কম হয়। 10. পরিবেশ দূষণ বাড়লে মানবস্বাস্থ্যের ওপর নেতিবাচক প্রভাব পড়ে।		
	c)	*Apply the right forms of verbs.* Had better people a) _____ (realize) the urgency of climate change, so decisive actions could be taken! If you were to ask someone to choose between electric vehicles and traditional cars, most b) _____ (prefer) electric vehicles for their environmental benefits. Not me, though. I find the sound and power of traditional engines more exciting! The roar of a classic car c) _____ (seem) like a thrilling experience. Unfortunately, due to budget constraints and lack of charging stations, I have not been able to switch to an electric vehicle yet. Just last week, I read about a new eco-friendly car exhibition, which, I suppose, was inspired by innovations from Japan, and d) _____ (wish) I could visit it. I had almost given up when a friend called to invite me on a tour to the exhibition this weekend. I guess I e) _____ (have) some luck on my side because I was able to join. It also occurred to me that, while I had attended car shows before, I had never been to an eco-focused event, which f) _____ (make) it even more interesting. I have this habit before going to events, I g) _____ (prefer) to do some research beforehand, but I never study too much. My friend, however, didn't share this habit, and soon we h) _____ (find) ourselves discussing the latest car models with other visitors. After checking out the exhibition, we sat down to plan the rest of the day since the event, held at the city convention center, i) _____ (run) for three days. Hardly j) _____ (we/finish) exploring the exhibits when the organizers announced a test drive session for attendees.	[5]	
2.	a)	**Compose** an Email to one of your course teachers, expressing your interest in their field of expertise. In the email, ask if there are any upcoming student projects,research activities, or learning opportunities that you could observe or be involved in. Mention why the topic interests you, what you hope to learn, and how you plan to prepare yourself to contribute in the future. **Point out every aspect of an email: structure, formatting, grammar, clarity, tone, spelling, and more.**	[5]	CO1