KRISHNA KANTA HANDIQUI STATE OPEN UNIVERSITY

Bachelor of Social Work (BSW)

Home Assignment

Alternative English

1st Semester, 2019

Total Marks 50

Assignments are required to be written in own language.

Copying in toto from the learning material will carry less score.

2 × 4 = 8

A. Answer the following questions in about 50 words:

Q1. Why did E. P. Gee consider rhino to be the actual 'king of beasts'?

Q2. State any two themes as evident in the essay "Imaginary Homelands'.

Q3. Write briefly on the use of language in the King James' Bible.

Q4. Mention any two significant works by Bertrand Russell.

3x4=12

B. Answer the following questions in about 75 words:

Q1. Describe Arnold's concept of education as reflected in his essay "Literature and Science".

Q2. Explain in brief the central idea of R. L. Stevenson's *Travels with a Donkey in the Cevennes* with particular reference to the section prescribed in your course.

Q3. What does the novella *The Little Prince* deal with?

Q4. State the nature of the Antillean Linguistic Experience as reflected in Derek Walcott's Nobel speech "The Antilles: Fragments of Epic Memory".

5 × 2 = 10

C. Answer the following questions in about 150 words:

Q1. Explain the text of the essay "On Stories" by highlighting on the significance of stories.

Q2. Two important themes of the prose piece "I Have a Dream" are freedom and justice. Explain.

10 × 2 = 20

D.Answer the following questions in about 300-500 words:

Q1. Discuss the major themes of the novel *Home and the World* by Rabindranath Tagore.

Q2. Discuss John Steinbeck as a novelist with special reference to his novel *The Moon is Down*.

N.B. The learners will have to collect receipt after submitting the assignment with the signature and seal of the collector of study centre and will have to keep with him/her till the declaration of result.

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Received the assignment from Mr/Ms .... Enrollment number ..... of **BSW (1st Semester**) **Alternative English** on ..... 2019.

Date: *Signature of collector with seal*

Assignment Guidelines

A. Guidelines to Co-ordinators :

1. Assignments are parts of teaching-learning process and compulsory.
2. The spirit behind this is to help learners to understand the subject and prepare themselves better for the term-end examination.
3. Assignment responses are to be evaluated and feedback are required to be communicated to the learners, by giving back the assignments with evaluators' comments. Such assignments are to be collected at the time of issuing admit cards and be stored in the centre's office till the end of next semester.
4. Assignment marks are to be sent to the Controller of Examinations as soon as the examination routines are published.
5. Keeping the above points in mind *Co-ordinators will fix the time/date of submission of assignments by the learners as may be convenient to follow the guidelines in true spirits.*

B. Guidelines to learners :

1. As soon as the SLMs are received the learners will write the assignments in their own handwriting (assignment questions may be downloaded from the website, if necessary) to be submitted to Co-ordinators as per the dates fixed for the purpose. Timely submission of assignments at the Study Centres will help in quick processing of results of respective learners. Otherwise this will create unnecessary delay in declaration of results.
2. Writing of assignment (work) and submission of the same in time is compulsory.

Registrar