B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE EXAMINATION, APRIL 2019. (Common to all U.G. Courses) II YEAR — III SEMESTER Foundation Course ENGLISH — Paper III

Time : 3 hours

Max. marks : 75

SECTION A — $(10 \times 2 = 20 \text{ marks})$ <u>PART A</u>

I. Annotate any *FIVE* of the following:

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PART B

II. Answer <u>ALL</u> the questions.

8. ONE WORD SUBSTITUTE:

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SECTION B — $(3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ marks})$ III. ANSWER ANY <u>THREE</u> OF THE FOLLOWING CHOOSING ATLEAST <u>ONE</u> FROM EACH PART:

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SECTION C — (4 × 10 = 40 marks)

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