

**B.A. First Semester End Examination (ESE)-2024  
(CCFUP :NEP)**

**[3-Year UG Programme]**

**English**

**PAPER : UG/I/ENG/3/MI-C1T**

**Academic Writing and Composition**

***Full Marks: 60***

***Time: 03 Hrs.***

*The figures in the margin indicate marks.  
Candidates are required to give their answers  
in their own words as far as practicable.*

**Group A**

**Answer any ten questions of the following:**

**10x2= 20**

1. Define 'brainstorming'.
2. What is 'synthesis'?
3. What is plagiarism?
4. Briefly explain 'evaluation'.
5. What are the two major types of academic writing?
6. What is skimming in writing?
7. Give the full form of MLA in academic writing.
8. What is the purpose of academic writing?
9. Define 'pre-writing'.

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10. What is 'scanning' in writing?
11. What is interjection in structuring an argument?
12. Give two examples of non-academic writing.
13. What do you mean by sorting of materials in academic writing?
14. Fill in the blanks with the correct alternatives:
  - a) One of the teachers \_\_\_\_\_ (has / have) given me this task.
  - b) The Secretary and the Headmaster \_\_\_\_\_ (is / are) coming.
15. Write at least two purposes of paraphrasing.

**Group B**

**Answer any four questions of the following: 4x5=20**

16. What are the basic stages of note making?
17. Compare and contrast between academic writing and non-academic writing.
18. Briefly describe the stages of good academic writing.
19. Correct the grammatical errors in the following passage –

The little boy was practising how to riding a bicycle yesterday. Suddenly I hear a loud crash and ran to see what had happened. I saw that he was lying in the ground. I quickly pulled her up

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- and brought her home. He was loudly cry. I apply antiseptics to the wound. To pacify him, I take him to a nearby shop and brought a large chocolate for her.
20. Write in brief the steps of summarizing.
  21. How should an argument be introduced?

**Group C**

**Attempt any two questions of the following: 2x10 = 20**

22. How do you write a good book review? Discuss with an example.
  23. What is a paragraph? Define different types of paragraph.
  24. Write an essay on the different processes of academic writing.
  25. Discuss the steps of paraphrasing.
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