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**B.Sc (Nursing) DEGREE EXAMINATION**  
(New Regulations for the candidates admitted from 2006-07 onwards)

**FIRST YEAR**  
**PAPER VI – ENGLISH**  
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**Time : Three hours**

**Maximum : 75 marks**

**I. Essay:**

**(1 x 15 = 15)**

**Write an essay in about 300 words on the topic given below:**

1. “Many a drop make an ocean”.

**II. Correct the sentences:**

**(20 x 1 = 20)**

1. The players as well as the captain is ready to go.
2. The furniture is made of teakwood.
3. Neither Prabhu nor his friends is coming.
4. The crowd are wild with excitement
5. He is a M.Com graduate.
6. Let us have a dinner.
7. Ranjani can play a piano very well.
8. I will take care of your luggages.
9. Gymnastics are given a lot of importance in our school.
10. Whoever tops the class she will be selected.
11. You have been working hardly.
12. Yesterday I met a lady who was was my teacher long ago.
13. Hari have a car.
14. City life is tense and village life is relaxed.
15. Your book does not include the English alphabets.
16. He is more taller than you.
17. Law and order are a bid problem.
18. The principle along with the staff are coming out of the staff-room.
19. The enemy is forced to retreat.
20. Two miles are too much for this man to run.

**III. Write a letter to the principal of your college asking him/her certify your article that you want to send to a newspaper for publication.**

**(1 x 10 = 10)**

**IV. Comprehension:**

**Read the passage carefully and answer briefly.**

She took a step forward. “Then, the only different there is, is between girls and boys?” She asked. Her grandfather was stunned. “Ei Sivagami” he shouted. Her father’s face wore an expression she had not seen before. “Come here,” he said. She went to him. “sit”, he said. She sat. Her father opened a tool bad and took out a small chisel. He put it into her palm and closed her fingers round it. The chisel felt cold. “I will teach you,” said her father. “What nonsense is this? All these new-fangled ideas.....” Her grandfather began to shout. “Wait. We beat and kill

each other only because we go on discriminating between people. Forget all that, Sivagami's father said and, as though nothing had happened, continued with his work. Grumbling away, her grandfather went back to work, Sivagami began to watch her father intently. In between, when she raised her head and looked up, she saw that the rain had stopped. The sky was clear.

**Answer all the questions:**

**(5 x 2 = 10)**

1. What was Sivagami's strange question?
2. What was Sivagami against?
3. Why was grandfather against the idea of teaching the art of making sculptures to girls?
4. What made Sivagami's father protest against his father's views for the first time?
5. What did Sivagami's father start teaching her?

**V. Precise writing:**

**(1 x 10 = 10)**

**Write one third of the following passage.**

It is physically impossible for a well-educated, intellectual, or brave man to make money the chief object of his thoughts, just as it is for him to make his dinner the principal object of them. All healthy people like their dinners, but their dinner is not the main object of their lives. So all healthy-minded people like making money – ought to like it and enjoy the sensation of winning it; it is something better than money. A good soldier, for instance, mainly wishes to do his fighting well. He is glad of his pay-very properly so, and justly grumbles when you keep him ten years without it –still, his main notion of life is to win battles, not to be paid for winning them. So of clergymen. The clergyman's object is essentially to baptize and preach, not to be paid for preaching. So of doctors. They like fees no doubt-ought to like them; yet if they are brave and well-educated, the entire object of their lives is not fees. They, on the whole, desire to cure the sick; and if they are good doctors, and the choice were fairly put to them, would rather cure their patient and lose their fee than kill him and get it.

**VI. Vocabulary:**

**(5 x 1 = 5)**

**Do as Directed:**

1. I am one of the most intelligent students in the class.(Positive degree)
2. You lost a pen yesterday.(Passive)
3. The teacher says to me, "Don't misbehave in the class".(Indirect Speech)
4. She sat \_\_\_\_\_ me to talk.(Preposition)
5. I gave the begger \_\_\_\_\_ one rupee note. (Article)

**VII. Match the following:**

**(5 x 1 = 5)**

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| 1. Ornithology | - | Process of listening for sounds in the body with stethoscope   |
| 2. Ausculta    | - | Study of birds   |
| 3. Scorched    | - | localized abnormal dilation of a blood vessel                  |
| 4. Cyanotic    | - | Burned   |
| 5. Aneurysm    | - | discoloration of the skin due to insufficient oxygen in blood. |

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