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B.A./B.Sc. DEGREE (C.B.C.S.) EXAMINATION, MAY 2024

Second Semester

Common Course—Syriac

SY 2CC T01—POETRY, GRAMMAR AND HISTORY OF SYRIAC LITERATURE

[For Model I and Model II Programmes]

(2017 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum Marks: 80

Group A

Answer any **ten** of the following questions from 1 - 12. (2 marks each)

Write the opposite of the following according to the number, gender etc. of the suffixes as directed.

- 1. The opposite number of
 - (a) 001 0
 - (b) سَعُمْد سِغُوبِ
- 2. The opposite gender of
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 - مُحْدَد (d)

Write the opposite of the following as per the directions and as they are conjugated.

- 3. The opposite number of
 - (a) المَوْم (a) المَوْم (a) المَوْم (b) المَوْم (b) المَامِّة (b) المَامِّة (b) المَامِّة (b) المَامِّة (b) الم

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4. The opposite gender of

5. Expand the following in its full form

6. Translate into *English*:

7. Make a sentence in Syriac using any one of the following:

Identify the lesson, author etc. of the following and explain the context very briefly.

Answer the following questions in two *or* three sentences :

- 10. The poet confirms, "In resurrection, there is no difference between men and women". Why?
- 11. You find two expressions in 'Stary Gems', 'Child of the Spirit' and 'Noble old man'. Who are they and why are they called like that ?





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12. 'Sing praises to God while you are alive'. What happens if you do not do that?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

Group B

Answer any **six** of the following questions from 13 - 21. (5 marks each)

13. Add Pronominal suffixes to any one of the following plural nouns:

14. Add Pronominal suffixes to any one of the following prepositions:

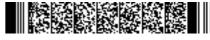
15. Add Pronominal suffixes to any one of the following prepositions (exceptions):

16. Conjugate in Syriac (imperfect - future tense) any one of the following:

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Answer the following questions in one or two paragraphs:

- 18. Write short notes on the contributions of Bar Hebraeus.
- 19. Analyze the literary style as well as contributions of Mar Jacob of Sarug.
- 20. Narrate the poet's visualization of the magnificent arrival of the Lord for the final judgement and find out the literary tools the poet had used here.
- 21. The greatness of Peter are enlisted in 'Stray Gems'. Write them to establish the headship of Peter.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$

Group C

Answer in detail any **two** of the following questions from 22 - 25. (15 Marks each)

- 22. Explain the wise ways the poet proposes and comment on them.
- 23. Literally and thematically analyze the poem, "From the Heart".
- 24. Bring out the main thoughts that the poet discusses in 'Stray Gems'
- 25. Explain in detail the life, contributions and literary style of Narsai.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30)$

