

BEGLA-135

**B.A. GENERAL
(BAG)**

**ASSIGNMENT
July 2026– January 2027**

**English in Daily Life
(BEGLA-135)**



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ASSIGNMENT: ENGLISH IN DAILY LIFE (BEGLA-135)

Programme: BAG/2026-27
Course Code: BEGLA-135

Dear Student,

You are required to do **one** assignment for the Foundation Course in English. It is a Tutor Marked Assignment (TMA) and carries 100 marks. It covers four blocks of the course.

Aims: The TMA is primarily concerned with assessing your proficiency in English. You should not reproduce chunks of information from the passage(s) but effectively use the skills of reading and writing that you may have acquired during the course of study to compose your answers. These assignments aim to teach as well as to assess your performance.

Guidelines: You will be required to answer the questions on reading comprehension, vocabulary, grammar and composition. For the question on transcribing phonetically, you may consult an appropriate dictionary.

As in day-to-day life, **planning** is important in attempting the assignment as well. Read the assignment carefully; go through the units on which the questions are based; jot down some points regarding each question and then re-arrange them in a logical order. In the essay-type answer, pay attention to your introduction and conclusion. The introduction must tell you how to interpret the given topic and how you propose to develop it. The conclusion must summarize your views on the topic. **You should write in your own handwriting.**

Make sure that your answer:

- a) is logical
- b) is written in simple and correct English
- c) does not exceed the number of words indicated in your questions
- d) is written neatly and clearly.

Please remember that it is compulsory to submit your assignment before you can take the Term End Examination. Also remember to keep a copy of your assignment with you and to take a receipt from your Study Centre when you submit the assignment.

Last Date for Submission of Assignment:

For June Examination	30th April or as per dates given in the website
For December Examination	31st October or as per dates given in the website

Good Luck!

Note: *Remember the submission of assignment is a precondition for appearing in the examination. If you do not submit the assignment on time, you will not be allowed to appear in the examination.*

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Max. Marks: 100

Attempt all the sections

SECTION A

5 × 4 = 20 Marks

1. Write short notes on the following:

1. Expressing feelings in everyday conversation.
2. Family and social relationships.
3. Managing money in daily life.
4. People at work.
5. The role of young people in society.

SECTION B

5 × 10 = 50 Marks

1. Write a dialogue between two friends planning how to manage their monthly expenses.
2. Write an email to a friend describing a cultural programme you recently attended.
3. Write a diary entry about your first day in a new neighbourhood.
4. Write a newspaper report on a road-safety campaign organised in your locality.
5. Write a short speech on **“The Importance of Listening in Everyday Life.”**

SECTION C

2 × 15 = 30 Marks

1. Describe an occasion when you helped someone in need.
2. Write an essay on **“Peaceful Communication Can Resolve Everyday Conflicts.”**