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UNDERGRADUATE (C.B.C.S.S.) EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2019

First Semester

Common Course : English

COMMUNICATION SKILLS IN ENGLISH

[2013 to 2016 Admissions]

Time : Three Hours Maximum Marks : 80

Part A

Answer **all** *the following questions in a sentence* **or** *two.*
Each question carries 1 *mark.*

1. Give an example each of the sounds produced when the vocal cords.
   (a) Vibrate.
   (b) Are wide open.
2. What is phonetics ?
3. Define vowel.
4. Give two examples of plosives in English.
5. What is a syllable ?
6. What are back vowels ?
7. Mark stress in the following sentence. You're impossible.
8. What is Received Pronounciation ?
9. What is rising intonation ?
10. What is centering diphthongs ?

(10 × 1 = 10)

Part B

Answer any **eight** *the following in about* 60 *words.*
Each question carries 2 *marks.*

11. Give any six words in English with different British and American Spellings.
12. What are the barries to listening ?
13. What are the rules of word stress ?

Turn over

14. How will you initiate a conversation ?
15. What are the useful phrases for making apologies ?
16. What are interpersonal skills ?
17. What are task building roles ?
18. What is etiquette ?
19. Write a short note on reading with a purpose.
20. Write a short note on listening for specific information.
21. What are the differences between listening and hearing.
22. What is a sense-group ? Give examples.

(8 × 2 = 16)

Part C

Answer any **six** *the following questions in about* 100 *words.*
Each question carries 4 *marks.*

23. You are meeting a minister. Introduce yourself.
24. What are the phrases or sentences for extending apology ?
25. Write a conversation between two teachers discussing the new trends in education.
26. Prepare a speech on the need to promote Agriculture.
27. Write a telephone conversation with your brother detailing the facilities of your college.
28. Describe the qualities of your village to a stranger.
29. What skills are required for effective discussions ?
30. Write a short note on the role of body language in communication.
31. What are the different types of greetings ?

(6 × 4 = 24)

Part D

Answer any **two** *the following questions in about* 300 *words.*
Each question carries 15 *marks.*

32. Write a group discussion on the role of smart class rooms in education with four participants in the discussion.
33. What are the different views expressed by two groups in a debate on mother tongue as the medium of education.
34. Write a model interview with a famous novelist.
35. Write a short formal speech on 'Modern Health Services and Amenities'.

(2 × 15 = 30)