

I B.Tech (Regular) DEGREE EXAMINATION
Scheme of Evaluation
Communicative English (20EL001)
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1. Correct and rewrite the following sentences **(1X14=14 Marks)**

- a) The cricketer was found guilty of tampering with the ball.
- b) My mother is yet to recover from viral fever even after two weeks.
- c) Frank is a European.
- d) Honesty is the best policy.
- e) The board agreed with the CEO's opinion about expanding the market.
- f) The school insists on wearing uniform all the six days of the week.
- g) Iron is a useful metal.
- h) They entered the room.
- i) My friend met me two days ago.
- j) He is a singer. Isn't he?
- k) The scissors are sharp.
- l) He is my brother.
- m) He is senior to me.
- n) Rita discussed politics.

UNIT – I

2. a. Fill in the blanks with right articles to make a meaningful paragraph **5M**
The lockdown period has brought the world to a standstill. The People who worked in offices, faced an enormous amount of setbacks

b. Write the meaning of the root words given and write two examples using it **4M**

- i. pathy - suffering, feeling, emotion
Example: sympathy, antipathy, empathy
- ii. communis - common, public
Example: community
- iii) pact - fasten
Example: compact, impact, impacted, subcompact.
- iv) crea – make, create
Example: procreate

c. Create a Mind Map on “Problem Solving Skills.” **5M**

Using appropriate diagram for mind mapping- 3Mark,
Relevance and valid expansion of the thoughts through mind mapping -2 mark.

(Or)

3. a. Complete the paragraph using appropriate prepositions **5M**

Kiran lives **In** Germany. **On** summer, he likes to travel **To** Italy, because **Of** the weather and the people there. Last summer, he took a plane **From** Munich to Rome.

b. Punctuate the given paragraph to make it meaningful

5M

Suresh is one of the most laid-back people I know. he is tall and slim with black hair and he always wears a T-Shirt and black jeans. His jeans have holes in them and his baseball boots are scruffy too. he usually sits at the back of the class and he often seems to be asleep. However, when the exam results are given out he always gets an "A". I don't think he is as lazy as he appears to be.

c. Write a Paragraph on "Significance of Communication Skills."

5M

Relevant information- 2 Marks

Grammatically correct sentences-2 marks

Appropriate connectors- 1 mark

UNIT - II

4. a. Select the verb form that best fits in the blank

5M

- The news is true. (is, are)
- The Arabian Nights is still a great favourite book. (is, are).
- I have seen Rahim at the zoo. (saw, have seen)
- I haven't seen Kumar this week. (haven't seen, didn't see)
- This paper appears— twice weekly. (is appearing, appears)

b. Choose the word closest in meaning to the underlined part from the given options 4M

- I didn't have adequate time to prepare.
a) Favourable b) Clear c) Insufficient d) Enough
- It happened so suddenly that I didn't realize it was coming.
a) Understand b) Destroy c) Resolve d) Lament
- He could elaborate a solid strategy.
a) simple b) excited c) detail d) compact
- I gave you explicit instructions not to touch anything.
a) clear b) implicit c) ambiguous d) vague

c. Develop the given hints and write a story based on them. Also suggest a title to the story 5M

Title- 1 mark

Content- 2 marks

Vocabulary- 2 marks

(Or)

5. a. The sentences in the given questions, when properly sequenced, form a coherent paragraph. Identify and write the sequence of both the questions.

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Answer: 1.7.2.6.5.3.4

b. Pick the closest antonym of the following words from the options given

4M

- Sacred: profane (A)
- rigid: flexible (B) OR gentle (C)
- Accumulate: waste (A)
- accept: reject (C)

c. Fill in the blanks with the modal that suits the best

3M

1. her soul rest in peace! (Would/ **May**)
2. Theynot read this book for this topic. (**need**/dare)
3. Youto go to Delhi tomorrow to attend the meeting. (**will have**/ should)
4. If you stayed here, younot face the problem. (**would**/ should)
5. Hebe given warm welcome if he wins the tournament. (**Will**/ Shall).

UNIT-III

6. a. Complete the sentences with suitable tense forms of the given verbs.

7M

- i. Sailaja **Met** (meet) her friend long ago.
- ii. Pramod **Will have edited** (edit) this magazine by next January.
- iii. I **Had seen** (see) him twice before he left for New York.
- iv. She **Leaves** (leave) for Delhi this evening.
- v. We **Have been living** (live) here since 1990.
- vi. If you **Told** (tell) me, I would meet your father.
- vii. See, the birds **are flying** (fly) in the sky.

b. Choose the best one word substitute that is appropriate from the given choices.

7M

- i. Omnipotent (B)
- ii. Calligrapher (A)
- iii. Introvert (B)
- iv. Translucent (A)
- v. Euthanasia (B)
- vi. Illegible (A)
- vii. Extempore (A)

(OR)

7. a. Rewrite the given sentences as directed

7M

- i. The genetic information is encoded by DNA.
- ii. The law of universal gravitation was formulated by Newton in 1687.
- iii. A book was given by him to me

(OR)

I was given a book by him

- iv. Let me not be disturbed.
- v. Prem said that where his was book.
- vi. She told him that she had gotten I prize in Quiz.
- vii. My father advised me to do hard work to get good mark.

(OR)

My father advised me to work hard if I wanted to get good marks

b. Read the given passage and write the summary of it suggesting a suitable title.

7M

Title - 1

Content -- 2

Brevity --2

Vocabulary -2

UNIT-IV

8. a. Write an essay on 'Significance of Eco-friendly System.'

7M

Content -2mark

Sentence Structure-2 marks

Coherence -2 marks

Vocabulary -1 mark

b. Read the given passage and make notes on it in points, using abbreviations, wherever necessary. Also suggest a suitable title.

7M

Appropriate heading or title of the article – 1 mark

Abbreviation/contraction – 1 mark

Proper indentation – 3 mark

Summary and content – 2 marks (standard word limit for summary is 80 words or 1/3 of passage)

(OR)

9. a. Rewrite the sentences as directed.

7M

i. We met rather few people who spoke English. (Change it into Compound sentence)

We met few people and they rather spoke English

ii. Two minutes ago the child was fast asleep, but now he is wide awake. (Change it into Complex sentence)

Although the child was asleep two minutes ago he is wide awake now.

iii. He is not tall enough to be a soldier. (Change it into Compound sentence)

He is not tall enough otherwise he will be a soldier.

iv. I guess she just doesn't respect you. (Change it into Simple sentence)

v. I have got four sisters and each of them is quite different from the others.

(Change it into Complex sentence)

I have got four sisters who are quite different from each other.

vi. You can come with me to walk home. (Change it into Simple sentence)

vii. He will never leave home because he is timid. (Change it into Simple sentence)

Due to his timid nature he will never leave home.

b. Differentiate the following confusing words and use them in your sentences.

7M

i. check- cheque

Check: Examine

Example: customs officers have the right to check all luggage

Cheque: an order to a bank to pay a stated sum from the drawer's account

Example: He allowed his warriors to travel only every other day.

ii. heel - heal

Heel: The back part of the human foot below the ankle.

Example: He rubbed the heel of his hand against the window

Heal: Cause to become sound or healthy again.

Example: His concern is to heal sick people.

iii. principal - principle

principal: a person who has controlling authority or is in a leading position

Example: Dr SK Nazeer is the Principal of Bapatla Engineering College.

principle: A moral rule or standard of good behaviour or fair dealing

Example: The principle of human rights is central to the idea of democracy

iv. Night - Knight

Night: The period from sunset to sunrise in each twenty-four hours.

Example: he was not allowed to go out on weekday nights.

Knight: A man who served his sovereign or lord as a mounted soldier in armour.

Example: The knight spurred on to the castle.

v. Sour - Sore

Sour: having an acid taste like lemon or vinegar.

Example: she sampled the wine and found it was sour"

Sore: painful or aching.

Example: she had a sore throat

vi. Their- There

Their: belonging to or connected with them; the possessive form of they, used before a noun.

Example: It was their money.

There: used to focus attention on something.

Example: there, I told you she wouldn't mind

vii. steal - steel

Steal: Take without permission

Example: thieves stole her bicycle

Steel: a strong metal that is a mixture of iron and carbon

Example: Carbon steel; Stainless steel.

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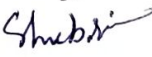

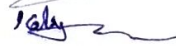

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