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**ENGLISH & COMMUNICATION SKILLS**  
**PART-I**

निर्धारित समय : 1/2 घंटा ]

Time allowed : 1/2 Hour]

[अधिकतम अंक : 30

[Maximum Marks : 30

नोट : सभी प्रश्न अनिवार्य हैं एवं प्रत्येक प्रश्न 1 अंक का है ।

Note : All Questions are compulsory and each question is of 1 mark.

**Instructions (1 – 3) :** Keeping in mind the pattern given below choose the correct sentence in the following questions :

1. N.P. + Verb

- (a) Dogs bark.
- (b) He speaks very fast.
- (c) They called him a liar.
- (d) The flower is beautiful.

2. N.P. + Verb + N.P. + N.P.

- (a) She came yesterday.
- (b) He is tall.
- (c) My father gave me a book.
- (d) They painted the door.

3. N.P. + Verb + N.P. + Adjective complement to the object

- (a) He gave a speech.
- (b) The masons built a big temple.
- (c) The sweets are fresh.
- (d) He painted his room white.

**Instructions (4 – 6) :** Change sentence no. 4 – 6 into reported speech and choose the correct alternative.

4. He said, "I like chocolates."

- (a) He told he liked chocolates.
- (b) He asked me he liked chocolates.
- (c) He said that he liked chocolates.
- (d) He said I like chocolates.

5. She said, "I will help you".
- She told I will help you.
  - She said that she would help me.
  - She said that I will help her.
  - She said I will help you.
6. "Oh ! God I am ruined."
- He exclaimed with sorrow that he was ruined
  - He said that he was ruined
  - He exclaimed that I am ruined
  - He told God I am ruined

**Instructions (7 - 9) :** Choose the correct passive form of sentence in questions 7 - 9 :

7. They promised us higher wages.
- We promised higher wages.
  - Higher wages were promised us.
  - We were promised higher wages by them.
  - Higher wages to us were promised.
8. He teaches us.
- We are taught by him.
  - We is taught by him.
  - We were taught by him.
  - We will be taught by him.
9. They will construct a bridge.
- A bridge is constructed by them.
  - The bridge is constructed by them.
  - A bridge was constructed by them.
  - A bridge will be constructed by them.

**Instructions (10 - 12) :** Transform sentence No. 10 - 12 as directed and choose the correct alternative.

10. I love my country. (Negative)
- I do not love my country.
  - I am not without love for my country.
  - I am loving my country.
  - I am not loving my country.
11. He was not present. (Affirmative)
- He was present.
  - Was he present ?
  - He was absent.
  - Was he not present ?
12. He is more intelligent than any other student. (superlative)
- He is not as intelligent as any other student.
  - He is the most intelligent student.
  - No student is as intelligent as him.
  - He is as intelligent as any other student.

**Instructions (13 - 15) :** Choose the correct determiner from the alternatives given below.

13. He is \_\_\_\_\_ innocent boy.
- a
  - an
  - the
  - no article

14. She was \_\_\_\_\_ first to reach college.

- (a) an
- (b) a
- (c) the
- (d) no article

15. Give me \_\_\_\_\_ tea.

- (a) some
- (b) a
- (c) an
- (d) those

**Instructions (16 – 18) :** Choose the correct use of preposition from the alternatives given below :

16. He was absorbed \_\_\_\_\_ planning.

- (a) into
- (b) in
- (c) from
- (d) by

17. I am fond \_\_\_\_\_ music.

- (a) in
- (b) by
- (c) of
- (d) with

18. He could not cope \_\_\_\_\_ the situation,

- (a) about
- (b) for
- (c) in
- (d) with

**Instructions (19 – 21) :** Choose the correct form of the verb from the options given below :

19. My friend \_\_\_\_\_ to my office yesterday.

- (a) come
- (b) came
- (c) comes
- (d) had come

20. It \_\_\_\_\_ since morning,

- (a) rained
- (b) has been raining
- (c) rains
- (d) is raining

21. If you kick a dog it \_\_\_\_\_ you.

- (a) will bite
- (b) bites
- (c) would bite
- (d) has bite

**Instructions (22 – 24) :** Choose the correct sentence from the options given below in the following questions.

- 22. (a) The iron is very useful.
- (b) An iron is very useful.
- (c) Iron is very useful.
- (d) A iron is very useful.

23. (a) The earth is moving round the sun.  
 (b) The earth moved round the sun.  
 (c) The earth has been moving round the sun.  
 (d) The earth moves round the sun.
24. (a) He died of jaundice.  
 (b) He died from jaundice.  
 (c) He died by jaundice.  
 (d) He died in jaundice.

**Instructions (25 – 27) :** Choose the correct modal auxiliary verb keeping in mind the meaning indicated in brackets :

25. He \_\_\_\_\_ sing very well. (present ability)  
 (a) could  
 (b) can  
 (c) may  
 (d) will
26. \_\_\_\_\_ I keep the keys here ?  
 (permission)  
 (a) Will  
 (b) Should  
 (c) Would  
 (d) May

27. He \_\_\_\_\_ come today. (slight possibility)  
 (a) may  
 (b) might  
 (c) will  
 (d) shall

**Instructions (28 – 30) :** Choose the alternative with the correct prefix/suffix appropriate to the meaning given in brackets:

28. He is very \_\_\_\_\_. (without care)  
 (a) careless  
 (b) careful  
 (c) caring  
 (d) caresome
29. He lost his kingdom because his ministers were \_\_\_\_\_. (not loyal)  
 (a) unloyal  
 (b) disloyal  
 (c) misloyal  
 (d) overloyal
30. The food is \_\_\_\_\_ and tasteless. (not fully cooked)  
 (a) uncooked  
 (b) miscooked  
 (c) discooked  
 (d) undercooked

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**ENGLISH & COMMUNICATION SKILLS**  
**PART-II**

निर्धारित समय : तीन घंटे ]

Time allowed : Three Hours]

[अधिकतम अंक : 70

[Maximum Marks : 70

नोट : (i) प्रथम प्रश्न अनिवार्य है, शेष में से किन्हीं पाँच के उत्तर दीजिये ।

Note : Question No. 1 is compulsory, answer any five questions from the remaining.

(ii) प्रत्येक प्रश्न के सभी भागों को क्रमवार एक साथ हल कीजिए ।

Solve all parts of a question consecutively together.

(iii) प्रत्येक प्रश्न को नये पृष्ठ से प्रारम्भ कीजिए ।

Start each question on a fresh page.

1. Write an essay of about 200 words on any one of the following :

Deforestation : Meaning – Causes – Effects – Ways to control deforestation.

OR

Noise pollution : Meaning – Sources – Effects – Ways to control noise pollution. (10)

2. (i) Change the voice of the following :

(a) The principal has announced a new programme.

(b) Who had packed my luggage ?

(c) The govt. will introduce a new system.

(d) They are paying us very little.

(e) Open the medicine three hours before use.

(f) Nobody trusts him.

(1×6)

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(ii) Change the following into indirect speech :

- (a) The students said, "We have been waiting since morning."
- (b) His father said, "How often do you go to the temple ?"
- (c) The child said, "Please help me."
- (d) Mother said, "Do not talk so loudly."
- (e) The traveller said, "Let us stop and take some rest."
- (f) My friend said, "Good morning."

(1×6)

3. (i) Fill in the blanks with the correct forms of the verbs given in brackets :

- (a) Rubber \_\_\_\_\_ (not grow) in cold climates.
- (b) We \_\_\_\_\_ (go) to Goa last year.
- (c) I cannot play because I \_\_\_\_\_ (injure) my foot.
- (d) He already \_\_\_\_\_ (eat) three sandwiches.
- (e) The cricket match \_\_\_\_\_ (finish) by now.
- (f) By the time I reached the station the train \_\_\_\_\_ (leave)

(1×6)

(ii) Transform the following sentences as directed :

- (a) He is taller than me. (Negative)
- (b) I am not a little tired. (Affirmative)
- (c) That was not an example to be followed. (Interrogative)
- (d) It is a horrible night. (Exclamatory)
- (e) This is the biggest temple in this city. (Comparative)
- (f) Gold is the most precious metal. (Positive)

(1×6)

4. (i) Identify the patterns of the following sentences :

- (a) He made his son an engineer.
- (b) She gave me a pen.
- (c) The students found the story interesting.
- (d) He has a car.

(1×4)

(ii) Fill in the blanks with modals auxiliaries suitable to the meaning indicated in brackets.

(a) You \_\_\_\_\_ come regularly now. (Necessity)

(b) He \_\_\_\_\_ go now. (Permission)

(c) I \_\_\_\_\_ walk very easily now. (Present ability)

(d) You \_\_\_\_\_ obey the traffic rules. (Obligation)

(1x4)

(iii) Correct the following sentences :

(a) Man's happiness or misery are in his own hands.

(b) Where are your luggage ?

(c) I don't know nothing of the matter.

(d) We all were happy to hear the news.

(1x4)

5. (i) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions :

(a) My father gets up early \_\_\_\_\_ the morning.

(b) Your premium falls due \_\_\_\_\_ the first of January.

(c) Is it possible to work \_\_\_\_\_ these circumstances ?

(d) Do not lean \_\_\_\_\_ the chair.

(1x4)

(ii) Fill in the blanks with 'a', 'an' or 'the'.

(a) I bought \_\_\_\_\_ pen yesterday. \_\_\_\_\_ pen cost me a lot.

(b) My engineer friend took me to \_\_\_\_\_ site of \_\_\_\_\_ dam.

(1x4)

(iii) Use the following idiom/phrases in sentences of your own :

(a) work up

(b) turn down

(c) back out

(d) call off

(1x4)

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6. Your friend's father has just recovered from a serious illness. Write a letter to him asking about his father's health. (12)
7. Write a report to the District Collector on "Republic Day Celebration" in your college. (12)
8. Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow :

The design of a new motor car is the result of team – work. Engineers and Artists both work together. Broadly speaking, the engineers design the engine, the drive from the engine to the wheels (the transmission) and the hidden structures which support these items. The artists or stylists as they are known in the motor industry, decide the overall shape and interior layout in addition to colour schemes and chrome decorations.

The decision to start work on a new model is made by the Directors, who also decide certain overall details which are published in a secret document called a specification. This states the car's size, speed and performance, the type and the location of the engine and other basic details. The specification is passed on to the engineers and stylists who work in a well-guarded office where security is as strict as in a military camp.

- (i) What is the role of engineer's in designing a new car ?
- (ii) What do the stylists or artists do ?
- (iii) Who takes the decision to start work on a new model ?
- (iv) What does the specification contain ?

(3×4)