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Roll No. :

2023 (Annual)

COMMUNICATION SKILLS IN ENGLISH

निर्धारित समय : 3 घंटे]

[अधिकतम अंक : 70

Time allowed : 3 Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 70

- Note :** (i) Question No. 1 is compulsory, answer any **FIVE** questions from the remaining.
(ii) Solve **all** parts of a question consecutively together.
(iii) Start each question on fresh page.
(iv) Answer must be written in English only.

1. Write an essay of about **200** words on any **one** of the topics given below. You may use the outline given :

Noise Pollution : Meaning – Sources – Effects – Ways to control noise pollution – Supreme Court's decision in this regard.

OR

Deforestation : Meaning – Causes – Effects – Ways to control deforestation. (10)

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

- (a) The teacher punished the irregular students.
(b) Someone was cleaning the floor.
(c) Please give me your pen.
(d) Who composed this poem ?
(e) A mechanic is repairing my car.
(f) They nominated him their leader.

(1×6)

- (ii) Change the following into Reported Speech :

- (a) Ram said to Sita, "Are you preparing breakfast ?"
(b) She said, "you should give up drinking."
(c) Anita said to her brother, "I have finished my work".
(d) He said, "Alas ! my watch is lost."
(e) He said, "Good-bye, my friends."
(f) The master said to his servant, "Go away at-once."

(1×6)



3. (i) Make **one** sentence in each of the patterns given below :

- (a) NP + Verb
- (b) NP + Verb + Adverb
- (c) NP + Verb + Indirect object + Direct object.
- (d) NP + Verb + Adjective

(1×4)

(ii) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions :

- (a) This machinery is imported _____ Japan.
- (b) He shall stay here _____ next Monday.
- (c) Distribute these mangoes _____ children.
- (d) Here is the picture that you asked _____.

(1×4)

(iii) Fill in the blanks with suitable determiners :

- (a) She devotes _____ time to her studies.
- (b) Will you stay here _____ longer ?
- (c) There are _____ chairs in the room.
- (d) I have finished _____ my work.

(1×4)

4. (i) Transform the following as directed without changing the meaning :

- (a) Money cannot buy health. (Interrogative)
- (b) I had the wings of a bird. (Exclamatory)
- (c) How hot the weather is ! (Assertive)
- (d) There is nothing greater than love. (Interrogative)
- (e) What a fool you are ! (Assertive)
- (f) Only the brave deserve the fair. (Negative)

(1×6)

(ii) Fill in the blanks with correct form of verbs given in brackets :

- (a) She _____ a book since morning. (read)
- (b) If you _____ hard, you would have passed. (work)
- (c) Are you going _____ the film this evening. (watch)
- (d) She ate her lunch. Then she _____ sleepy. (feel)
- (e) He _____ to my house yesterday. (come)
- (f) My mother _____ a teacher. (to be)

(1×6)

5. (i) Correct the following sentences :

- (a) We cannot give him a job because he has had no experiences.
- (b) I cannot asleep.
- (c) Twelve kms are a long distance.
- (d) He ran very fastly.
- (e) Be quite.
- (f) Mathematic is an interesting subject.

(1×6)

- (ii) Fill in the blanks with Modals appropriate to the meaning indicated in the brackets :
- (a) I _____ jump into the river. (Courage)
 - (b) _____ you have a cup of tea with me. (Polite invitation)
 - (c) Run slow lest you _____ fall down. (Purpose)
 - (d) I _____ rather suffer than borrow. (Preference)
 - (e) She _____ run a km easily. (Ability in the present)
 - (f) The sky is clear, but it _____ rain heavily. (Remote Possibility) **(1×6)**
6. (i) Use the following phrases in sentences of your own so as to make their meaning clear :
- (a) go through
 - (b) pass away
 - (c) turn down
 - (d) pick out **(1×4)**
- (ii) Add a suitable prefix to the words given in brackets and fill in the blanks according to the meaning :
- (a) I read a story about an _____ school master. (literate)
 - (b) No one likes _____ persons. (honest)
 - (c) There is a great _____ between husband and wife. (understanding)
 - (d) The Rajasthan Government want to _____ power. (centralize) **(1×4)**
- (iii) Add a suitable suffix to the words given in brackets and fill in the blanks :
- (a) The _____ committee has selected my sister for the post of PGT English. (select)
 - (b) The _____ should behave courteously. (employ)
 - (c) The _____ will be made through cheque only. (pay)
 - (d) Her _____ will surely be accepted. (propose) **(1×4)**

7. Read the passage given below and answer the questions that follow :

“Courtesy costs nothing but pays a huge dividend”, is an apt maxim which has been guiding mankind through all the ages of civilization.

“A man without sense of courtesy”, says the great essayist and moral teacher, Francis Bacon, “is an animal with human form”. Courtesy is a term that embraces every walk of our life and that it concerns all of us. Each of us is morally bound with one or other form of courtesy. We have to show courtesy, on our part, to our elders while they, on their part, maintain certain principles of courtesy to be extended to their younger ones. That is why the cult of courtesy is governed by the principle of ‘give and take’.

There are numerous instances of showing courtesy to others – very simple and easy – causing you absolutely no difficulty or strain. For example you are travelling in a bus which is packed up. You have got a seat but a lady is standing. It is the principle of courtesy that you should offer her your seat, no matter whether she accepts your invitation or not.

Another common form of courtesy is that of ‘thanking’ and saying ‘please’. Someone offers you something; before you accept it you must say ‘thank you’; even if you don’t need it.

It is a principle of courtesy that when you meet an elder, you must first bow to him and say ‘good morning, sir/madam’. While attending lunch or dinner you must not start eating, unless your fellow guests do so.

It is a matter of great pity as well as shame that in our country people pay very little attention to the demand of courtesy. Courtesy makes a man a real human being fit to live in a civilized society.

- (i) Make a precis of the above passage and give it a suitable title. (5+1)
- (ii) What does Bacon say about courtesy? (2)
- (iii) What are the most common words (two) which we should use in day to day life? (2)
- (iv) What manners should we follow while attending lunch or dinner? (2)

8. Write a letter to the Registrar, Board of Technical Education, Rajasthan, Jodhpur to re-evaluate your Answer-script in Code No. 102 citing reasons for doing so. (12)

OR

Write a report on ‘Growing Influence of Western Culture’ to be published in your college magazine. (200 words.)