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First Semester B.A., LL.B./B.Com., LL.B./B.B.A. LL.B. (Five Year Integrated) Degree Examination, June 2022

Paper I — LISTENING, SPEAKING AND READING SKILLS

(2013 – 2019 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

I. Answer any five of the following, each in a sentence or two :

1. English is not a phonetic language. Explain.
2. Differentiate between hearing and listening.
3. Define etiquette.
4. Define RP.
5. How do you listen actively?
6. Define biography.
7. Distinguish between formal and informal styles of speaking.

(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)

II. Answer as directed: Answer any five questions.

1. How many syllables are there in the word 'seventeen'?

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| (a) 5 | (b) 2 |
| (c) 3 | (d) 4 |

2. Choose the ideal way to greet your teacher :
- (a) Hi (b) Hello
(c) Nice Morning (d) Good Morning, Sir
3. Pick out the word that does not have /ʒ/ sound.
- (a) usual (b) ship
(c) casual (d) prestige
4. What is the initial sound in the word 'tsunami'.
- (a) /t/ (b) /s/
(c) /i/ (d) /m/
5. 'Activity' is a _____ word.
- (a) monosyllabic (b) disyllabic
(c) trisyllabic (d) polysyllabic
6. In front of which sound does the stress fall in the word 'object,' when it is used as a noun.
- (a) 'object (b) ob 'ject
(c) ob 'ject (d) obje 'ct

(5 × 1 = 5 Marks)

III. Transcribe any five of the following words phonemically

1. (a) Food (b) Parent
(c) Ghost (d) Temple
(e) Go (f) Psychology

(5 × 1 = 5 Marks)

2. Mark the syllable division of the following words:

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| (a) Probability | (b) Understandably |
| (c) Examination | (d) Electricity |
| (e) January | |

(5 × 1 = 5 Marks)

IV. Answer **any five** of the following each in a paragraph of about **80** words:

1. What are the different types of texts? Elaborate.
2. Elaborate on the different ways of reading.
3. Advantages of silent reading.
4. How can you communicate effectively over the phone?
5. Characteristic features of academic listening
6. What are the major barriers to communication?

(5 × 5 = 25 Marks)

V. Attempt **any two** of the following, each in about **120** words:

1. There is a museum in your place. A stranger on the road asks you for directions to the museum. Instruct him on how to reach the place.
2. You are in a restaurant with your family. A waiter misbehaves with you. Write a conversation between the waiter and yourself.
3. An old friend telephones you to invite you for a get-together of your schoolmates. You have an exam on the same day. Politely refuse the invitation.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)

VI. Write the meanings of any five of the following legal terms and make sentences to bring out the meaning.

1. De facto
2. Trial
3. Bona fide
4. Liability
5. Amicus curiae
6. Prima facie
7. Habeas corpus.

(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)
