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First Semester B.A. LL.B./B.Com. LL.B./B.B.A. LL.B. (Five Year Integrated) Degree Examination, September 2021

Paper I : LISTENING, SPEAKING AND READING SKILLS

(2013-2019 Admission)

Time : 3 Hours Max. Marks : 80

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

(a) Define Communication.

(b) What is meant by intrapersonal communication?

(c) List out any two reasons for listening barriers.

(d) What are the major ways of delivering a speech?

(e) Mention any two benefits of effective reading.

(f) Define Topic Sentence.

(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)

II. Answer **any five** of the following questions as directed :

1. Which of the following words has a different vowel: bull, full, look, shoe?

2. How many syllables are there in the word 'beautiful'?

(a) 3

(b) 4

(c) 5

(d) 1

3. Which of the following word has the sound /v/?

(a) while

(b) west

(c) why

(d) vie

4. "Reading maketh a full man, conference a ready man, and writing an exact man". Whose words are these?

(a) Bacon

(b) Pope

(c) Dryden

(d) Shakespeare

5. Pick out the correct expression that helps us maintain courtesy in our conversation.

(a) thanks for listening

(b) sorry to learn that

(c) you are welcome

(d) all of these

6. Which of the following word does not begin with the sound /j/?

(a) university

(b) umbrella

(c) ubiquitous

(d) union

(5 × 1 = 5 Marks)

III. (a) Transcribe **any five** of the following words phonemically :

(1) Flight

(2) Army

(3) Yellow

(4) Father

(5) Item

(6) Quality

(5 × 1 = 5 Marks)

(b) Mark the syllable version of the following words :

(1) Observe

(2) Creature

(3) Enough

(4) Measure

(5) Bottle

(5 × 1 = 5 Marks)

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

1. Differences between general and professional communication.
2. Barriers to listening.
3. Word stress.
4. Vowels.
5. Different methods of reading.
6. Purpose of general conversation.

(5 × 5 = 25 Marks)

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

1. You want to reserve a table in a restaurant. Write the conversation which transpires between you and the restaurant manager.

2. You meet a foreigner in Trivandrum railway station. He wants to visit tourist spots in Kerala. Pen down a conversation between you and the foreigner.

3. Akshay appeared for the Kerala Entrance Examination. He expected a high rank but he could get only a low rank. Compose a dialogue between Akshay and his friend Aswin.

(2 × 10 = 20 Marks)

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

1. Amicus curiae

2. Bona tide

3. Ex gratia

4. Male fide

5. Prima facie

6. Sine die

7. Suo motu.

(5 × 2 = 10 Marks)