

MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Semester 5 OPEN COURSE – (EN 1551.1)

COMMUNICATIVE APPLICATIONS IN ENGLISH

Time – 3 Hours

Max. Marks – 80

I. Answer all questions, each in a word or a sentence

1. What are loan words?
2. ----- is an example of non-verbal communication
3. Antonym for *vivid* is-----
4. How many diphthongs are there in English?
5. English spoken in South East England is called.....
6. What is a caption?
7. Name an American English word that is used differently from British English
8. Identify the diphthong in 'cake'.
9. Give an example of Indian English usage.
10. What is Skimming?

(10x1= 10 marks)

II Answer any eight, each in a short paragraph not exceeding 50 words

11. Define stress.
12. Describe the steps in writing a film review
13. Construct a conversation between a father and son on the advantages and disadvantages of social media.
14. Describe hill stations of Kerala to a foreigner.
15. Explain basic techniques of conversation.
16. Importance of eye contact and facial expression in communication.
17. Differentiate informal and formal letters.
18. What is symposium?
19. What are the different types of captions? Give examples.
20. Write a report in a newspaper on any contemporary issue.

(8x2=16 marks)

III Answer any six of the following as directed

21. Write a review of a film you read recently
22. Write the difference in the meaning of the following pairs of words
 - a) Affect, Effect
 - b) Resign, Re-sign
 - c) Accuracy, Precision
 - d) Bear, Bare

23. Explain four commonly used idioms in English
24. Write a letter to the editor of a newspaper about the poor public water supply system in your locality
25. The sound system in English
26. How is self-concept important in communication?
27. Explain steps in writing a summary
28. Translate the following sentences from Malayalam to English

ഇന്ത്യയിൽ കോവിഡ് മരണം ആയിരം കടന്നു. ഇതുവരെയുള്ള കണക്കുകൾ പ്രകാരം 1007 പേരാണ് കോവിഡ് ബാധിച്ചു മരിച്ചത്. ഇന്നലെ മാത്രം 73 പേർ മരിച്ചു. ഒരു ദിവസം ഇത്രയധികം മരണം റിപ്പോർട്ട് ചെയ്യുന്നത് ഇതാദ്യമാണ്....

29. Correct the following sentences
 1. He only died last week
 2. One of my friend will do it
 3. You are more efficient than him
 4. Though he is fat, yet he runs fast
30. Write a caption for the photo given below



(6x4=24 marks)

IV Answer **any two** of the following.

31. What is Group discussion? Explain the steps involved.
32. Prepare a project proposal from your area of expertise
33. How is body language important in communication? Give examples.
34. How is British English different from American English? Give examples

(2x15= 30 marks)