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B.A. English

SEC I - ENGLISH FOR COMMUNICATION.

(For those who joined in July 2024 onwards)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum : 75 Marks

PART - A (10 × 1 = 10 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions

Choose the correct answer :

1. What is the tone of Assertive communication?
(a) Angry (b) Fearful.
(c) Calm and firm. (d) Arrogant.
2. is a characteristic feature of passive communication
(a) Expressing needs directly. (b) Avoiding conflict.
(c) Using aggressive tone. (d) Seeking feedback.
3. Verbal communication includes

- (a) Text messages. (b) Phone calls.
(c) Meetings. (d) All the above.
4. is an example of non-verbal communication.
(a) Talking loudly. (b) Waving goodbye.
(c) Writing a letter. (d) Reading a book.
5. is a skill which is essential for effective communication.
(a) Active listening. (b) Interrupting others.
(c) Using jargons (d). Avoiding eye contact
6. Which of the following is considered a barrier in communication?
(a) Different language. (b) Dissimilar interests.
(c) Narrow mindedness. (d) Contrasting values.
7. Which reading strategy helps to retain information?
(a) Fast reading. (b) Highlighting important points.
(c) Reading aloud. (d) Skipping conclusions
8. What makes spoken communication effective?
(a) Using complex vocabulary. (b) Speaking in a low voice
(c) Using clear and simple language. (d) Speaking hurriedly.
9. is an example for application of writing skills.
(a) Delivering presentations. (b) Participating in discussions.
(c) Report writing. (d) Reading a novel.
10. is a main application of language learning in social communication.
(a) Participating in community forums.
(b) Delivering presentations
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- (c) Writing research papers.
- (d) Reading instructions.

PART – B (5X5=25 Marks)

**Answer ALL Questions choosing either (a) or (b).
Answer should not exceed 250 words.**

11. (a) Write an essay on the basic principles of communication.

(OR)

- (b) Describe the significance of communication.

12. (a) Define verbal communication and explain its importance.

(OR)

- (b) Compare and contrast formal and informal verbal communication.

13. (a) Define effective communication and its importance.

(OR)

- (b) Explain the significance of active listening in effective communication.

14. (a) Evaluate the effectiveness of skimming and scanning techniques.

(OR)

- (b) What are the speaking skills to be acquired for effective communication?

15. (a) How to use the four skills of language in application of learning.

(OR)

- (b) Analyze the role of application of learning to develop communication skills.

PART C – (5 × 8 = 40 Marks)

Answer ALL Questions choosing either (a) or (b).

Answer should not exceed 500 words.

16. (a) Describe the basic communication styles with examples.

(OR)

- (b) Critically evaluate the demerits of communication styles.

17. (a) Describe the impact of tone and pitch in verbal communication.

(OR)

- (b) Explain the significance of body language in non-verbal communication.

18. (a) Analyze the barriers of effective communication.

(OR)

- (b) Discuss the role of feedback in effective communication.

19. (a) Write an essay on prominent methods and models of communication.

(OR)

- (b) Discuss the listening and writing skills to be acquired in communication.

20. (a) Explain the various applications involved in learning a language.

(OR)

- (b) What are the tips to be applied while learning a language for communication?