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CERTIFICATE COURSE IN SPOKEN ENGLISH
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Non-Semester

PUBLIC SPEAKING

(For those who joined in July 2008 onwards)

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

PART A — (10 × 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL questions.

Choose the correct answer :

1. _____ is a tool that aids in the expression and conveyance of thought and feelings of two individuals.
- (a) Communication
(b) Language
(c) Idea
(d) Expression

2. _____ is a process of exchanging ideas, message or information from one individual to another.
- (a) Communication (b) Language
(c) Idea (d) Expression
3. _____ requires more focus and concentrated effort, both mentally and sometimes physically.
- (a) Listening (b) Speaking
(c) Reading (d) Writing
4. _____ are usually good learners.
- (a) Listeners (b) Speakers
(c) Readers (d) Writers
5. In general, however, people tend to lose their interest after about _____ minutes.
- (a) 15 (b) 10
(c) 20 (d) 18
6. While delivering Presential Address, decide on the _____ for your speech.
- (a) Tone (b) Pitch
(c) Dialect (d) Pronunciation



7. A crowded, busy place can be called as _____
 (a) bustling area (b) crawling
 (c) creeping (d) poking
8. The modern, very up to date can be called as _____
 (a) contemporary (b) venerable
 (c) ancient (d) outworn
9. An average GD usually features _____ participants.
 (a) 10 to 15 (b) 12 to 15
 (c) 10 to 13 (d) 10 to 12
10. _____ is a serious discussion of a subject in which many people take part.
 (a) Group Discussion (b) Debate
 (c) Communication (d) Conversation

PART B — (5 × 6 = 30 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

11. (a) What is the need for communication?
 Or
 (b) Bring out the importance of listening in communication.

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12. (a) Why is dialogue important for society?
 Or
 (b) Why is speech important to human development?
13. (a) What are the necessary things to be included in Welcome Speech?
 Or
 (b) Prepare a vote of thanks for your department valedictory.
14. (a) Describe an event which you admired very much.
 Or
 (b) Describe a person whom you loved most.
15. (a) Prepare a debate on "Social Media – A curse or a boon."

Or

- (b) Discuss the following topic in GD :
 "Exams – measure the memory of students and not their learning".

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PART C — (5 × 12 = 60 marks)

Answer ALL questions, choosing either (a) or (b).

16. (a) Explain how Language and Communication are inter related?

Or

- (b) Write an essay on the principles of effective communication.

17. (a) Discuss — "Dialogue as a tool of communication".

Or

- (b) Elucidate the role of listening and its importance in communication.

18. (a) Imagine you are invited as a chief guest to deliver presidential address in the alumni meet and prepare for the same.

Or

- (b) Prepare welcome address for the graduation day.

19. (a) Describe your friend whom you admire most.

Or

- (b) Describe a place which you admired very much.

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20. (a) Prepare a debate on "Social Media has improved human communication."

Or

- (b) Discuss the following topic in GD: "Should celebrities be allowed to join politics."
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