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# ENG8802T

M.A. FIRST SEMESTER (NEP) EXAMINATION, 2023-24

ENGLISH LITERATURE

(DSE/GE)

[ Paper : Fifth ]

**Communication Skills in English**

Time Allowed : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 80

**PART-A**

[Marks : 16]

*Answer all **eight** questions (Maximum 50 words each).*

*All questions carry **equal** marks.*

**PART-B**

[Marks : 40]

*Answer **all five** questions (Maximum 200 words each)*

*selecting one from each unit. All questions carry **equal** marks.*

**PART-C**

[Marks : 24]

*Answer **any two** questions (Maximum 300 words each).*

*All questions carry **equal** marks.*

## **PART-A**

1. Answer **all** questions.
  - (i) What are the speech organs in phonetics?
  - (ii) What is Oral Cavity?
  - (iii) Write the phonetic symbols of these words:
    - (a) BUT (B) TOY
  - (iv) What is functional grammar?
  - (v) How many parts of speech are there in English? Give examples.
  - (vi) Identify the tense used in following sentences:
    - (a) I get up early in the morning.
    - (b) He came last night.
  - (vii) What is the difference between styles and registers in English language?
  - (viii) What is the relationship between language and society?

## **PART-B**

### **Unit-I**

2. How many Pure Vowels are there in English? Write their phonetic symbols and give examples.

### **OR**

How many diphthongs are there in English? Write their phonetic symbols and give examples.

### **Unit-II**

3. Complete the sentences using the correct question tags:
  - (i) He is a good teacher \_\_\_\_\_?
  - (ii) Open the window \_\_\_\_\_?
  - (iii) I can do it for you \_\_\_\_\_?
  - (iv) You are always punctual \_\_\_\_\_?
  - (v) Nisha is very young \_\_\_\_\_?

- (vi) Let us start now \_\_\_\_\_?
- (vii) You should not smoke \_\_\_\_\_?
- (viii) Do as I say \_\_\_\_\_?

**OR**

What is Preposition? Explain any four with examples.

**Unit-III**

4. Identify the Parts of Speech which is underlined in the below sentences:

- (a) Jaswant *lives* in *Banswara*.
- (b) An *honest* man *always* speaks truth.
- (c) The *Music* is very *loud*.
- (d) She *quickly* packed her bag *and* left.

**OR**

- (i) *Raman* is *playing* golf.
- (ii) *Wow!* that is *great*.
- (iii) *Please* turn on the *light*.
- (iv) The *garden* wall is made *of* rocks.

**Unit-IV**

5. Prepare a presentation on any one given topic:

- (a) Climate Change

**OR**

- (b) Covid-19
- (c) Effects of Social media on students

**Unit-V**

6. What is Public Speaking? How can anyone improve this skill?

**OR**

Prepare a Speech on **any one** of the following:

- (a) Discipline in colleges
- (b) Benefits of fitness

### PART-C

7. Describe the various organs of Speech in detail with examples. How they produce sounds? Give details of their classification.
8. Do as directed.
- (a) Fill in the blanks with suitable articles:
- (i) Ram gave me \_\_\_\_\_ one-rupee note.
  - (ii) Kalidas is \_\_\_\_\_ Shakespeare of India.
  - (iii) He is \_\_\_\_\_ NDA officer.
  - (iv) \_\_\_\_\_ screwdriver is a useful tool.
- (b) Fill in the blanks with suitable preposition:
- (i) She has an aptitude \_\_\_\_\_ music.
  - (ii) I prefer tea \_\_\_\_\_ coffee.
  - (iii) You are unfit \_\_\_\_\_ this post.
  - (iv) She died \_\_\_\_\_ cholera.
- (c) Fill in the blanks with correct form of the verbs given in brackets:
- (i) I \_\_\_\_\_ (not like) the dance last night.
  - (ii) I wish I \_\_\_\_\_ (know) his name.
  - (iii) She \_\_\_\_\_ (play) tennis since 4 o' clock.
  - (iv) She will go out only when the rain \_\_\_\_\_ (stop).
9. What are the presentation skills and its types? How can anyone prepare an effective presentation? Discuss the Do's and Don'ts of the presentation in detail.
10. Write short notes on **any three** of the following:
- (a) Public Speaking
  - (b) Speech preparation
  - (c) Use of visual aids in presentation
  - (d) Special Occasion Speeches
  - (e) Functions of registers

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