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**End Semester Examination – Nov/Dec – 2018**

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| **Code :** | **14EN1001** | **Duration :** | **3hrs** |
| **Sub. Name :** | **ENGLISH COMPREHENSION** | **Max. marks :** | **100** |

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| **Q. No.** | **Questions** | **Course Outcome** | **Marks** |
|  | **PART-A(20X1=20 MARKS)** | | |
| 1. | In order to achieve coherence, technical writers use several \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  a. connectives b. techniques c. adjunct d. adverbial | CO2 | 1 |
| 2. | A \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is attached at the beginning of a root word to form a new word.  a. suffix b. prefix c. adverbial d. adjunct | CO3 | 1 |
| 3. | Fill in the blanks with suitable connectives  I knocked at the door, \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ nobody opened it.  a. but b. yet c. and d. as | CO1 | 1 |
| 4. | Select the one, which can be substituted for the given words. The detailed route plan of a journey or tour  a. map b. agenda c. itinerary d. schedule | CO1 | 1 |
| 5. | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is the our action or reaction to the written message.  a. Decoding b. Response c. Evaluating d. Text analysis | CO2 | 1 |
| 6. | We read \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ for fun  a. business documents b. reference materials  c. scientific texts d. entertaining texts | CO3 | 1 |
| 7. | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ refers to the ability to locate specific information.  a. Prediction b. Scanning  c. Skimming d. Intensive reading | CO2 | 1 |
| 8. | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ technique is developed by Dorothy Watson in 1985  a. SQ4R b. ERRQ c. SQ3R d. ERQR | CO1 | 1 |
| 9. | Sudha Murty’s column ‘IT Divide’ appeared in \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  a. The Week b. The Hindu c. Ananda Vikatan d. The Indian Express | CO1 | 1 |
| 10. | ‘It is better to be worn out than to be rusted’ - Who said this?  a. Abdul Kalam b. Javed c. JRD Tata d. Sudha Murty | CO3 | 1 |
| 11. | Everyone liked Ram and Gopal because they are \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  a. always cheerful b. obedient c. smart d. very helpful | CO3 | 1 |
| 12. | The word ‘Appro’ means \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ in Gujarati.  a. Kind hearted b. Ours c. father d. God | CO1 | 1 |
| 13. | Hassan’s state today is the result of his \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_.  a. exams b. habits c. parents d. friends | CO2 | 1 |
| 14. | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ refers to writing down verbatim what is written.  a. Topicalising b. Copying c. Schematising d. Transcribing | CO3 | 1 |
| 15. | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_  is a simple graphic aid that organises data into groups and shows quantitative data and related information.  a. Graph b. Pie diagram c. Tree diagram d. Table | CO1 | 1 |
| 16. | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ resume follows a mixed style  a. Functional b. Chronological c. Curriculum Vitae  d. Combination | CO1 | 1 |
| 17. | \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ is an integral part of oral communication  a. Appearance b. Smile c. Body language d. Dress Code | CO2 | 1 |
| 18. | Effective \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ achieves group goals and aid in decision making.  a. communication b. group discussion c.team management  d. listening | CO2 | 1 |
| 19. | The main purpose of \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ listening is get enjoyment or pleasure.  a. appreciative b. superficial c. focused d. empathetic | CO2 | 1 |
| 20. | Noise is an example \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ barrier for listening.  a. cultural b. linguistic c. psychological d. physical | CO3 | 1 |

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| **PART B(10 X 5= 50 MARKS)**  **(Answer any 10 from the following)** | | | |
| 21. | What are sentence connectors? What are the various functions of sentence connectors? Give examples. | CO1 | 5 |
| 22. | Give few guidelines on writing effective sentences. | CO2 | 5 |
| 23. | Write brief notes on the difference between efficient and inefficient reading. | CO2 | 5 |
| 24. | Detail the four factors of reading process. | CO3 | 5 |
| 25. | Detail the incident that led to the meeting of Sudha murty with JRD. | CO1 | 5 |
| 26. | ‘Excellence does not come by accident but by practice’ - Justify with reference to Sudha Murty’s Hassan’s attendance problem. | CO2 | 5 |
| 27. | Write a paragraph on the topic - Role of technology in our day to day life. | CO3 | 5 |
| 28. | Write a note on downward communication. | CO1 | 5 |
| 29. | Explain the physical barrier of listening | CO3 | 5 |
| 30. | What are the characteristics of a successful group discussion? | CO3 | 5 |
| 31. | What are the functions of note writing? | CO1 | 5 |
| 32. | How to overcome barriers of communication? | CO1 | 5 |

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| **PART C(2 X 15= 30 MARKS)**  **(Answer any 2 from the following)** | | | | |
| 33. | a. | Describe your home in about 250 words. | CO1 | 7 |
| b. | Attempt an essay on reading different kinds of Texts. | CO1 | 8 |
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| 34. | a. | Narrate the story of two doctors in your own words. | CO2 | 5 |
| b. | What are the different types of interview questions? Give two examples for each type. | CO2 | 10 |
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| 35. | a. | Write an essay on the parts of a Resume. | CO3 | 10 |
| b. | Discuss how body language can be used to improve the effectiveness of a verbal message during an oral communication. | CO1 | 5 |