

I Semester M.Com. Examination, January 2017 (CBCS) COMMERCE

Paper - 1.7 : SC : Communication Skills

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

SECTION-A

Answer any seven questions. Each question carries two marks.

 $(2 \times 7 = 14)$

- a) What is Appreciative Listening?
- b) Define Stereotyping.
- c) Mention 5W's and 1 H of Report Writing.
- d) What is Emotional Intelligence in Oral Communication?
- e) Why feedback is essential for communication?
- f) What is Cognition?
- g) Mention the different dimensions of Network Communication in Organization.
- h) What do you mean by Communication Gap?
- i) What is meant by Minutes?
- Define Non-verbal Communication with examples.

SECTION-B

Answer any four questions. Each question carries five marks.

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$

- 'Communication is primarily a social activity' Justify.
- Explain the basic principles used in letter writing. Discuss the language and styles used in Business Correspondence.
- 'Organizing content and preparing an outline plays a vital role in presentation'. Explain.



- Explain the psychological and cross-cultural barriers involved in oral communication.
- What is team ? Briefly explain the role of efficient team and the challenges involved in teamwork.
- "Man's inability to communicate is a result of his failure to listen effectively" keeping this statement in mind, discuss in detail, the traits of a good listener.

SECTION-C

Answer any three questions. Each question carries twelve marks.

(12×3=36)

- "Communication is essential to business as blood is to human body". Do you agree with the statement? Also briefly explain the process of communication.
- What is Negotiation? Explain the various types of negotiation. Also enumerate the conditions and strategies of negotiating.
- "Listening is a process of receiving, interpreting and reacting to a message received from the speaker". Justify the statement.
- 11. Write short notes on:
 - a) Video-conference
 - b) Public speaking
 - c) Body language.
- 'A Report is a neatly structured piece of work' in justification of this statement, explain the objectives and features of Good Report. Also explain the various steps involved in drafting a report.

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Paper - 1.7 - S. C.: Communication Skills

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Instruction: Answer all Sections.

SECTION-A

Answer any seven sub-questions. Each sub-question carries two marks.

 $(7 \times 2 = 14)$

- a) What is feedback loop in communication?
- b) Give any two examples of kinesics.
- c) What is meant by chronemics?
- d) Define communication.
- e) What do you mean by dominant style of communication?
- f) Differentiate between critical listening and hearing.
- g) Give the meaning of empathic listening.
- h) What do you mean by cross-cultural communication?
- i) What is conflict resolution?
- j) What is meant by paralanguage?

SECTION-B

Answer any four questions. Each question carries five marks.

(4×5=20)

- What is Grapevine? Explain briefly the importance of informal communication in an business organisation.
- Bring out the arguments for and against strategic negotiation on 'win win' and 'win – loss' negotiations.



- Explain the various impediments for effective communication in writing commercial letters.
- Discuss the barriers in oral communication and suggest the ways to overcome for creative in oral communication.
- What is the importance of using right words in the right place in the group discussion? Explain.
- How are communication skills interlinked with efficient functioning of an organisation? Discuss.

SECTION-C

Answer any three of the following questions. Each question carries twelve marks.

(3×12=36)

- Discuss the changes in today's workplace that make excellent communication skills mandatory for business executives in multinational companies.
- "Listening is the cornerstone of effective communication". Elucidate with suitable examples.
- 10. Analyse the importance of team building. What are the technique for gaining and keeping the team individuals attention and accomplishment the team roles?
- 11. Write an essay on "creativity in written communication".
- Discuss the importance of inter-personal communication and barriers involved in inter-personal communication.



I Semester M.Com. Degree Examination, January 2015 (CBCS Scheme) COMMERCE

1.7 : S.C : Soft Core : Communication Skills

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

Instruction: Answer all Sections.

SECTION-A

Answer any seven of the following. Each question carries 2 marks.

 $(7 \times 2 = 14)$

- 1. a) Define 'Communication'.
 - b) Define emotional intelligence.
 - c) What is oral communication?
 - d) List four requisites of good communication.
- e) What is perception ?
 - f) What is interpersonal communication?
 - g) What is cognition?
 - h) What is conflict?
 - i) Define 'negotiation'.
 - Define 'stereotyping'.

SECTION-B

Answer any four of the following. Each question carries 5 marks.

(4x5=20)

- 2. Explain in brief seven C's of communication.
- Write a note on creativity in oral communication. Explain in brief the advantages of video conferencing.
- 4. What is team work? Explain the role of efficient team.



- 5. Explain listening barriers. How to overcome these barriers?
- 6. What is e-mail? What are the essentials of e-mail messages?
- Explain the importance of listening skills.

SECTION-C

Answer any three of the following. Each question carries 12 marks.

(12×3=36)

- Why communication is essential in organisation? Explain in detail communication network of the organisation with appropriate examples.
- Explain the advantages of video conferencing mobile phones and facsimile machines.
- 10. a) Write sample resume format.
 - b) Draft a office circular informing that working hours are rescheduled from 9.30 am to 4.30 pm to facilitate the staff to reach the institution in time.
- 11. Define 'active listening'. Explain in detail guidelines for effective listening.
- What is interpersonal communication? Explain the barriers of interpersonal communication.



- 5. Explain listening barriers. How to overcome these barriers?
- 6. What is e-mail? What are the essentials of e-mail messages?
- 7. Explain the importance of listening skills.

SECTION - C

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