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Subject Name: Communication Skills in English

Time: 10:30 AM TO 01:00 PM

Total Marks: 70

Instructions:

1. Attempt all questions.
2. Make Suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. Use of simple calculators and non-programmable scientific calculators are permitted.
5. English version is authentic.

Q.1 Answer the following questions. (Any seven) 14

1. What kind of man is Jimmy?
2. What does the poet mean by 'ever-widening thought and action'?
3. Describe 'heaven' imagined by the poet.
4. What promise did Jimmy and Bob make twenty years ago?
5. Describe the end of the story 'After Twenty Years'.
6. What did the narrator see and feel when reached atop Pari Tibba?
7. What made the narrator feel that the leopard was following him around? Was it true that the leopard was following him?
8. Where does the owner of the woods live?
9. Why do you think the poet stopped in the woods?
10. What kind of freedom does the poet desire for the country?

Q. 2 (a) Match the column 'A' with column 'B' (Any five) 5

column 'A'	column 'B'
The leopard	Red colour
club	Gestures
Queer	Strange
Downy	Space
Proxemics	Stick
Kinesics	Soft
crimson	Ruskin Bond

(b) Write short note. (Any Two) 6

1. Write a note on Communication Barriers.
2. Discuss the Communication cycle.
3. Explain different Flows of communication.

(C) Choose the correct option.(Any Three) 3

1. Communication without words is _____ communication.
(A. non verbal B. verbal C. written)

2. E mail, SMS , letters are examples of _____communication.
(A. oral B. written C. non-verbal)
3. The response to a sender's message is called _____.
(A. receiver B. channel C. feedback)
4. The factors that make communication slow or ineffective are called _____.
(A. paralanguage B. barriers C. feedback)

Q. 3 (a) Fill in the blanks using proper modal auxiliary. (Any four)

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1. I _____ read English. (can, may, should)
2. _____ you live long! (Can, Would, May)
3. We _____ help the needy. (must, should, may)
4. We _____ be careful while driving. (may, can, must)
5. My mother _____ run fast when she was in school. (can, could, might)

(b) Fill in the blanks using appropriate form of the verb. (Any four)

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1. _____ you ever _____ English drama? (see)
2. The lights went off, while they _____ their dinner. (have)
3. Listen , someone _____ you outside.(call)
4. We _____ for two hours. (wait)
5. He _____ the zoo next Sunday. (visit)

(c) Do as directed. (Any Six)

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1. My brother writes clearly. (Identify the Adverb)
2. Wow! What a scene. (Identify the interjections)
3. Shyam is my brother. ____ study in the same class. (Use the Appropriate Pronoun)
4. He is _____ honest man. (Apply a suitable determiner from: a, an, the)
5. There _____ a bunch of grapes in the basket. (Apply a suitable verb from : are, is, has)
6. Neither of the girls play well. (spot the error and rewrite the sentence)
7. There are book in the bag. (spot the error and rewrite the sentence)

Q. 4 (a) Join these sentences using conjunctions given in the bracket.(Any Four)

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1. The boys are afraid to go near that place. They have heard that it is haunted.
(because)
2. We were walking to the other side of the island. We found a small stream.(when)
3. The girl did not buy that expensive pair of shoes. She liked them very much. (though)
4. I wanted to go with them very badly. My father would not let me go.(but)
5. He walked out of the room very angrily. He slammed the door hard.(and)

(b) Match the sentences to the patterns.

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A	B
SVO	The wall collapsed.
SVC	Ram is a boy.
SV	She works sincerely.
SVA	Heema reads a news paper.

(c) Go through the sentences and change their tenses as directed. (Any Three)

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1. The boy speaks the truth. (Change into *Present Continuous Tense*)
2. I know this. (Change into *Simple Past*)
3. Meera ate all the apples. (Change into *Present Perfect Tense*)
4. I have finished my assignment. (Change into *Past Perfect Tense*)

(d) Use appropriate preposition from the bracket. (Any Three) **3**

1. The cup is ____ the cupboard.
 2. Take your legs ____ the table.
 3. There are clouds ____ the town.
 4. Tom sits ____ Lucy and James.
- (in, over, between, off, under, among, near)

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Q. 5 (a) On behalf of the Principal, XYZ Polytechnic College, Parimal Cross Road, Ahmadabad, draft a letter to place an order for purchasing stationery items for your college store to the Manager, A to Z Stationery Suppliers, M. G. Road, Ahmadabad.

(b) Write an email to your HR head, recommending a friend for a vacant post. **7**

or

Q. 5 (a) Pooja Patel, Electrical department, ABC Engineering College, Gandhinagar wants to join internship program in Bharat Electric Company. Write a request letter to the CEO, Bharat Electric Company, Hyderabad on her behalf. **7**

(b) 2) Write an e-mail to your boss using the below stated lines: **7**
Learnt that boss is taking up a new project- planned for investment of millions of dollars in IT unfortunately plan will not work- competitor has similar project- this project was a failure- no demand in the market- hence should stop this idea immediately.