

B.A. Semester VI (General) Examination 2021 (CBCS)

Subject: English

Paper: SEC-4

Time: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 40

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.

Attempt either OPTION A or OPTION B

OPTION A (Soft Skills)

Answer **any eight** of the following questions:

8X5=40

1. What are the basic soft skills that one should develop to become a leader?
 2. Discuss how to improve body language skills.
 3. State the characteristics of positive thinking.
 4. What are the advantages of SWOT analyses for students?
 5. What are the characteristics of Brain Storming?
 6. Discuss in brief Note Taking.
 7. What are the essentials of Proof Reading?
 8. What are LSRW skills? Elucidate.
 9. State the features of non-verbal communication.
 10. What are the differences between spoken and written forms of communication?
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OPTION B (Spoken English)

Answer **any eight** of the following questions:

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1. Mention some of the differences between verbal communication and non-verbal communication.
 2. Briefly comment on two barriers to effective communication.
 3. Distinguish between stress and intonation.
 4. What is a 'Language Lab'? Mention some features of a 'Language Lab'.
 5. Briefly comment on the nature of conversation in English on mobile phones.
 6. Frame a short dialogue between two students on the advantages and disadvantages of online classes in the context of the COVID -19 situation.
 7. What is 'voice modulation'? Explain briefly.
 8. Write the text of a short speech that you intend to deliver in your college, alerting your friends to the circulation of fake videos on social media.
 9. Mention some of the basic skills of a good television/radio anchor.
 10. Draft a brief letter of request to the Principal of your college for organizing a short term course on Spoken English, pointing out how students will benefit from such a course.
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