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## Fifth Semester B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Degree Examination, February 2021 First Degree Programme under CBCSS

## English

## Open Course - I

## EN 1551.1 – COMMUNICATIVE APPLICATIONS IN ENGLISH (2013, 2015-2017 Admission)

Time: 3 Hours Max. Marks: 80

- Answer all questions, each in a word or sentence.
- 1. What is the syllable structure of 'scream'?
- 2. Mark stress on 'agree'.
- 3. What reading strategy do you employ in reading a newspaper?
- 4. How many syllables are there in the word 'invigilation'?
- 5. Write an expression for disagreeing with someone in a group discussion.
- 6. What is the expression for CV?
- 7. Use 'To pay through the nose' in a sentence.

8.	Choose the appropriate word from the bracket:
	Lord Harley felt insulted and he challenged Tom to a ——————————————————————————————————
9.	The antonym of 'invaluable'.
10	The synonym of 'Faithful'.
	$(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ Marks})$
II.	Answer any eight, each in short paragraph not exceeding 50 words.
11.	Write two sentences to introduce a speaker.
12	What is the importance of audio visual aids in a presentation?
13.	What is primary stress?
14.	State, with examples, the influence of one's mother tongue on spoken English.
15.	How will you help a tourist to reach the Reservation Counter at the Railway Station?
16	What is the importance of eye-contact in listening and speaking?
17.	Write an e-mail to your friend stating your inability to join a get-together.
18.	What is the importance of leadership skills in a group discussion?
19.	List the different blocks of information included in a CV.

- 20 List two barriers to listening.
- You are the secretary of the co-operating society, prepare the agenda for the meeting of the general body.
- 22 Importance of body language when you address a gathering.

$$(8 \times 2 = 16 \text{ Marks})$$

- III Answer any six, each in a paragraph not exceeding 100 words.
- 23 Describe atleast four task-oriented roles members in groups perform.
- Write the minutes of the first Meeting of the Golden Jubilee Celebrations Committee of the YWCA in your town.
- 25 Explain sentence stress with examples.
- 26. Write a letter to the Editor of your local newspaper on the effects of improper waste disposal.
- Introduce the Chief Guest at an award function organised to recognize budding writers. You are delivering 'the Welcome Address'.
- 28. Describe a historic monument of special importance to you.
- 29. Prepare a CV for applying to the post of 'Front-office Manager' at the Reception in Hotel.
- 36. Write a note on the difference between British and American English.
- 3 During a train journey you meet an old teacher after 15 years. Write the conversation.

$$(6 \times 4 = 24 \text{ Marks})$$

- IV. Answer any two in about 300 words.
- 32. There are seven members in a group that discusses on the topic 'The Growing Obsession with Online Games among the Youth.' Write the discussion.
- 33. Write the review of a novel you read recently.
- 34. You are the General Secretary of the College Union. Write a report of the Inauguration of the Union.
- 35. Translate the following Malayalam passage into English:

തന്റെ മകൾ തന്നോട് ഇങ്ങനെ പറയുമെന്ന് സീത ഒരിക്കലും കരുതിയിരുന്നില്ല. റാണിയുടെ സഹായം പ്രതീക്ഷിക്കുന്നത് വെറുതെയാണ്. അവൾ എന്നും അണിഞ്ഞൊരുങ്ങി നടക്കാൻ ഇഷ്ടപ്പെട്ടിരുന്നു. ഇപ്പോൾ ജോലിക്കാരിയുമായില്ലേ? സീത തന്റെ മകളെ ശ്രദ്ധിച്ചു നോക്കി. ഒട്ടും തടിച്ചിട്ടില്ല ഒന്നുരണ്ടു മുഖക്കുരു കാണുന്നുണ്ട്. കണ്ണിനു പഴയതിലും നല്ല തിളക്കമുണ്ട്. കൂടുതൽ വെളുത്തതുപോലെ തോന്നുന്നു. നല്ല കട്ടിയുള്ള തിളങ്ങുന്ന മുടി ചീകി ഒതുക്കി വ്യത്തിയായി കെട്ടിവച്ചിരിക്കുന്നു. സ്വർണ്ണനിറത്തിൽ വരകളുള്ള സ്ലിപ്പറും. സ്വർണ്ണം പൂശിയ വാച്ചും. മോതിരവും... ഇങ്ങനെയാണ് അവൾ പണം ചിലവാക്കുന്നത്. തന്റെ മകൾ ഒരു രാജകുമാരിയെപ്പോലെയുണ്ട് കാണാൻ, സീത മനസ്സിൽ വിചാരിച്ചു.

 $(2 \times 15 = 30 \text{ Marks})$