

BSH 102

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End Semester Examination

Class: B.Tech. First Year (Mechanical, Chemical, Petrochemical & Civil Engineering)

Subject: Communication Skills

Time: 03 hours

Max. Marks: 60

Sem: I

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Q.1 Attempt the following questions:

(12)

- Transcribe the following words:  
prescription, bombarding, scratch, concern
- Use appropriate articles.  
..... Rich and ..... poor should show respect towards each others feeling.
- Change the voice.  
The poem was being recited by the poet himself. ✓  
The book has not been published by the publisher.
- Spell the following words:  
/ / / ✓
- Use appropriate prepositions:  
Usually we sit ..... the dining table for dinner.  
The road runs ..... the dessert.

Q.2 a) Assume that you are invited for a talk show to discuss 'Contribution of Youngsters to the Development of Society in Different Areas'. Write the possible dialogue for this situation. (06)

OR

Q.2 a) Write a short essay on the impact of corruption in India and what can be done to eradicate such practices from the country. (06)

b) Rewrite the following sentences using articles wherever necessary. (06)

- ..... lunch we had at Ganesh Hotel was delicious.
- ..... girls are known for sincerity and hard work.
- He will go to ..... school to carry out repairs.
- The minister visited ..... hospital for the inauguration of the radiology department.
- Will you please give ..... bag that you bought yesterday?
- Please hand over ..... keys to the driver.

Q.3 a) Read the following passage and answer the questions given below: (06)

'My aunt will be down presently, Mr. Nuttel,' said a very self-possessed young lady of fifteen; 'in the meantime you must try and put up with me.'

Framton Nuttel endeavoured to say the correct something which should duly flatter the niece of the moment without unduly discounting the aunt that was to come. Privately he doubted more than ever whether these formal visits on a succession of total strangers would do much towards helping the nerve cure which he was supposed to be undergoing.

'I know how it will be,' his sister had said when he was preparing to migrate to this rural retreat 'you will bury yourself down there and not speak to a living soul, and your nerves will be worse than ever from moping. I shall just give you letters of introduction to all the people I know there. Some of them, as far as I can remember, were quite nice.'

Framton wondered whether Mrs. Sappleton, the lady to whom he was presenting one of the letters of introduction, came into the nice division.

(PTO)

'Do you know many of the people round here?' asked the niece, when she judged that they had sufficient silent communion.

'Hardly a soul,' said Framton. 'My sister was staying here, at the rectory, you know, some four years ago, and she gave me letters of introduction to some of the people here.'

**Questions:**

- i) What is the meaning of the word 'self-possessed' in the passage?
- ii) What do you mean by the phrase 'put up' here in the passage?
- iii) What is mean by 'rural retreat' in this passage?
- iv) Why did Framton Nuttel's sister give him the letters of introduction?
- v) Who was Mrs. Sappleton? How did Mr. Nuttel happen to know her?

**b) Change the voice:**

(06)

- i) He made a very remarkable discovery.
- ii) His friend betrayed him.
- iii) We do not permit smoking.
- iv) Your behavior disgusts me.
- v) A stone struck me on the forehead.
- vi) The sudden noise frightened the dog.

**Q.4 Rewrite the following sentences using past or present perfect tense of the verb in bracket:**

(06)

- i) He ..... (go) just to the railway station to see off his brother.
- ii) I cannot play the match as I ..... (injure) my foot.
- iii) We ..... (know) each other since our school days.
- iv) He..... (start) writing a novel last year, but he ..... (not finish) it yet.
- v) We..... anything from him since the last Monday.

**b) Spell the following words.**

(06)

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| i) /  | / | ii) / | / | iii) / | / |
| iv) / | / | v) /  | / | vi) /  | / |

Q.5 Write a job application letter to the Personnel Manager of Zydus Pharmaceuticals, Pune for the post of Research Assistant in R & D section giving the details of your qualifications. (12)

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