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COMMUNICATION SKILL

Paper : CE-103

Time Allowed : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 60

Note : Attempt all questions. All questions carry equal marks.

Q.1. Do as directed : 2 each

a) Fill in the blank with suitable preposition:

_____ the beginning _____ his career, he had very little success.

b) Correct the following sentences-

My father buying me sweets whenever he came from Mumbai.

c) Punctuate the following sentences :

Macbeth is the main character in the play macbeth written by shakespeare.

d) Change the following sentence into Direct speech :

He says that he is doing his homework.

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- e) Supply some or any where necessary :

We are taking a short ride. There's _____ time for a long time.

- Q.2. a) Write the phonetic transcription for any three of the following : 3

Bread, king, pen, wait, have, tea.

- b) Write the summary of any one of the following : 7

- i) Womens lights movement
- ii) Crisis of management
- iii) Ergonomics.

- Q.3. a) Define any two of the following : 3

- i) Atom
- ii) Velocity
- iii) Electrons

- b) As a purchase officer of Duro Garments. Enterprises, Hoshipur Road, Rohatak - 124003 place an order for the following items with the Modern Furniture Mart, Sadar Bazar, New-Delhi.

- i) Office Chairs - 40
- ii) Steel Almirahs - 10
- iii) Wooden tables - 15
- iv) File racks - 23

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- Q.4. a) Write the synonyms of any three of the following :
Exceptional, Acquaint, Brief, Calamity, Meck Idle. 3
- b) What are the essentials of a good report? 3
- c) As a reporter of a news paper agency write a report on train accident. 4

- Q.5. a) Give one word of any three of the following sentences :

i) Persons living at the same time. *→ contemporary*

ii) A citizen of the world. *→ Cosmo Politeon*

iii) A post for which no salary is paid.

iv) That which cannot be believed.

v) One who knows every thing. 3

- b) Write a paragraph in about 200 words on any one of the following : 7

i) Barriers to communication

ii) Indian culture

iii) Power of Youth.

- Q.6. a) Make sentences of any three of the following set of words to show the difference in meaning? 3

i) Beside - Besides

ii) Sale - Sail

iii) Quite - Quiet

iv) Eminent - Imminent

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- b) Make a precise of the following passage :

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The function of education is to create human beings who are therefore intelligent. We may take degrees and be mechanically efficient without being intelligent. Intelligence is not mere information, it is not derived from books, nor does it consist of clever self-defensive responses and aggressive assertions. One who has not studied may be more intelligent than the learned. We have made examinations and degrees the criterion of intelligence and have developed cunning minds that avoid vital human issues. Intelligence is the capacity to perceive the essentials, the what is; and to awaken this capacity, in oneself and in others is education.

