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(M.A.English)
Examination-2012
MEG-01
English Language Usage and Communication Skills

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 60

Note: The Question paper is divided into three sections A, B, and C.

Section-A
(Long Answer Questions)

Note: Answer any two questions.

2x15=30

1. Define an 'adverbial'. Write five sentences using five different types of adverbials. Identify and name the adverbials used.
2. This is the age of e-communication, living in this age, you too must be making use of e-communication. What according to you are the major challenges of handling e-communications? Discuss in detail.
3. Discuss Proxemics in detail.
4. What are the three main aspects of writing a good summary? Describe the process involved in each of these aspects.

Section-B

(Short Answer Questions)

Note: Answer any 4 questions. Each answer should not exceed 100 words. Each question carries 5 marks.

4x5=20

1. Prepare a layout of a review report.
2. What are the various methods of note-taking?
3. Name five ways of effective slides for presentation.

4. What are the five most important things that one should never do while preparing an effective summary?
5. Give the definition of an imperative sentence. Give an example of (a) an imperative Sentence (b) a declarative sentence.
6. Write a short note on Lexical Cohesion.
7. Give one example of each of the following:
 - a. declarative clause
 - b. imperative clause
 - c. interrogative clause
 - d. non-finite clause
 - e. clause with vocative phrases
8. What do you understand by morphology?

Section-C
(Objective Questions)

Note: Answer all questions. Each question carries 1 mark 10x1=10

1. The exercise of summarizing is also known as:
 - a. report writing
 - b. essay writing
 - c. precise writing
 - d. letter writing
2. Which of the following is not a characteristic of good report writing?
 - a. Objectivity
 - b. Precision
 - c. Fictitious details
 - d. Relevance
3. What is study of words known as?
 - a. Morphology
 - b. Phonetics
 - c. Linguistics
 - d. none of the above

4. The past tense of cut is also cut.
 - a. True
 - b. False

Fill in the blanks with the correct option

5. The boys playing football. (is/are)
6. Almost everyone a cell phone these days. (has/have)
7. Time and tide for none. (wait/waits)
8. Neither you nor I invited. (am/is)

Correct the following sentences

9. The furniture in the house are very expensive.
10. The president have left for the ceremony.