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MCA DEGREE THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2022
20-382-0307 TECHNICAL COMMUNICATION
(Regular)

Time : 3 Hours

Maximum Marks:50

(Answer ANY FIVE questions)
 Each question carries EQUAL Marks.

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| 1. | Imagine the following scenario: You are the instructor for an evening class series for elderly people whose education is lower than tenth standard. What all can be the possible barriers the class attendees may face in communicating with you? Propose ways to overcome each of the mentioned barriers. | 10 | CO1 | L3 | 9.5.1 |
| 2. | Suppose you are given the outline of a "Moral story for children". Explain how Creative thinking and Critical thinking can be used to develop this outline into a full story. | 10 | CO2 | L3 | 10.4.2 |
| 3. | Answer the following according to the questions: I. The best punctuation mark to be used with "wow" is _____. II. I am fond of _____ vegetarian food. (a, an, the, none of the given) III. A healthy mind lives in _____ healthy body. (Use the correct preposition and fill in the blank.) IV. We stayed in _____ expensive hotel at Bengaluru. (a, an, the, for) V. The root word of the word "polymorphism" is _____ | 10X1=10 | CO2 | L4 | 10.4.1 |

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| | <p>VI. Give an example of a word created from the root word using a prefix.</p> <p>VII. Pick the odd word out: dignified, stately, graceful, national</p> <p>VIII. Best Antonym of “Bravery” from among the given choices is _____. (Foolery, Stupidity, Cowardice, Simplicity)</p> <p>IX. Which of the following is not a synonym of “peaceful” : placid, serene, neural, calm.</p> <p>X. Apply correction(s) (if any) and rewrite the following sentence: “Please don’t take him granted; you will land in trouble”.</p> | | | | |
| 4. | The class teacher makes a remark that Renuka is a poor listener in class. Give your reflections on the teacher’s observations on Renuka which led her to make the remark. Give your suggestions to Renuka on how to impress the teacher as an “Effective Listener”. | 10 | CO6 | L5 | 9.5.3 |
| 5. | Discuss the fundamental guidelines for making an effective conversation. You may consider the context of making a formal presentation. | 10 | CO1 | L2 | 9.6.1 |
| 6. | Nadia is shortlisted after an online exam by Company X to attend the next step in the recruitment process. In this step, she has to attend a technical and then an HR interview. She is approaching you for helping her in preparing to face the interview. What all will you be doing to help Nadia prepare for the interview(s)? | 10 | CO8 | L4 | 10.5.1 |
| 7. | <p>“Controllable nervousness is not totally bad”. Justify this statement.</p> <p>What are the methods that can be adopted to reduce/control nervousness?</p> | 4+6=10 | CO7 | L2 | 10.5.2 |
