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Diploma 1st Semester Examination

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Subject – Language Communication - I

Subject Code: AHL-007

Time Allowed: 03 hours.

Maximum Marks: 100

Before answering the question paper the candidate should ensure that they have been supplied the correct question paper. Complaints in this regard, if any, shall not be entertained after the examination.

Note: Question No. 1 is Compulsory and attempt two questions from each section. All questions carry equal marks.

1. Do as directed. [10*2=20]
- Define phonetics.
 - What do you mean by syllable.
 - Write the transcription of 'debut' and debt.
 - Write the Symbols of 10 consonant sounds.
 - What is basic difference between debate and GD.
 - What do you mean by non-verbal communication? Where is it used?
 - Count the syllable in the words 'Computer' & 'Examination'
 - Write the transcription of school, book, poor & wound
 - Define Listening skills.
 - Use the pair 'Eligible and Illegible' in sentences of your own.

SECTION-A

- 2(a) Write the symbol of ten Consonant Sounds with at least two examples. [10]
- (b) What do you mean by vowel sounds in English phonetics? Write the symbol of all the vowel sounds with one example. [10]
- 3(a) Write the Phonetic transcription and count the number of syllable in following words(Any ten): [10]
doctor, sweet, receipt, engineer, college, automobile, farm house, knowledge, classroom, high-court, Monday, information
- (b) One story based on any historical character whom do you like most. [10]

4(a) Read the passage given below and answer the questions based on it-

[10]

The girl was one of those pretty and charming young creatures who sometimes are born, as if by a slip of fate, into a family of clerks. She had no dowry, no expectations, no way of being known, understood, loved, married by any rich and distinguished man; so she let herself be married to a little clerk of the Ministry of Public Instruction. She dressed plainly because she could not dress well, but she was unhappy as if she had really fallen from a higher station; since with women there is neither caste nor rank, for beauty, grace and charm take the place of family and birth. Natural ingenuity, instinct for what is elegant, a supple mind are their sole hierarchy, and often make of women of the people the equals of the very greatest ladies.

- i. How was the girl?
- ii. What was the girl's ambition?
- iii. What was she forced to do?
- iv. Why she was she unhappy?
- v. What makes daughters of the people the equal of great ladies?

(b) Write a free speech on who should be the next PM of India in your opinion and why (200 words)? [10]

SECTION-B

5. (a) Write a story based on any religious scripture of your choice. [10]

(b) Write a script of talk between two friends showing their likes and dislikes on 'Social Networking sites' (200 words). [10]

6 (a) Read the following passage and write its summary assigning it a suitable title: [10]

TAT, or Thematic Appreciation Test, is a kind of personality assessment test, which makes use of the skill of reading non-verbal text. Some pictures are projected before the subject who is to be tested. How he reacts, without having much time to think, his first reactions, form the basis of measuring or evaluating his personality. In the projective method of personality assessment, we use pictorial material as the test stimuli, which is more structured than the ink blots. The pictures contain some

vague, graphic portrayal, or suggest an ambiguity of situation; so that there is scope for options in interpretation. This makes the appraisal possible.

The TAT, as developed by Murry and Morgan, used 19 cards, with vague, black and white pictures on them, and one blank card. The subject was asked to make up a story to fit each picture. The story described what was happening, how the characters felt, what the outcome was and so on. The blank card stimulated the subject to imagine a picture to fill it, and describe it, and tell a story about it. They also used two sets of cards. The second set would be more dramatic, unusual and bizarre in content, propelling a free play of imagination. Most of these pictures would contain a character with whom the subject could identify himself. The content analysis of the stories described the drives and conflicts in a subject.

The response characteristics include such elements as how is each card perceived, how are the themes developed, what are the roles ascribed to the characters, what kind of emotional tones are expressed, the speed of response, the length of stories etc. In this way TAT helps in getting at a personality as a whole; for it is an individual who is carrying out a task. He projects himself into activity, and thus reveals the kind of person he is. In a TAT we use only ten pictures. One picture is shown at a time. The subject is given just three minutes to write whatever the picture evokes in him. And we shall assess the subject on the basis of these responses.

(b) Write a debate on 'Alcohol should be illegal' both in flow and against the stream. [10]

7. (a) Write your self-introduction by giving your personal and professional details. [10]

(b) Write 20 words with different vowel sounds and same structure of consonant sounds. [10]