THREE YEAR B.A./B.Sc./B.Com., SPECIALIZATIONS/ B.Sc. (Home Science)/ B.Music/ B.Dance/ B.B.A./ B.A.(O.L.)/ BHM DEGREE EXAMINATION — MARCH/APRIL 2019

CHOICE BASED CREDIT SYSTEM

SECOND SEMESTER

Part I (C) — Foundation Course — 4

COMMUNICATION SKILLS AND SOFT SKILLS (CSS) — I

(New syllabus w.e.f. 2016-17)

Time : 2 hours   Max. Marks : 50

1. Attempt the following questions.

    (a) Fill in the gaps with appropriate Antonyms for the following underlined words.
         $(4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2)$

         (i)   The new boss is well known for his <u>rigid</u> approach to all problems ————.

         (ii)   <u>Adversity</u> is the source of numerous vices ————.

         (iii) He is an <u>amateur</u> photographer ————.

         (iv)   If you <u>pamper</u> the child, he will regret it ————.

    (b) Write the Synonyms for the following. $(4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2)$

         (i)   Harsh

         (ii)   Wicked

         (iii) Terrified

         (iv)   Vigilant.

    (c) Match the following into appropriate Compound Words. $(4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2)$

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(i)	Air	(1)	Campus
(ii)	College	(2)	Room
(iii)	Railway	(3)	Port
(iv)	Class	(4)	Station

    (d) Write Noun Forms for the following words by adding a Suffix. $(4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2)$

         (i)   Careful

         (ii)   Educate

         (iii) Loyal

         (iv)   Capable

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(e)   Write One Word Substitutes for the following. $(4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2)$

      (i)   A collection of poems.

      (ii)   Government by the officials.

      (iii)   A person in charge of a museum.

      (iv)   One who deals with flowers?

(f)   Write sentences of your own using any THREE of the following Phrasal Verbs and Idioms. $(3 \times 1 = 3)$

      (i)   Break up

      (ii)   Call off

      (iii)   Drop out

      (iv)   At the end of your rope

      (v)   Cold feet

      (vi)   Down-to-earth.

(g)   Answer the following choosing the right option given in the brackets. $(4 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2)$

      (i)   Mom is taking a ————— (coarse /course) in gardening.

      (ii)   It is not polite to ————— (Stair/stare) at women.

      (iii)   We are going to chop some ————— (Would/wood).

      (iv)   He always has a good ————— (tale/tail) to tell.

2.   Correct the following sentences. $(5 \times 1 = 5)$

    (a)   One of my friends are coming from Delhi.

    (b)   The Rajadhani Express arrives 6pm.

    (c)   My grandfather was died.

    (d)   The dog was ran over by a car.

    (e)   The news are very pathetic.

3.   Answer the following.

    (a)   Answer the following choosing the right option given in the brackets. $(5 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2})$

      (i)   Where ————— (be/do/have) your parents born?

      (ii)   What ————— (be/do/have) you do last weekend?

      (iii)   What time ————— (be/do/have) your father start work?

      (iv)   How long ————— (be/do/have) you had that phone?

      (v)   ————— (be/do/have) you ever been to America?

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(b) Fill in the blanks with appropriate forms of the verbs given in brackets. $(5 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2})$

(i) What kind of music ———— (does) you like?

(ii) He ———— (play) golf at the moment.

(iii) Our book ———— (include) stories and exercises.

(iv) They ———— (jog) now.

(v) She ———— (feel) she is not good enough.

(c) Fill in the following blanks with the suitable articles. $(5 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2})$

(i) He is ———— very good cricket player.

(ii) ———— are top speaking is very important.

(iii) Tomorrow will be ———— holiday.

(iv) She is ———— university student.

(v) I want ———— umbrella.

(d) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions. $(5 \times \frac{1}{2} = 2\frac{1}{2})$

(i) She is very fond of ———— sweets.

(ii) He came ———— night.

(iii) Don't look ———— me like that.

(iv) The poor fellow died ————.

(v) It is difficult to leave ———— writing.

4. Answer any TWO of the following questions. $(2 \times 5 = 10)$

(a) What is the listening process?

(b) What is the difference between hearing and listening?

(c) What is projective listening?

(d) Give two examples of passive listening.

(e) List three qualities of good listening.

5. (a) Answer any ONE of the following. $(1 \times 5 = 5)$

(i) Define skimming and scanning.

(ii) What is intensive reading?

(iii) Write a note on types of listening.

(b) Read the following passage and answer the questions that are given below.
(5 × 1 = 5)

"I will now" he continued, "show you a most amusing trick by which I am enabled to take any number of eggs from a hat. Will some gentlemen kindly lend me his hat? Ah, thank you — Presto". He extracted seventeen eggs, and for thirty five seconds the audience began to think that he was wonderful. Then the Quick Man whispered along the front bench, 'He — has – a — hen — up —his — sleeve," and all the people whispered it on. He — has — a — lot — of — hens — up — his — sleeve".

The egg trick ruined.

(i) The amusing trick shown here is —————.

  (1) Gold fish

  (2) Eggs

  (3) Rings.

(ii) He Extracted

  (1) Thirty Eggs

  (2) Some Eggs

  (3) Seventeen Eggs.

(iii) Who did spoil the magic show?

  (1) The quick man

  (2) The audience

  (3) The computer

(iv) 'Whispered' means

  (1) Ruined

  (2) Wondered

  (3) Murmured.

(v) What did the quick man whispered?

  (1) He — has — a — lot— of — Hens — up — his — sleeve".

  (2) He — has — a — lot — of — Eggs — up — his — sleeve".

  (3) He — has — a — lot — of — Caps — up — his — sleeve".

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