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B.A DEGREE (CBCS) REGULAR / IMPROVEMENT / REAPPEARANCE EXAMINATIONS, MAY 2024

Second Semester

Complementary Course - EN2CMT05 - ENGLISH FOR BUSINESS COMMUNICATION -2

(Common for B.A English Language and Literature Model II Administrative Assistant, B.A English Language and Literature - Model II (Vocational: Careers and Communication Skills))

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Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 80

Part A

Answer any ten questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- What is a line graph? 1.
- 2. What are some of the requirements of commercial correspondence?
- What is the old format of letter writing? Provide an example. 3.
- What are the advantages of using the modern form of letter writing as compared to the old 4. form?
- 5. What are some of the presentation formats that can be used in commerical correspondence?
- What are some of the etiquette to be followed while writing letters? 6.
- 7. What are some of the criteria that qualifies a letter as being a good one?
- 8. What are the consequences of sending out a bad letter?
- Expand the following: COD, GDP, NSE, IMF, SEBI. 9.
- 10. What is the information that needs to be provided when replying to a telephone message?

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- 11. What are the kinds of dictionaries available?
- 12. How can relevant information be derived from letters?

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$



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Part B

Answer any six questions.

Each question carries **5** marks.

- 13. Explain the need for courtesy in letter writing.
- 14. How are draft letters to be edited? Explain.
- 15. What is proof reading? Explain with appropriate examples.
- 16. What is digital or online marketing? What are its advantages?
- 17. Explain the difference between the following pairs of words: coarse/ course, hear/ here, loose/ lose, quiet/ quite, stationery/ stationary.
- 18. What are some of the pointers to be noted when receiving a telephone message?
- 19. What purposes are a dictionary used for?
- 20. In what way can a dictionary help confirm a word's spelling?
- 21. How can information be retrieved from files?

(6×5=30)

Part C

Answer any **two** questions. Each question carries **15** marks.

- 22. How does one make corrections in commercial correspondence? Explain with appropriate examples.
- 23. Write a note on words used in ecommerce and its importance in today's world.
- 24. How will you go about dealing with difficult business clients?
- 25. To retrieve information from reports, what methods may be adopted?

(2×15=30)