

First Semester

**Auto / Chemical / ETE / Opto Elex. / Elect. Elex. / Mech. /
RAC / MOM / Ophthalmic / Arch. Asstt. / Com. Sc. /
CHM / IT / M.S. / M.&M.s. / F.T. / App.video. / Elex. &
Instru. / PTDC CME**

Second Semester

**Cement Tech. / Civil / CTM/Elect. / PRPC /Production
Engg. / Plastic Tech. / Printing Tech. / Textile Tech. /
Arch. & I.D.**

COMMUNICATION SKILL

Time : Three Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Attempt all questions.

1. Choose the correct answer: 1 each
- i) To the people on the earth, the moon looks like a :
 - (a) Oval
 - (b) Disc
 - (c) Sphere
 - (d) Circle
 - ii) Which is the non conventional source of energy?
 - (a) Thermal energy
 - (b) Solar energy
 - (c) Hydel energy
 - (d) Nuclear energy
 - iii) 'Summit' means:
 - (a) Inner point
 - (b) Highest point
 - (c) Lowest point
 - (d) Outer point
 - iv) Give one word for 'an act of stopping'.
 - (a) Solution
 - (b) Prevention
 - (c) Convention
 - (d) Mention
 - v) What is the real name of O.Henry?
 - (a) William Shakespeare
 - (b) John Donne
 - (c) William Sydney Porter
 - vi) Biotic component includes:
 - (a) Plants
 - (b) Air
 - (c) Water
 - (d) Soil

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- vii) Who is story written for the story 'The Male factor'?
- (a) R.K. Narayan (b) Milton
(c) Tennyson (d) Anton Chekhov
- viii) The place where things may be stored is called:
- (a) Replenish (b) Reservoir
(c) Repository (d) Fertilizer
- ix) Why are safety practices important?
- (a) As it avoids accidents
(b) As it is difficult to follow them
(c) As it causes accidents
(d) None of the above
- x) Gregoria Lopex Y. Fuentes, a short story writer has written
- (a) The Last Leaf (b) An Astrologer's day
(c) A Letter to God (d) The Malefactor
2. a) Answer the following questions (any six) 2 each
- i) Why do scientists tend to use special words even when words of common use could do?
- ii) What paradox is connected with water?
- iii) Why should 'Visiting' be not permitted in a factory?
- iv) In what area has India done pioneering work?
- v) Why should we look for alternative sources of energy?
- vi) What does the term 'Biosphere' describe?
- vii) To what the reduction of forest cover attributed?
- viii) How does the scientist get his special words?
- b) Write short notes on any one of the following: 6
- i) Electrolysis
ii) Leadership
3. a) Write down seven C's of making communication effective. 10
- OR
- What are the various barriers to communication?
- b) Write a short essay on safety practices, including among others the following words and phrases: 8
- Precautions, industrial accidents, awareness, distract, job site survey, instructions, orientation etc.

4. a) Write a summary of the following stories: (any one) 10
 'The last leaf' or 'A letter to God' or 'The selfish Giant' or 'The Malefactor'.
- b) Write an application for job with resume. 8
5. a) Write a paragraph on any one of the given topic in about 150 words: 10

- i) Ragging in technical institutions
 ii) My first day in polytechnic college
 iii) Games and Sports
 iv) Cultural activities in colleges

- b) Read the following passage carefully and answer the questions given below:

Health is the most valuable of all earthly possessions. If you have a good health, you may acquire wealth to enjoy good health we should refrain from excess in eating. Sound sleep comes of a light stomach. Such a man rises in the morning and is at ease with himself besides, dieting, we must take some sort of physical exercise also. Walking-swimming or playing a game can be taken up as regular exercises. Indeed health is wealth and we must learn how to enjoy a good health. We remember that a healthy mind lives in a healthy body and healthy body can only be kept healthy with healthy habits. A good health is a backbone of actions in life. Ill health creates a lot of physical and mental problems.

Questions:

- i) What is the most valuable of all earthly possessions? 3
 ii) What should be done to enjoy good health? 3
 iii) What is the heading of the paragraph? 2

6. Do as directed: 1 each
- a) Put into plural
- i) A designer designs a car.
 ii) A bird can fly.
 iii) A fuel tank is built to store petrol.

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- b) Add 'mustn't or needn't in the blank spaces. Which ever is correct. 1 each
- i) You ____ finish food if you don't want.
 - ii) He ____ eat such rich food it makes him fat.
 - iii) You ____ study as the examination is over.
- c) Put in the blanks the correct form of verbs from the following verbs: 1 each
like, go, supply
- i) Tomatoes _____ us with vitamin.
 - ii) John _____ to office on foot everyday.
 - iii) Do you ____ playing chess?
- d) Rewrite the following sentences choosing the correct verb in each case from the parenthesis. 1 each
- i) One of the students in my class (own, owns) a motorcycle.
 - ii) Either the sand or the cement (is, are) bad.
 - iii) Some of the work (remain, remains) unfinished.
- e) Put each of the following sentences into the two passive forms. 1 each
- i) People will show the visitor the new buildings.
 - ii) The fire brigade put out the fire.
 - iii) Geologists say that the core of the earth is cooling down.
- f) Fill in the blanks with the preposition. 1 each
- i) India became a free country _____ 15th August 1947.
 - ii) The thief climbed _____ the wall.
 - iii) He is leaving _____ Delhi by Shatabdi Express.

