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**Bachelor of Vocation Second Semester (3 Years Degree Course)  
(Semester Pattern) Examination**

**GENERAL EDUCATION COMPONENT**

**(English & Communication Skills—II)**

**Paper—I**

Time : Three Hours]

[Maximum Marks : 70

**N.B. :— ALL** questions are compulsory and carry equal marks.

**EITHER**

1. (A) Do as directed :

- (i) He is able to read. (Use a modal)
- (ii) You must study well. (Rewrite as advice)
- (iii) They need to be protected. (Use a modal showing strong obligation)
- (iv) You can take it. (Replace modal without changing the meaning of the sentence)
- (v) It is not necessary for you to wait. (Use a modal)
- (vi) Students are required to do their homework regularly. (Use modal showing obligation)
- (vii) He would get up before dawn. (Remove 'would'). 14

**OR**

(B) Do as directed :

- (i) I advise you to consult a doctor immediately. (Use a modal)
- (ii) I can't go for the picnic tomorrow. (Remove modal and rewrite the sentence)
- (iii) I used to learn Music last year. (Use another modal)
- (iv) It is our moral duty to love God. (Use suitable modal)
- (v) I permit you to come late tomorrow. (Use proper modal)
- (vi) They were able to write all the answers. (Rewrite using modal)
- (vii) You have to complete your homework in time. (Use modal showing order) 14

**EITHER**

2. (A) Prepare an application for the job of Marketing Manager in Indian Seeds Pvt. Ltd. Co. Pune. 7
- (B) Prepare a Resume of Amit Sohel focussing on important sections. 7

**OR**

- (C) Read the following advertisement and draft an application. 7

**WANTED**

A Senior Clerk, Commerce graduate

Typing 40 wpm, MS-CIT

Minimum—5 years experience

Knowledge of English, Hindi, Marathi must

Contact : Manager, A.P. Radios, Nagpur.

- (D) Prepare a Resume of Sarita Singh who is MBA from Pune University. 7

**EITHER**

3. (A) On the basis of your reading the following passage, make notes on it. Supply a suitable title.

There are two problems that cause worry to our educationists—The problem of religious and moral destruction in the land of many faiths and the problems arising out of the large variety of languages.

Taking up the education of the children we see that they should be trained to love one another, to be kind and helpful to all, to be tender to the lower animals and to think and observe right. The task of teaching them how to read and write and to count and to calculate is important but it should not make us lose sight of the primary aim of moulding personality in the right way.

For this, it is necessary to call into aid culture, tradition and religion. But in our country we have, in the same school, to look after boys and girls born in different faiths and belonging to families that live diverse way of life, easy path of evading the difficulty by attending solely to physical culture and intellectual education. We have to evolve a suitable technique and method for serving the spiritual needs of school children professing different faiths. We should thereby promote an atmosphere of mutual respect, a fuller understanding and helpful cooperation among the different communities in our society. Again we must remain one people and we have, therefore, to give basic training to our schools to speak and understand more languages than one and to appreciate and respect the different religions prevailing in India. 7

(B) Write a summary of the above passage in about 75 words.

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**OR**

(C) Summarize the following passage. Suggest a suitable title.

The Great Pyramid at Giza is one of the world's most amazing landmarks. Rising high above the Sahara Desert in the Giza region of northern Egypt, the great pyramid stands some 450 feet into the burning desert sky and occupies an area of 13 acres. The rough climate of the Sahara has actually caused the pyramid to shrink 30 feet from its original height. The pyramid was such an amazing feat of engineering in the world that it remained the tallest structure in the world for over 3800 years ! The entire pyramid was originally faced with polished limestone to make it shine brilliantly in the sun.

Most Egyptologists, scientists who study ancient Egypt, agree that the great pyramid was built around 2560 BC, a little more than 4,500 years ago. It took tens of thousands of workers twenty years to build. The pyramid contains over two million stone blocks. Although most of the blocks weigh two or three tons, some weigh up to 80 tons !

The Great Pyramid of Giza was ordered built by the Pharaoh Khufu as a magnificent tomb.

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(D) (i) Write a note on manners and etiquettes while greeting others.

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(ii) Write a short note on resume writing skill.

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**EITHER**

4. (A) Choose facts and opinions from the following sentences and write them in two columns :

(1) Last year there was a horrible outbreak of flu.

(2) Babies generally start to talk between 18 and 24 months of age.

(3) Italian is an easier language to learn than Chinese.

(4) The capital of India is Delhi.

(5) Smoking is injurious to health.

(6) Cell phones should be banned in colleges.

(7) Children should not be allowed to see T.V. more than 4 hours.

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- (B) You are a stranger in Nagpur. Ask for information from a native person to visit important places in Nagpur in dialogue form. 7

**OR**

- (C) Distinguish facts from beliefs and write them in two separate columns :

- (1) God helps all who are in pain.
- (2) Bicycling is enjoyable form of exercise.
- (3) There is ghost in dark corner.
- (4) In Second World War—Germany was in Axis group.
- (5) There is a soul in body.
- (6) Earth moves round the sun.
- (7) Worship brings happiness. 7

- (D) Write your opinions — agreeing and disagreeing on love marriages. 7

5. (A) (i) Write any four functions of language. 2

- (ii) Make adverbs of :

- (a) Angry
- (b) Moral
- (c) Happy
- (d) Exact. 2

- (B) Write a short note on importance of communication skills in modern times. 4

- (C) Write a dialogue between two friends complimenting each other on great success in HSC exam. 4

- (D) Write two sentences using adverbial phrases. 2