

# AR16

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**ENGLISH**

(Common to CE, EEE, ME, ECE, CSE & IT Branches)

Time: 3 Hours

Max Marks: 70M

Answer ONE Question from each Unit  
All Questions Carry Equal Marks  
All parts of the question must be answered at one place

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UNIT-I

1. a) Discuss any three problems faced by Indian students while communicating in English in 100 words. 5M
- b) Write synonyms for the following words. 3M  
i) transmit ii) renounce iii) summit iv) modest v) unique vi) evacuate
- c) Fill in the blanks with the correct articles and quantifiers provided in the box 6M

some,                  a lot of,                  the,                  little,                  any,          an
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- i) There is \_\_\_\_\_ chance of his recovery.  
ii) Ram has \_\_\_\_\_ hope on his selection into military services.  
iii) Do you have \_\_\_\_\_ sugar to add to the milk?  
iv) This is \_\_\_\_\_ ideal situation.  
v) Is there \_\_\_\_\_ way to get the papers back?  
vi) Mahesh made it clear that this is \_\_\_\_\_ only solution to this problem.

(OR)

2. a) Write a dialogue between two neighbours who are arguing about parking space violation. 5M
- b) Write antonyms for the following words. 3M  
i) Redeem ii) inevitable iii) interim iv) blurred v) discover  
vi) distinguish
- c) Write one word substitutes for the following expressions. 4M  
i. That which cannot be avoided  
ii. One who does not believe in god  
iii. The science of constructing and flying aircrafts  
iv. To accumulate goods for future use
- d) Match each word with the one closest to its meaning. 2M  
a) Stunted                                  1) area  
b) Challenge                                2) search  
c) Realm                                      3) halted  
d) Quest                                      4) test

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## UNIT-II

3. a) "Men and women are first human beings. Gender bias is irrational". Do you agree? If yes, provide an argument in 100 words. 5M
- b) Complete the following paragraph using the given verbs. 5M  
*discovered, located, spread, situated*  
The Burra caves are \_\_\_\_\_ at a distance of 90 km from Visakhapatnam. They \_\_\_\_\_ over the Eastern Ghats and occupy an area of two square kilometres. The caves are \_\_\_\_\_ at a height of 1400 feet above the sea level. These caves are \_\_\_\_\_ to be more than a million year old and were by a person called Richard King, only a century ago.
- c) Pick the odd word out in each group and place it in the box. 4M
- 1) dreadful, serene, ugly, appalling
  - 2) great, modest, big, huge
  - 3) refuse, repel, accept, cancel
  - 4) refrain, stop, prohibit, allow

(OR)

4. a) Describe the tourist place that you have visited last summer along with your friends. 5M
- b) Fill in the blanks using the appropriate forms of the given verbs in their past tense. 5M  
It \_\_\_\_ (is) the advent of electricity that \_\_\_\_\_ (make) revolutionary changes in the lighting of work after dark. The arc lamp \_\_\_\_ (is) demonstrated in a laboratory in 1810, but there \_\_\_\_\_ (are) no machines capable of generating the electricity required. Very soon in 1863, primitive machines \_\_\_\_\_ (become) available.
- c) Convert the adjectives in brackets into the corresponding adverbs in the below passage. 4M  
A female eagle flying \_\_\_\_\_ (lazy) in the sky watched a herd of bisons. The eagle \_\_\_\_\_ (intent) watched the great beasts moving in a single file. She \_\_\_\_\_ (certain) noticed the aggressive bulls. She swooped down to the earth. The miscalculated \_\_\_\_\_ (slight) for it could not strike the target.

## UNIT-III

5. a) You have moved in recently into the neighbourhood. Strike a conversation with your neighbour. 5M
- b) Complete the paragraph using the following words. 4M  
*heaven-sent, decades, drought, imports, revolution, phenomenal, relieved, slogan*

This green industry happened in the 1960s in the fields of Punjab and Haryana. It began with a \_\_\_\_\_ "Jai Jawan, Jai Kisan". It took the shape of a \_\_\_\_\_. India was reeling under a \_\_\_\_\_. Its dependence on \_\_\_\_\_ to feed its population was very expensive. In this context, it was thought that the green revolution was \_\_\_\_\_. Food production registered a \_\_\_\_\_ increase during the next two \_\_\_\_\_. The country is \_\_\_\_\_ from the starvation and gained the status of food exporter.

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- c) Use the following words to replace word in each of the sentences. 5M

*Expedition, virtues, alumni, encouraged, ceremony*

- 1) My first trip to Everest was memorable.
- 2) Honesty and hard work are the two qualities that make a person successful.
- 3) Today two old students have visited our college to present a talk on Ethical hacking.
- 4) Kalpana Chawla always urged the Indian students to improve their communication skills.
- 5) Marriage is a luxurious and important event in India.

(OR)

6. a) Good communication skills are a must for a successful career. Support the statement with three reasons. 5M

- b) Write the comparative and superlative forms of the following adjectives. 5M

Late:	_____	_____
Cheap :	_____	_____
Stunning:	_____	_____
Bad:	_____	_____
Dry:	_____	_____

- c) Read the following jumbled sentences and arrange into a meaningful paragraph. 4M

- i) It might have been stolen for sale to a rival company.
- ii) He found that two doses of an experimental drug were missing.
- iii) He had organised a spot check of supplies
- iv) In that case, it is evident that someone is infected by one of the lethal virus
- v) More frightening possibility was a thief might have stolen the drug for personal use.
- vi) The drug was top secret, its formula priceless.

## UNIT-IV

7. a) Write an essay on the importance of “Girl Education” and how it would improve the economy of the country. 5M

- b) Fill in the blanks with appropriate prepositions and conjunctions. 5M

The computer can become a threat \_\_\_\_ man. It can endanger his survival \_\_\_\_privacy. It also offers excellent encouragement \_\_\_\_unethical or criminal activities. It can worsen the unemployment problem as employers prefer the computers \_\_\_\_ the computer controlled robots\_\_\_\_ humans \_\_\_\_ obvious reasons. The information storage facility the computer provides has led to collection \_\_\_\_ personal information about individuals and storage of this information \_\_\_\_ data banks by several employing agencies.

- c) Put the words in the correct order and use them to complete the dialogue 4M

- i) Ram: many of the/ we took/ to see/ historical buildings/ my parents/  
Radha: architecture/ and/ are famous/ beauty/ many/ for their/ important in the city  
Ram: are you /to visit/ Delhi/ when/ planning  
Radha: planning/ your city/ rainy season/ is worth experiencing/ I am / to visit/ as the/ in Delhi/ during the monsoon

(OR)

8. a) Sports should also be considered as a profession, and it should be made compulsory at every level of education in India. Discuss. 5M
- b) Complete these sentences using question tags. 5M
- Your name is Sanjeev, \_\_\_\_\_?
  - Ram has two houses, \_\_\_\_\_?
  - Your father goes to walk every morning, \_\_\_\_\_?
  - Ram did not watch the world cup final match, \_\_\_\_\_?
  - Ritika dances very well, \_\_\_\_\_?
- c) Change the following sentences into exclamatory sentences. 4M
- Kiran is with the video games all afternoon.
  - He rode the horse very well.
  - Sukumar is very delicate.
  - Ramesh is a marvellous painter.

UNIT-V

9. a) There is a vacant plot lying between your house and your immediate neighbour. Your neighbour has a bad habit of dumping their garbage into the vacant plot. It causes a lot of trouble to you. Develop a dialogue on this issue. 5M
- b) Correct the following sentences. 5M
- It is raining since morning.
  - So much water has flown under the bridge.
  - He was died of cancer yesterday.
  - He has gone to picnic yesterday.
  - The road takes you direct to the railway station.
- c) Choose the word that correctly completes each sentence. 4M
- The person \_\_\_\_\_(concerned / attached) should be contacted for immediate action.
  - All the parties have to \_\_\_\_\_(canvass / canvas) for their victory.
  - The team has \_\_\_\_\_ (already / all ready ) reached the ground.
  - Remember to \_\_\_\_\_ (convoy/ convey) my best wishes to Ramesh.
- (OR)

10. a) Discuss the benefits of staying as a vegetarian from the popular point of view. 5M
- b) Correct the following jumbled words. 5M
- Renouges
  - etimert
  - grafnemt
  - plodevede
  - rehatel
- c) Read the following passage and answer all the questions. 4M
- Of the six outer planets, Mars, commonly called the Red Planet, is the closest to Earth. It takes this planet, along with its two moons, Phobos and Deimos, 1.88 years to circle round the Sun, compared to 365 days for the Earth. For many years, Mars had been thought of as the planet with the man-made canals, supposedly discovered by an Italian astronomer, Schiaparelli, in 1877. With the United States spacecraft Viking I's landing on Mars in 1976, the man-made canal theory was proven to be only a myth. Viking I, after landing on the soil of Mars, performed many scientific experiments and took numerous pictures. The pictures showed that the red colour of the planet is due to the reddish, rocky Martian soil.
- Between the Earth and the Mars, which planet takes more time to circle around the Sun?
  - Who proposed the theory of man-made canals on the Mars?
  - Why Mars is called a Red planet?
  - Choose the word from the passage which means "fairy tale".