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**Total Marks: 35**

**Answer the following questions based on the lecture related to “Paraphrasing”:**

Q.1: What do you understand by the term “content words” used by the speaker? (Marks: 05)

Q.2: What are the reasons for a weak paraphrase? State the reasons in the form of points. (Marks: 05)

Q.3: Take a short paragraph from any article related to your field for paraphrasing. Write a weak paraphrase for that paragraph followed by a strong paraphrase. Don't forget to share the original text. (Marks: 5+5)

Q.4: Solve the first three paraphrasing questions from the lecture to the best of your understanding. (Marks: 5+5+5)

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Answer Q1: The term “Content Words” used by speaker means that we can change the words by using synonyms

Answer Q2: Reasons for Weak Paraphrase

1. We only changing words with synonyms of those words
2. We use any translator or Thesaurus
3. We don't the change the Grammatical form of paraphrase like
  - > Changing from active to passive voice
  - > Changing verbs to noun
  - > Changing clauses to phrases

These are the reasons for weak paraphrases.

Answer Q3:

**Original Paragraph:** The Computer is one of the most wonderful inventions of modern science. It is fairly a recent invention. It has now become a part and parcel of day-to-day life. The computer was invented by an English mathematician called Charles Babbage. Computers are two basic types: analog and digital. Analog: computers deal with physical qualities and digital computers deal with numbers. Computers have five major components; input, store, control, processing, and output. They mainly perform the functions of addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, and comparison. Every computer has a language of its own. It is called a programming language. The computer has brought about a revolutionary change in our life. It can solve complex mathematical problems quickly and accurately. This is why many people call “the computer an electronic brain”.

**Weak Paraphrasing:** The Computer is one of the most wonderful innovations of advanced science. It is fairly a recent invention. It has now become an element and parcel of day-to-day existence . The computer was created by an English mathematician known as Charles Babbage. Computers are two fundamental types: analog and digital. Analog: computers deal with physical qualities and digital computers deal with numbers. Computers have five important parts ; input, store, control, processing, and output. They mainly execute the functions of addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, and comparison. Every computer has a language of its own. It is called a programming language. The computer brings about an entire change in our life. It can solve complex mathematical problems rapidly and correctly. This is why many human beings call “the computer an electronic brain”.

**Strong Paraphrasing:** Innovation of computers have changed and become an element of day to day existence. English mathematician Charles Babbage invented computers. Computer is one of the most wonderful inventions. Analog and digital are fundamental types of computer. Input, store, control, processing and output are important parts of computers. Through computers nowadays we can do addition, subtraction, multiplication, division, and comparison. functions. Computer language is called programming languages. Throughout the computer entire human life

has been changed. Complex mathematical problems are solved by the computer rapidly. Computer has been named as electronic brain

**Answer Q4:**

1. A part time job is beneficial for teenagers because it can teach them the importance of being on time

Ans: Through a part time job, teenagers will know the value of being on time.

2. Studies have shown that over 30% of university students have brought or copied an article from an online source

Ans: Over 30% of bachelor students, studies have revealed that they purchase or copied an article from online sources

3. Although the dangers of the drug are clear its popularity continues to rise among teens

Ans: We know that drugs are harmful but its fame is never ending to rise among teens

