

2020/EVEN/SEM/BVOC-201/269

TDC Even Semester Exam., 2020

BVOC (INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY)

(2nd Semester)

Course No. : BVOC-GE-201

(Communicative English—II)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

*The figures in the margin indicate full marks
for the questions*

Answer **all** questions

UNIT—I

1. (a) Write a detailed note on the parts of speech in English, defining their roles and functions. Provide suitable examples for each part of speech. 10

Or

- (b) Discuss the relationship between time and tense, with special emphasis on how the future time is indicated/expressed in English.

UNIT—II (2)

2. Write a short note on any *one* of the following with suitable examples :

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(a) Conjunctions

(b) Sentence connectors

(c) Questions

UNIT—II

3. (a) Write a note on the words which are easily confused with ten suitable examples.

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Or

(b) Discuss with suitable examples the process of the formation of adjectives in English.

4. Write a short note on any *one* of the following with suitable examples :

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(a) Synonyms

(b) Verbs

(c) Vocabulary at School

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UNIT—III

5. (a) Write a summary of the following passage with a suitable title :

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Johannes Gutenberg (1398–1468) was a German goldsmith and publisher who immensely contributed to the European Renaissance by introducing printing to Europe. His introduction of mechanical movable type printing to Europe started the Printing Revolution and is widely regarded as the most important event of the modern period. It played a key role in the scientific revolution and laid the basis for the modern knowledge-based economy and the spread of learning to the masses. Gutenberg's chief contributions to printing are : the invention of a process for mass-producing movable type, the use of oil-based ink for printing books, adjustable molds, and the use of a wooden printing press. His truly brilliant invention was the combination of these elements into a practical system that allowed the mass production of printed books and was economically viable for printers and readers alike. In Renaissance Europe, the arrival of mechanical movable type

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printing introduced the era of mass communication which permanently altered the structure of society. The relatively unrestricted circulation of information transcended borders, and captured the masses in the Reformation. The sharp increase in literacy broke the monopoly of the literate elite on education and learning and bolstered the emerging middle class.

Or

- (b) Discuss how to write an impressive and effective curriculum vitae.

Or

- (c) Write a detailed note on the language of advertisements.

6. Write a note on the way of presentation at any of the following real-life situations : 8

- (a) At the restaurant
(b) At the University library
(c) At the local bus stop

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UNIT—IV

(Internal Assessment as per Syllabus)

7. (a) Write a note on the significance of role-play in achieving fluency in English. 10

Or

- (b) Write in detail about pair and ground activities.

8. Answer any one of the following : 7

- (a) Write a short note on the importance of simulated classroom activities.
(b) Write an imaginary role-play between a buyer and a seller or a doctor and a Covid-19 patient.

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