

I Semester M.Com. Examination, January 2017 (CBCS) COMMERCE

Paper - 1.7 : SC : Communication Skills

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 70

SECTION - A

Answer any seven questions. Each question carries two marks.

 $(2 \times 7 = 14)$

- a) What is Appreciative Listening?
- b) Define Stereotyping.
- c) Mention 5W's and 1 H of Report Writing.
- d) What is Emotional Intelligence in Oral Communication?
- e) Why feedback is essential for communication?
- f) What is Cognition?
- g) Mention the different dimensions of Network Communication in Organization.
- h) What do you mean by Communication Gap?
- i) What is meant by Minutes?
- j) Define Non-verbal Communication with examples.

SECTION-B

Answer any four questions. Each question carries five marks.

 $(5 \times 4 = 20)$

- 2. 'Communication is primarily a social activity' Justify.
- 3. Explain the basic principles used in letter writing. Discuss the language and styles used in Business Correspondence.
- 'Organizing content and preparing an outline plays a vital role in presentation'.
 Explain.



- Explain the psychological and cross-cultural barriers involved in oral communication.
- 6. What is team? Briefly explain the role of efficient team and the challenges involved in teamwork.
- 7. "Man's inability to communicate is a result of his failure to listen effectively" keeping this statement in mind, discuss in detail, the traits of a good listener.

SECTION-C

Answer any three questions. Each question carries twelve marks.

 $(12 \times 3 = 36)$

- 8. "Communication is essential to business as blood is to human body". Do you agree with the statement? Also briefly explain the process of communication.
- 9. What is Negotiation? Explain the various types of negotiation. Also enumerate the conditions and strategies of negotiating.
- "Listening is a process of receiving, interpreting and reacting to a message received from the speaker". Justify the statement.
- 11. Write short notes on:
 - a) Video-conference
 - b) Public speaking
 - c) Body language.
- 12. 'A Report is a neatly structured piece of work' in justification of this statement, explain the objectives and features of Good Report. Also explain the various steps involved in drafting a report.