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First Semester B.Arch/B.Planning Degree Examination, Dec. 2023/Jan. 2024 Communicative English

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a) Lack of vocabulary

c) Shyness and fear of making mistakes

[Max. Marks: 100

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

- 1. Answer all the Hundred questions, each question carries ONE mark.
- 2. Use only Black ball point pen for writing / darkening the circles.
- 3. For each question, after selecting your answer, darken the appropriate circle corresponding to the same question number on the OMR sheet.
- 4. Darkening two circles for the same question makes the answer invalid.
- 5. Damaging/overwriting, using whiteners on the OMR sheets are strictly prohibited.

	Fin in the blanks by	choosing correct ar	iswers iroin	the options	given:	
1.	The four main langua a) listening			king and writh		orehending
2.	When writing a formately recipient appropriately	_	nt to include	aat th	e beginning, ad	dressing the
	a) closing	b) address	c) sa	alutation	d) greet	ing
3.	A sentence that expre a) exclamatory senten c) declarative	ce	b) im d) int	perative sent terrogative		ed an
4.	are words that a) Synonyms	have the opposite mob) Homophones			d) Hom	onyms
5.	Prepositions are workwords in a sentence. Ea) under	Ex. "The book is			noun or pronou	
	Tisk the sewest one					
	The leading agreement and a	TIAMO TOM THA TO LOSS				

b) Incorrect grammar usage

d) Inadequate listening skills

What is the primary barrier to effective Communicative English?

7.	Why is a limited vocabulary a barrier to effa) It hinders the ability to understand grammb) It restricts the speaker's ability to express c) It affects the speakers pronunciation and d) A limited vocabulary has no impact on E	nar rules s ideas clearly accent	n?
8.	In English communication, what does "activa" a) Focusing on the speakers body language b) Interrupting the speaker to ask questions c) Paying attention and engaging with the statement of the statement of the conversation.	for clarification	
9.	What does "paralinguistic features" refer to a) The use of idioms and proverbs b) The study of English literature c) Vocal cues such as tone, pitch and pace d) The ability to write effectively in English	of speech	
10.	Which of the following is a barrier to efficient platforms? a) Having access to language translation to b) The availability of spell check and gramme. Difficulty in conveying emotions through d) The convenience of using emoji's for experience of the blanks with the help of the option.	ols mar check features h text messages pression.	on when using digita
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12.	is an essential non verbal coropenness. a) Eye contact b) Empathy	nmunication skill that dem	onstrates interest and
13.	Using "I" statements instead of "you" state a) honesty b) assertiveness	ments can promote decided a c) empathy	uring disagreements. d) inclusivity
14.	The use of facial expressions, gestures an communication.	d body language to convey	emotions is known as
	a) non verbal b) active	c) assertive	d) empathetic
15.	When communicating in a group, its essent their opinions. a) validation b) inclusivity	c) trustworthiness	d) empathy
	Tick the correct option:		
16.	a) Communication between two or more perc) Communication through written message	cople b) Communication wit	

1 /.	a) Active listening c) Negotiation	b) Public speaking d) Conflict resolutio	
18.	How can self awareness benefit intrapersonal a) It improves written communication skills b) It enhances the ability to persuade others c) It helps to understand personal strengths and d) It increases the speed of communication.	communication?	
19.	Which technique involves managing and regua) Nonverbal communication c) Emotional intelligence	lating one's emotions do b) Empathy d) Assertiveness	uring communication?
20.	Which of the following statements is true abo a) It only involves speaking and writing b) It is not essential for professional success c) It can influence self esteem and self confide d) It has no impact on interpersonal relationsh	ence sips.	nication?
	Choose the correct answers and fill in the b	olanks:	
21.	Phonetics is the study of and their a) Words, meanings c) Grammar, syntax	b) Speech, sounds, p d) Sentences, structu	
22.	The three main branches of phonetics are a) Syntactic, morphological, lexical c) Semantic, pragmatic, phonological	b) Articulatory, acoud) Consonants, vow	
23.	phonetics is concerned with the properties	erties of speech sounds	as they travel through the
	a) Articulatory b) Acoustic	c) Auditory	d) Phonemic
24.	phonetics deals with the physical prod a) Articulatory b) Acoustic	duction of speech sound c) Auditory	s by the vocal organs. d) Phonetic alphabet
25.	The smallest unit of sound in a language that a) Phoneme b) Syllable	can distinguish words is c) Morpheme	d) Grapheme
	Choose the correct options from the given:		
26.	Which of the following consonant is produced a) /p/ b) /t/	d with the tongue touchi c)/m/	ing the alveolar ridge? d)/s/
27.	The consonant sound is represented by w	hich letter in the Intern	ational Phonetic Alphabe
	(IPA)? a) "s" b) "sh"	c) "ch"	d) "x"
28.	Which of the following is a diphthong? a) /i:/ b) /e/ Version	c) /o:/	d) /∂I/

29.	a) /i/ b) /E/	c) /u:/	d) /ae/
30.	The vowel sound /ô/ is commonly known as: a) long "a" b) schwa	c) Diphthon	d) silent "e"
	Choose the correct silent and non silent lett	ers:	
31.	Which of the following letters is considered a a) K b) N	silent letter in the word "k c) E	nee"? d) K and N
32.	Identify the word with a silent "p": a) phone b) pneumonia	c) park	d) pack
33.	Which letter is silent in the word "doubt"? a) b b) O	c) U	d) T
34.	In the word "honest", which letters are silent? a) H b) O and N	c) T and S	d) E and S
35.	Which letter is not silent in the word "Wrestle a) W b) R	e"? c) S	d) T
	Fill in the blanks:		
36.	a) Can b) Kan	c) Caan	d) Cann
37.	The rises in the east and sets in the way a) Sun b) Son	c) Sunn	d) San
38.	I need to my math homework before to a) Complete b) Complet	omorrow. c) Compleete	d) Complte
39.	The of the ancient civilization still am a) Ruins b) Ruinz	aze archaeologists. c) Ruiins	d) Ruhins
40.	The hikers reached the of the mountain a) Summit b) Summitt	n after a long trek. c) Sumit	d) Sunmit
	Choose the correct nouns and pronouns:		
41.	Which of the following is a common noun? a) Teacher b) John	c) Apple	d) Deepa
42.	Identify the proper noun in the following ser "The Eiffel tower stands tall in Paris" a) tower b) stands	c) tall	d) Paris
43.	Select the abstract noun in the sentence "Ho a) hope b) key	pe is the key to success" c) success	d) is

44.	Identify the indefin	nite pronoun in the ser	ntence "Everyone enjoyed the	e party"
	a) everyone		c) party	d) the
45.	Choose the correct	possessive pronoun t	to complete the sentence "The	e book is"
	a) her	b) hers	c) she	d) them
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	Fill in the blanks	with proper conjunc	etions:	
46.	She wanted to go	to the movies	it was raining heavily outsid	е ч
40.	a) for	b) and	c) but	d) nor
47.	Mark likes to play	haskethall h	is brother prefers soccer.	
7/.	a) so	b) and	c) yet	d) because
48.	The museum was	crowded with visitors	,, it was raining heav	ily outside
	a) furthermore	b) nevertheless	c) moreover	d) however
49.	I will study bord	I want to pass	the evam	
49.	a) nor	b) because	c) so	d) since
	a) 1101	b) because	2) 30	u) zmici
50.	John loves ice cre	am,, he is lac	ctose intolerant	
20.	a) despite	b) otherwise	c) hence	d) nevertheless
	Fill in the blanks	with proper articles		
51.	Sun rise	s in the east.		
	a) The		b) An	
	c) A		d) None of the above	ve
52.	She wanted to buy	y dress that w	as on display, but it was too e	expensive
	a) The		b) An	
	c) A		d) None of the above	ve
53.	They live in	house with a beaut	iful garden.	
	a) The		b) An	
	c) A		d) None of the abo	ve
	A Comment			
54.	Can you pass me	salt, please?		
	a) The		b) An	
	c) A		d) None of the abo	ve
55.	He is univ	versity student, major	ing in computer science.	
	a) The		b) An	
	c) A	Salah .	d) None of the abo	ve
	Choose the corre	ect prepositions and	fill in the blanks:	
56	The detective for	nd the clue hidden	the floorboard	
56.	a) beneath	nd the clue hidden b) onto	c) by	d) across
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57.	The company's succ	ess is attributed	its innovative products and dedicated team.		
	a) in	b) to	c) at	d) by	
58.	The cat climbed	the tall tree to ch		d) against	
	a) through	b) up	c) into	<i>a) </i>	
59.	The abstract painting a) with		erpretation. c) upon	d) alongside	
60.	The chef garnished (a) by	the dish a spring b) with	ng of fresh parsley. c) onto	d) after	
	Choose the correct	question tags and f	ill in the blanks:		
61.	The weather is love a) isn't it?		c) doesn't it?	d) is it?	
62.	She plays the piano a) doesn't she?	very well,? b) does she?	c) isn't it?	d) does he?	
63.		inished their homework b) haven't they?		d) isn't it?	
64.	He is coming to the a) isn't he?	party tonight, b) doesn't he?	c) does he?	d) wasn't he?	
65.	Mary and John were a) aren't they?	e at the cinema, b) were they?	? c) wasn't she?	d) didn't they?	
	Tick the correct of	otion for one word s	ubstitute:		
66.	A person who studi a) Archaeologist	es fossils and ancient b) Biologist	t life forms is called a c) Paleontologist	d) Geologist	
67.	One who is indiffer a) Stoic	ent to pleasure or pai b) Hedonist	in is known as c) Ascetic	d) Agnostic	
68.	A person who walk a) Hiker	s on foot, especially b) Pedestrian	on long journeys is called a c) Trekker	d) Traveller	
69.	The study of the ori a) Linguistics	gin and history of wo b) Etymology	ords is known as c) Philology	d) Lexicography	
70.	One who is skilled a) Geographer	in making maps or cl b) Topographer	harts is called a c) Cartographer	d) Navigator	
	Choose the proper	prefixes and suffix	es:		
71.	Which suffix chang a) ful	es the adjective "dar b) by	k" into an adverb? c) ness	d) less	

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72.	What does the prefix "mis" usually indicate? a) not or without c) wrongly or incorrectly	b) again or back d) before or in front of	
73.	Which word has a suffix that means "the state a) happy b) teacher	of being"? c) kindness	d) drive
74.	Which suffix can change a verb into a noun? a) – ful b) – ness	c) – ing	d) – er
75.	Which suffix can be added to a noun to indicat a) – ful b) – by	te a person who is a part of c) – er	f a group? d) – ist
	Give the correct pain word for the following	<u>:</u>	
76.	Entropy and ? a) Chaos b) Disorder	e) Thermodynamics	d) Complexity
77.	Esoteric and? a) Obscure b) Abstruse	c) Arcane	d) Recondite
78.	Serendipity and? a) Fortuity b) Providence	c) Chance	d) Luck
79.	Quixotic and? a) Idealistic b) Impractical	c) Visionary	d) Romantic
80.	Perfunctory and a) Cursory b) Harty	c) Mechanical	d) Superficial
	Choose the correct answer:		
81.	Which of the following best describes extempts a) Memorized and rehearsed speech b) Speaking on a specific topic with little or not c) A group discussion with reversal participant d) a type of debate where participants argue or	o preparation ts	
82.	What is the main difference between extempora) Extempore requires detailed research, while b) Public speaking involves impromptu deliver c) Public speaking is limited to formal events, d) Extempore focuses on written communication.	public speaking does not. ry, write extempore require whereas extempore can be	es prior preparation. e done informally.
83.	Which of the following is a common goal of p a) Engaging in spontaneous conversations with b) Conveying information or persuading the au c) Expressing personal opinions and feelings v d) Using excessive jargon and technical language	h the audience. adience about a specific to vithout any structure.	

84.	What skill does extempore help in developing	the most?	1.711		
	a) Research and analytical skills	b) Writing and editing s	Kills		
	c) Critical thinking and adaptability	d) Memorization and re	citation		
85,	What aspect of public speaking distinguishes it	it from extempore?			
	a) The presence of a live audience	b) The use of visual aid	s and props		
	c) The requirement for a formal dress code	d) The use of humor and	d entertainment.		
	Answer the following by correct answer fro	m the options:			
86.	What is the primary purpose of using positive	language in communication	n?		
	a) To manipulate others into agreeing with yo	h) To sugarcoat negative	e feedback		
	c) To promote understanding and goodwill	d) To hide your true fee			
87.	How can you ensure clarity in written commu	nication?			
	a) use long, complex sentences to convey deta	ailed information			
	b) Avoid bullet points and numbered lists				
	c) Proofread and edit before sending				
	d) Use as much jargon as possible.				
88.	Which communication style focuses on the	a moods and facilines of a			
00.	Which communication style focuses on the needs and feelings of others and emphasizes cooperation?				
	a) Passive b) Aggressive	c) Assertive	d) Manipulative		
89.	In a conflict situation, the "I" statement is rec	commended because it			
071	a) Shifts the blame onto others	ommonada occaso n			
	b) Helps to communicate feelings and concer		king		
	c) Avoids taking responsibility for the proble	m	,		
	d) Creates confusion in the conversation.				
90.	Why it is important to ask for clarification	on if you don't understand	d something during a		
	conversation?	Y.	0		
	a) It shows that you weren't paying attention				
	b) It might make the other person feel uncom				
	c) It helps ensure mutual understanding and p				
	d) Asking for clarification is considered rude	in professional settings.			
91.	The primary goal of addressing MTI is to				
71.	a) Eradicate native languages and promote a	universal language.			
	b) Maintain the purity of regional languages.				
	c) Enhance communication and language pro				
	d) Discourage language diversity.				
92.	Which of the following is "not" a South Indi	an language?			
,	a) Tamil b) Kannada	c) Bengali	d) Malayalam		
0.0	Which the wintin forces in a force of the	ou MTI in South Indian a	peakers when enealing		
93.	Which linguistic feature is often affected be English?	by with in South maian s	peakers when speaking		
	a) Tense usage	b) Consonant sounds			
	c) Verb conjugation	d) Gender agreement			

94.	MTI can lead to miscommunication and misunderstanding, especially in		
	a) Formal writing	b) Business communication	
	c) Informal conversations	d) Silent reading	
95.	To minimize MTI, South Indian speakers can fo	ocus on improving their	
	a) Writing skills only	b) Listening skills only	
	c) Speaking skills and pronunciation	d) Reading skills and vocabulary	
96.		of reducing Mother Tongue Influence (MTI) in	
	spoken language?		
	a) Language Adaptation	b) Language Modification	
	c) Mother Tongue Suppression	d) Neutralization	
97.	Which of the following techniques involved Tongue Influence?	imitating native speakers to reduce Mothers	
	a) Mother Tongue Avoidance	b) Accent Replication	
	c) Phonetics practices	d) Mimicking	
98.	Which techniques focuses on conscious efforts from the target language?	to replace MTI – specific sounds with sounds	
	a) Phonetic Transcription	b) Articulation Exercises	
	c) Sound substitution	d) Phonetic approximation	
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99.	What does the term "code-switching" refer to ir	the context of MTI neutralization?	
	a) Using multiple languages in a conversation	b) Completely eliminating MTI from speech	
	c) Speaking in a robotic and monotonous tone	d) Using slang and informal language.	
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100.	Which of the following is 'NOT' a way to neutr	ralize MTI?	
	a) Studying linguistics	b) Practicing tongue twisters	
	c) Using MTI in every sentence	d) Listening to native speakers.	