



ASCHP-II/ENGGH/AECC-2/24

**B.A./B.Sc./B.Com. Semester-II (Honours & General) Examination, 2024
(CBCS)**

Time: 2 Hours

COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH

Full Marks: 50

Course Code: AECC2

SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EXAMINEE

- The Question-cum-Answer Booklet comprises 25 Questions and each Question carries 2 (Two) mark.
- Each Question contains 4 (Four) Options (A), (B), (C) and (D) of which only one option bears Correct Answer.
- No Mark will be deducted for attempting Wrong Answer or Incorrect attempts.
- Examinee must darken appropriate circle beside Correct Answer in the appropriate BOX only.
- Each Correct Answer will be credited with 2 (Two) marks.
- If an Examinee attempts more than one Option for a Question, the attempt will be considered as Wrong Answer.
- For each Incorrect Attempt and/or multiple attempts there will be no Negative Marking.
- Only Blue/Black Ink Pen is to be used for Answering Question.
- No Electronic Gadget (Calculator, Mobile Phone, Laptop, I-Pad, Camera etc.), Papers (Other than Admit Card) will be allowed inside the Examination Hall.



1. A dialogue is different from monologue because

- (A) The former is a conversation between two and the latter is a speech to one's own self.
- (B) The latter may happen when others may or may not be present whereas at least two people are needed for a dialogue to happen.
- (C) All of the above
- (D) None of the above

2. What address would you make when you enter the office chamber of your superior?

- (A) Please come in.
- (B) Let me enter the chamber.
- (C) May I come in?
- (D) None of the above

3. The word 'communication' or 'communicate' originates from the archaic word—

- (A) Communion
- (B) Comunicasio
- (C) Communis
- (D) Communicated

4. Mark the most appropriately elaborate track of communication:

- (A) Sender → Message → Encoding → Message → Channel → Message → Decoding → Message → Receiver
- (B) Sender → Message → Decoding → Message → Channel → Message → Encoding → Message → Receiver
- (C) Sender → Message → Channel → Message → Decoding → Receiver
- (D) Sender → Receiver

5. What are the roadblocks for proper and meaningful communication?

- (A) Difference in perspective and knowledge levels
- (B) Absence of common language and presence of superlative emotions
- (C) Adoption of stereotypes and laziness
- (D) All of the above

6. How can a deaf and dumb person communicate with others?

- (A) Through physical gestures
- (B) Through monologue
- (C) Through dialogue
- (D) None of the above

7. One of the modes of effective communication is group discussion. But one major disadvantage of group discussion is

- (A) it creates many dialogues
- (B) sometimes it becomes difficult to focus on single agendum and get expected solutions
- (C) many opinions are exchanged
- (D) people may feel tired

8. One of the most effective ways in public speech is

- (A) to have eye contact with the people
- (B) to speak one to one
- (C) to speak without focusing on a particular topic
- (D) to wait for the reply from the audience

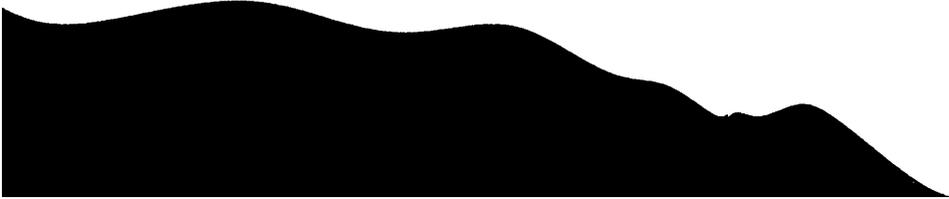
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9. The difference between interpretation and summary is
- (A) the former one is more elaborate while the latter is more precise.
 - (B) interpretation deals with annotative analysis while summary is covering the main points succinctly.
 - (C) All of the above
 - (D) None of the above
10. The difference between 'Thank you' and 'Thanks' is
- (A) the former is formal and the latter is informal.
 - (B) the latter is less polite and the former is more polite.
 - (C) the former one is correct English while the latter one is wrong English.
 - (D) All of the above
11. When there is utmost need to establish communication, the quickest possible way to do it is by
- (A) sending email.
 - (B) sending whatsapp message.
 - (C) calling over telephone.
 - (D) writing a letter.
12. A personal letter to one of your relatives should ideally end with
- (A) Yours lovingly,
 - (B) Yours cordially,
 - (C) Yours sincerely,
 - (D) All of the above
13. An official letter to the Head Master of a school or a Civil Servant should ideally begin with
- (A) Dear friend,
 - (B) Hello Dear,
 - (C) Greetings,
 - (D) Sir,
14. A job application to a private company should include
- (A) an application letter only
 - (B) an application letter, a photo and a recommendation letter
 - (C) an application letter and a recommendation letter
 - (D) an application letter, a photo and a curriculum vitae
15. A jargon is most effective
- (A) during friendly conversation
 - (B) during an interview
 - (C) in war time or in any confidential conversation
 - (D) in business communication
16. Imagine a situation in which you have met a stranger on the way but the stranger seems acquainted to you, how would you address that stranger?
- (A) By steadfastly asking "why can't you tell me your name?"
 - (B) By politely asking "Have we met before?"
 - (C) By refusing to speak
 - (D) By bidding good bye

17. Someone is blocking your way. To request the person to make way for you, you should say
- (A) Sorry
 - (B) Hi
 - (C) Excuse me
 - (D) What nonsense!
18. You are now a high-ranked government official posted in a district when you get to know that one of your school teachers is transferred to a nearby school. You want to meet him. How would you do that?
- (A) You would call him to your office.
 - (B) You would send a representative to meet him on behalf of you.
 - (C) You would seek an appointment and personally go to meet him.
 - (D) You would meet him over virtual medium.
19. 'Cell' means battery in
- (A) biology
 - (B) physics
 - (C) telecommunication
 - (D) geometry
20. Suppose you are reading an unknown passage from a newspaper and you have got an unknown word. How would you understand the meaning of the word?
- (A) You would try to understand the context of the word to grasp the meaning of the word.
 - (B) You would make a wild guess.
 - (C) You would skip the word.
 - (D) You would read the entire passage again and again.
21. One of the effective ways to improve one's speaking skill is
- (A) to practise speaking in that particular language on a regular basis
 - (B) to read newspaper article
 - (C) to practise writing in that particular language
 - (D) None of the above
22. What is intrapersonal communication?
- (A) It is a mode of communication between two or more persons.
 - (B) It is another name of group discussion.
 - (C) It is a mode of communication with oneself.
 - (D) It is a conversation with friend.
23. Which tense do we generally use in writing a newspaper report?
- (A) Past Indefinite
 - (B) Present Indefinite
 - (C) Present Continuous
 - (D) Future Indefinite
24. If anyone says "Thank you" to you, in exchange you are expected to say
- (A) Very nice
 - (B) Very good
 - (C) You are welcome
 - (D) Cheers
25. At 9:30 pm, you have met a person for the first time on the day. How would you greet him?
- (A) Good night
 - (B) Good evening
 - (C) How about the night!
 - (D) Have a good sleep

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO THE EXAMINEE

- The Examinee must not write his/ her Name or the Name of his/ her College any where in the Question-Answer-Booklet but should Write only his/ her Roll & Number and Registration Number (with the year thereof) on the First Page of his/ her Question-Answer-Booklet.
- Pencil or Red Ink should not be used for Answering Questions. However, Pencil may be used for Sketching/ Drawing/ Labeling.
- No loose paper will be provided for scribbling and No Paper is to be brought in for this purpose. Any Examinee found with incriminating Documents in his/ her possession will be **EXPELLED**.
- All work must be done in the Question-Answer-Booklet provided, and the Pages of the Booklet **must not be torn out**. The Booklet provided must be submitted.
- Examinees are forbidden to write Answers (or anything else) on the **Question Paper Or Admit Card**.
- No Examinee will be allowed to leave The Examination Hall until and Hour has elapsed from the time when the Question-Answer-Booklet are given out.
- **As per order of Executive Council all Answer Scripts will be preserved for One Year from the Date of Publication of Results.**

