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(New Course)**

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[Total Marks : **35**

1 Fill in the blanks with appropriate words **6x1=06**

(6 out of 8)

(1) The respiratory system contains _____.

(A) lungs and bronchial tubes

(B) lungs and vocal cords

(C) lungs and nasal cavity

(D) lungs and chest muscles.

(2) A diphthong is _____.

(A) a semi-vowel (B) vowel glide

(C) central vowel (D) combination of two sounds.

(3) The vowel /a:/ is _____ vowel.

(A) rounded (B) back unrounded

(C) back close (D) front close

(4) The phoneme /t/ is _____ sound.

(A) voiced (B) bilabial plosive

(C) alveolar plosive (D) nasal

- (5) The allophone of /p/ is _____.
- (A) [p] and [ph] (B) [p] and [p̥]
 (C) [p] and [b] (D) [p] and [pt]
- (6) An allophone is a _____ sound.
- (A) voiced (B) aspirated
 (C) voiceless (D) un-aspirated
- (7) The three term label of /m/ is _____.
- (A) voiced velar plosive. (B) voiced bilabial nasal
 (C) voiced bilabial plosive (D) voiceless bilabial nasal
- (8) The three term label of /i:/ is _____.
- (A) front rounded close vowel
 (B) back open unrounded vowel
 (C) central vowel
 (D) front close unrounded vowel.

2 Answer in not more than 50 words (any **3** out of 5) **3x3=09**

- (1) How are nasals in English produced? Describe the sounds with examples.
- (2) Describe the semi-vowels in English with example.
- (3) What is the function of vocal cords ?
- (4) Discuss the affricates in English with three term labels.
- (5) What are the uses of Falling intonation ?

3 Attempt any **ONE** in not more than 200 words. **1x10=10**

- (a) Describe the front and back vowels in English with a diagram.
- (b) What is syllable ? Discuss the different types of syllables with examples.

4 Short Note (Any **2** in 100 words) **2x5=10**

- (1) Active and passive articulators
- (2) Plosives in English.
- (3) Word stress: rules.
- (4) Rising intonation: uses.
