



MBH-1601070301010102 Seat No. _____

First Year B. A. (Sem. I) (CBCS) Examination

November / December – 2016

Functional English - I

(Introduction to Phonetics)

Time : 2 Hours]

[Total Marks : 50]

1. A. Explain in detail the Organs of Speech with the help of diagrams.
OR [10]
1. B. Describe the place of articulation.
2. A. Discuss in detail the front vowels and back vowels with the help of a diagram.
OR [10]
- 2.B. Explain the nasal, oral and nasalized sounds with the help of diagrams.
3. Write short note on **any two** of the following: [10]
 - (a) Plosives and affricates.
 - (b) Open and close vowels
 - (c) Pulmonic Airstream Mechanism
 - (d) Phonatory System
4. Transcribe the following: [10]
 1. Baby
 2. Examination
 3. Language
 4. Chair
 5. Queen
 6. English
 7. College
 8. Unit
 9. Cucumber
 10. Finger
5. Answer the following in one word or a sentence: [10]
 1. Define Phonetics.
 2. Write three examples of the voiced sounds.
 3. ----- is a palatal sound.

4. Write the dental sounds in English.
5. Define Retroflex sounds.
6. English has _____ phonemes.
7. Write the central vowels.
8. /l/ is a _____ sound.
9. Define voiced sounds.
10. The vowel diagram does not explain _____.
