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**B. Sc. / M. Sc. (Applied Physics) (Sem. I)
(CBCS) Examination**

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**Paper - I : Foundation Course Communication Skills
(New Course)**

Faculty Code : 003

Subject Code : 0491001

Time : $2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours]

[Total Marks : 70

- Instructions :** (1) All questions are compulsory.
(2) Numbers in the right margin indicate marks.

1 Attempt any **seven** short questions : **14**

- (1) Define the Peter Little's concept of Communication.
- (2) Form the Nouns of: See and Tale.
- (3) Form the Nouns of: Coin and Owner.
- (4) Define Listening.
- (5) Form the Verbs of : Circle and Handle.
- (6) Form the Verbs of : Port and Table.
- (7) What is Critical Listening?
- (8) Form the Adjectives of : Air and Day.
- (9) Form the Adjectives of : Memory and Nation.
- (10) What is Appreciative Listening ?

2 (a) Write answers of any **two** : **10**

- (1) What is Encoding in the process of Communication?
- (2) What is Decoding in the process of Communication?
- (3) How Channel is important in the process of Communication?
- (4) What is Downwards Communication?

- (b) Write answer of any **one** : **4**
- (1) Draw the diagram of process of communication and explain the importance of Sender in the process of communication?
 - (2) Draw the diagram of process of communication and explain the importance of Receiver in the process of communication?
- 3** (a) Write answers of any **two** : **10**
- (1) Write advantages and disadvantages of Oral and Written Communication.
 - (2) Write a note on Gesture and Para Language.
 - (3) Explain Semantic Barrier.
 - (4) How Culture becomes a barrier in the communication.
- (b) Write answer of any **one** : **4**
- (1) Explain Attentive and Comprehensive Listening.
 - (2) What is Concord? Explain Every Concord with examples.
- 4** (a) Write answers of any **one** : **10**
- (1) Read the passage carefully and answer the questions :
- On the bank of a river, there was a tall and sturdy oak tree. Near that oak tree, some reeds had grown on the ground. The reeds were weak and slender, whereas the oak tree looked huge and stout. The tree was very much proud of his size and strength. He often ridiculed the weak reeds. One day the oak tree boasted, "Look, how strong I am! I can resist the powerful wind without bowing down before it. But you reeds are so weak that you can not even sustain the soft breeze and

start trembling with fear. The tree continued with his boastful talk, "I am so strong that I can block the way of the wind, whereas you weak vegetations bow down even before the gentle blow of the wind. After hearing enough from the oak tree, the reeds said humbly," Of course we are weak in front of the strong wind and so we pay our respect to the wind by bowing down in front of it. I think that you should also sometimes bow down in front of the powerful wind." The arrogant tree laughed aloud, "Ha, Ha! I am not a reed who bows down to all and everyone. I'm a stout oak tree who never bends." The wind which had been hearing the tree's arrogant talk since long, couldn't tolerate it anymore. It blew so hard that the tall and sturdy oak tree was uprooted and thrown on the ground. However, the weak and slender reeds survived because they bowed to save themselves from the strong wind blow. It shows that how humility always wins.

Questions :

- (a) Name the tall and sturdy tree on the bank of the river?
 - (b) How did the tree ridicule the weak reeds?
 - (c) What was the reply of the reeds?
 - (d) What happened to the arrogant tree at last?
 - (e) What moral do you get from the passage?
- (2) Write an application letter and prepare Resume for the post of a Physics Lecturer at Sanket University, Pune.

- (b) Write answer of any **one** : **4**
- (1) Explain Discriminative and Focused Listening.
- (2) Explain Collective Noun Concord with examples.
- 5** (a) Write Essay of any **one** : **10**
- (1) Future of English in India
- (2) The Present System of Examination
- (b) Write answer of any **one** : **4**
- (1) State the difference between Active and Passive Listening.
- (2) What is "Pluralia tantums" Concord? Give examples.
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