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Programme – BBA LL.B.-2020/BBA LL.B.-2021/BBA LL.B.-2022/B.A. LL.B.-2022

Course Name – General English

Course Code - HU102

(Semester I)

Full Marks : 60

Time : 2:30 Hours

[The figure in the margin indicates full marks. Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words as far as practicable.]

Group-A

(Multiple Choice Type Question)

1 x 30=30

1. Choose the correct alternative from the following :

- (i) The train already went when I reached the station. Identify the error.
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| a) The train already went | b) when I reached |
| c) the station | d) No error |
- (ii) A short paragraph thanking any person or organization in a Report, which helps in collecting data is called _____.
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| a) Acknowledgement | b) Glossary |
| c) summary | d) introduction |
- (iii) A person who compiles dictionaries is called _____.
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| a) Cartographer | b) Cardiologist |
| c) Lexicographer | d) Ornithologist |
- (iv) A summary of the report in which you include one structure or so for every main section of your report is called _____.
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| a) Glossary | b) introduction |
| c) abstract | d) summary |
- (v) Many significant events happened during Akbar's _____.
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| a) Rain | b) Reign |
| c) Rein | d) Reigns |
- (vi) Us', 'him', 'her' - are all _____ Pronouns.
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| a) Subjective | b) Objective |
| c) Possessive | d) Reflexive |
- (vii) A CV should contain -
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| a) Educational Qualification | b) Professional qualification |
| c) Extra-curricular Activities | d) All of the above |
- (viii) Enclosure of a letter is _____ of an e-mail.

- a) closure
c) salutation
- b) mentor
d) attachment
- (ix) A _____ is a sender's address printed on a company's writing pad.
- a) Enclosure
c) Letterhead
- b) Receiver's address
d) Closure
- (x) A message is considered to be concrete if it is supported by _____.
- a) Specific institutions
c) Specific terms
- b) Specific persons
d) Specific facts and figures
- (xi) The space between the two vocal cords is called _____.
- a) Glottis
c) Pharynx
- b) Larynx
d) Uvula
- (xii) Owing ----- a strange mental aberration he forgot his own name. The word in the blank should be
- a) in
c) to
- b) on
d) of
- (xiii) The alveolar ridge is where your _____ meet your _____.
- a) Hard palate, soft palate
c) Tongue, uvula
- b) Teeth, gums
d) Pharynx, larynx
- (xiv) A reference number should be there in a _____.
- a) agenda
c) notice
- b) memorandum
d) information
- (xv) Which of the following is an example of nasal sound?
- a) Sing
c) Ball
- b) Kiss
d) That
- (xvi) Vowels that are produced when the tongue is pushed forward are called _____ vowels.
- a) Open
c) Front
- b) Close
d) Back
- (xvii) Thomas Edison is an example of grit (perseverance) for trying more than 1,000 times to invent the light bulb. If you are reading this with the lights on in your room, you will realise the importance of his success. When asked why he kept going despite hundreds of failures, he merely stated that they had not been failures, they were hundreds of attempts toward creating the light bulb. (Assess the meaning of the word 'grit' here)
- a) courage
c) never giving up
- b) tenacity
d) all of these
- (xviii) The term _____ refers to the way in which the passage of air is restricted by the various organs of speech.
- a) Air Stream Mechanism
c) Articulation
- b) Stricture
d) Intonation
- (xix) Don't count your chickens before they hatch.' - Interpret the proverb.
- a) Don't make someone angry or hurt someone who is helping you or paying for you
c) Don't judge someone or something by appearance alone
- b) Don't put all of your hopes and resources into one goal or dream
d) Don't expect a positive result before you actually see it
- (xx) He knew more about culture and philosophy ----- any man living.
- a) but
c) when
- b) then
d) than
- (xxi) "He came in and sat down while I was working attentively." What clause is the subordinate clause here?
- a) Adverb
b) Noun

- c) Adjective
(xxii) _____ is a Coordinating Conjunction.
- a) Not only - but also
c) when
(xxiii) _____ is a Compound Conjunction.
- a) because
c) as
(xxiv) "The focus of our job is how to gain profit for the company." What clause is the dependent clause here?
- a) Adjective
c) Noun
(xxv) The word 'bus' comes from clipping the word _____.
- a) buscom
c) omnibus
(xxvi) A narrator that has insight into every character's internal thoughts is _____.
- a) omnipotent
c) omnipresent
(xxvii) A sudden power-cut is an example of _____ barrier to communication
- a) Psychological
c) Physical
(xxviii) Give one word for 'Someone in love with himself'.
- a) Somnambulist
c) Narcissist
(xxix) One who is not sure about God's existence is called _____.
- a) Agnostic
c) Altruist
(xxx) 'Right, write' is an example of _____.
- a) Homonym
c) Homolingual
- d) Verb
b) because
d) but
b) because of
d) so
b) Adverb
d) Verb
b) combus
d) rhombus
b) omnifocused
d) omniscient
b) Physiological
d) Cultural
b) Philogynist
d) Chauvinist
b) Atheist
d) Anthropologist
b) Homophone
d) None of these

Group-B

(Multiple Choice Type Question)

3 x 10=30

2. Choose the correct alternative from the following :

- (i) Bread and butter are Sheldon's favourite breakfast. (Which part of the sentence has an error?)
- a) Bread and butter are
c) Sheldon's favourite
(ii) The purpose of communication will be defeated if _____ is not taken from the receiver.
- a) information
c) educational background
(iii) The teacher told us a joke. (Change the Voice here)
- a) We are tell a joke by the teacher.
c) The teacher was told a joke by us.
(iv) That bouquet of yellow flowers _____ very beautiful.
- a) were
c) will
(v) Analyse Jim's character as per Della.
- b) Bread and butter
d) Sheldon's favourite breakfast
b) emotional understanding
d) feedback
b) We were told a joke by the teacher.
d) A joke told to the teachers by us.
b) was
d) had

- a) Arrogant and vigorous
c) loving but treacherous at times
- b) soft and kind
d) quiet and composed, carrying good family value
- (vi) Public communication incorporates various tools to spread messages to a specific group, such as _____.
- a) Radio/TV
c) Social Media
- b) Newspapers
d) All of these
- (vii) Oh, and the next two hours tripped by on rosy wings'. Estimate the meaning of this particular portion.
- a) the wings of flowers can make everyone fly to heaven
c) these two hours were dreadful, as della felt nervous and extramely fearful
- b) Della felt as if she was flying on flowery wings over the air, out of her joy of getting Jim a nice gift
d) None of these
- (viii) Evaluate the beauty of the characters in 'The Gift of the Magi'.
- a) Their attitude of fighting against poverty
c) Their being nothing to lose for them and yet rejoice
- b) Their being happy and making each other happy at all cost
d) All of these
- (ix) "Had the queen of Sheba lived in the flat across the airshaft, Della would have let her hair hang out the window some day to dry just to depreciate Her Majesty's jewels and gifts." Anticipate, what does this portion mean?
- a) It means, Queen of Sheba would have envied Della's hair and felt that all her jewels were no more of worth
c) It means, Queen of Sheba's jewels had already depreciated in value by being stocked and stored underground
- b) It means, Queen of Sheba who lived across Della's flat was actually poor but pretended to have jewels
d) It means, Della is jealous of Queen Sheba's beauty and wanted to have her jewels all to herself
- (x) "And then an ecstatic scream of joy; and then, alas! a quick feminine change to hysterical tears and wails..." - Evaluate.
- a) Della does so to express her sorrow of being poor
c) Della does so to express her joy and sorrow both, seeing Jim's gift for her
- b) Della does so to say sorry to Jim
d) Della does so to express her grief of loosing her hair
