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Course Name – Communication Skills

Course Code - HSMCM101/HSMCD101/HSMCR101

(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) '...a gray cat walking a gray fence in a gray backyard...': the word 'gray' denotes -
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| a) defeating | b) dullness |
| c) disappointment | d) disagreement |
- (ii) Out of the 20 dollars, _____ was the house rent the Dillinghams had to pay.
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| a) 8 dollars | b) 15 dollars |
| c) 11 dollars | d) 12 dollars |
- (iii) An 'agile' person is someone who can _____.
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| a) move slowly | b) takes short strides |
| c) walks in short steps | d) move energetically |
- (iv) As soon as she saw it she knew that it must be Jim's.' - what was 'it' here?
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| a) a suitcase | b) a moonstone |
| c) a platinum chain | d) a gold watch |
- (v) Identify which of these is not included in Intrapersonal communication
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| a) Analysis | b) Gesture |
| c) Self-thinking | d) thoughts |
- (vi) How much did the chain cost when Della returned home with 87 cents only?
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| a) 21 dollars | b) 20 dollars |
| c) 19 dollars | d) 18 dollars |
- (vii) What is the other name for touch?
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| a) haptic | b) kinesics |
| c) proxemics | d) paralanguage |
- (viii) The sweets were distributed _____ the students when a quarrel began _____ the two.
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| a) among, all | b) among, between |
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- c) between, all
(ix) He was given _____ a medal _____ a certificate.
a) no sooner, than
c) both, and
d) all, from
b) scarcely, when
d) although, yet
- (x) You _____ work hard _____ regret later.
a) though, when
c) no sooner, than
b) not only, but also
d) rather, than
- (xi) Feedback shows if the recipient has received the message and whether _____.
a) the sender had sent the message through the right channels
c) the message has been understood in the same terms as intended by the sender
b) the sender had sent the message through the right process of changing symbols to a message
d) the message had been rightly heard by the receiver
- (xii) He is _____ Registrar of the University.
a) the
c) a
b) an
d) all of these
- (xiii) Feedback is a valuable communication skill that helps improve _____.
a) human burdens of understanding a message
c) human relationships
b) human obligation of sending a response back to a sender
d) human power to reduce bonds
- (xiv) We have been discussing the matter _____ morning.
a) from
c) since
b) for
d) at
- (xv) A purpose of communication can never be -
a) To request or persuade people
c) to create bonds
b) to resolve conflicts
d) None of these
- (xvi) The backdrop that is constant as for creating scopes of all kinds of communication is the _____.
a) society
c) family
b) organization
d) politics
- (xvii) I eat bananas in the kitchen. (Identify the phrase)
a) I eat
c) I eat bananas in the kitchen
b) I eat bananas
d) in the kitchen
- (xviii) 'Rakesh has been studying English since morning.' (Identify the tense of the sentence.)
a) Perfect Tense
c) Present Perfect Continuous Tense
b) Past Continuous Tense
d) Future Perfect Tense
- (xix) Argue on what basis can Jim be called more matured than Della?
a) due to Jim's no emotional outbursts as of Della's
c) due to his quietness ever felt by Della
b) due to his ever loving his wife - with or without hair
d) All of these
- (xx) 'The train already left when I reached the station.' Identify the error.
a) The train already left
c) the station
b) when I reached
d) No error
- (xxi) "Della finished her cry and attended to her cheeks with the powder rag." - evaluate, why did she do so?
a) as she was prepared to go out
c) as she was no longer sad
b) as she did not want to waste any more time sobbing, and neither the Christmas eve
d) as she was hopelessly cruel and wanted to

- rejoice herself alone
- (xxii) Every night before I go to bed, I have milk. (Identify the dependent Clause)
- a) Every night
b) before I go to bed
c) I have milk
d) Every night before I go to bed
- (xxiii) Choose the correct answer when you change the Voice of the following: 'A terrible mistake has been made by a teenager.'
- a) A teenager has done a terrible mistake.
b) A terrible mistake is done by a teenager.
c) A teenager had done a terrible mistake.
d) A teenager has made a terrible mistake.
- (xxiv) Rohit was continuously disturbing the class. (Identify the tense here)
- a) Present Perfect Continuous
b) Present Perfect
c) Past Continuous
d) Past Perfect
- (xxv) The teenager is being asked by the family to apologise for his prank.' - Decide upon the right statement when you change the Voice of the given sentence.
- a) The teenager is asked to apologise for his prank.
b) The family is asking the teenager to apologise for his prank.
c) The teenager is asked not to apologise for his prank.
d) The family asked the teenager to apologise for his prank.
- (xxvi) They expected that they would win the match. Identify the type of the subordinate clause here.
- a) Noun Clause
b) Adjective Clause
c) Adverb Clause
d) None of these
- (xxvii) The owner of the house has gone abroad. (Reframe as a complex sentence)
- a) The man who owns the house has gone abroad.
b) The owner of the house had gone abroad.
c) He is the house owner and he has gone abroad.
d) None of these
- (xxviii) Imagine what the primitive people might not have communicated through when there were no languages?
- a) They used sounds, gestures
b) They used art and dance
c) They used touch
d) All of these
- (xxix) The right information should reach the right person, at right time, _____ in organizational communication.
- a) by the right tool
b) through the right person.
c) with the right motif
d) for the right reason
- (xxx) Through proper communication the efforts of all the staff working in the organisation can be coordinated for the accomplishment of _____.
- a) the organisational goals
b) the personal ambitions
c) the sentimental objectives
d) the team's motivation

Group-B

(Multiple Choice Type Question)

3 x 10=30

2. Choose the correct alternative from the following :

- (i) Would you like a cup of tea? Interpret the pattern of intonation.
- a) Rising Intonation
b) Falling Intonation
c) Intermittent Intonation
d) None of the above
- (ii) I'd like some eggs, some milk, some cheese and some bread. Interpret the pattern of intonation.
- a) Intermittent Intonation
b) Falling Intonation
c) Rising Intonation
d) None of the above

- (iii) Identify the place of initiation of glottalic air stream mechanism
- a) closed glottis
b) open glottis
c) pharynx
d) velum
- (iv) Describe Stricture
- a) smooth flow of air
b) a restriction required for production of consonant sounds
c) a restriction required for production of vowel sounds
d) a type of intonation
- (v) "Mr. Sashmal noticed the snake as his eyes moved towards the window. It was a cobra, about eight feet long. Its supple, smooth body had slipped in through the window, and was now climbing the table placed against the wall." - Assess these lines from the text and say the possible reason behind the appearance of the snake.
- a) The snake was always present in the room.
b) There was no snake and it was just a creation of Sashmal's imagination because of his guilt of murder.
c) Mr. Sashmal had once killed a snake when he was a child.
d) Both (2) and (3)
- (vi) "The next morning, the entire household of the Kundus was in an uproar. Someone had brutally murdered one of their cats - the striped tom cat, it was being said. This had amused Mr. Sashmal. The murder of a cat? If this could be called a murder, why, people were committing murders everyday..." - Assess these line and identify what Mr. Sashmal wants to convey.
- a) Sashmal kills cat everyday
b) People are involved several murders on daily basis
c) People kill animals unknowingly quite regularly and are never bothered by it.
d) None of the above
- (vii) Rearrange the following in correct order - (P) the sick people and prescribes medicines (Q) person who looks after (R) so that the patient recovers fast (S) The doctor is a
- a) SQPR
b) RSPQ
c) PQSR
d) QRPS
- (viii) Rarrange the following in correct order - (P) Victoria Memorial (Q) represents a unique combination of (R) classical European architecture and Mughal motifs (Q) one of India's most beautiful moments
- a) PSQR
b) QRSP
c) RQPS
d) PQRS
- (ix) Propose a correct explanation behind Mr. Sashmal's fear of dogs.
- a) When Sashmal was a child he was bitten by a dog
b) When Sashmal was a child his neighbour's son was bitten by a dog and suffered from hydrophobia
c) Sashmal was haunted by memory of killing a dog once
d) Sashmal was chased by a dog when he was a child
- (x) "Picking up a heavy paperweight from the table, he hurled it out of the window, towards the source of the noise. It stopped instantly." - Propose the correct explanation behind this act of violence by Mr. Sashmal.
- a) He had a fight with his partner Adheer
b) He could not sleep because of the caterwauling
c) Both (a) and (b)
d) None of the above
