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MCA I Semester Supplementary Examinations May/June 2019

ENGLISH LANGUAGE COMMUNICATION SKILLS

(For students admitted in 2009, 2010, 2011, 2012 (LC), 2013, 2014, 2015 & 2016 only)

Time: 3 hours

Max. Marks: 60

Answer any FIVE questions
All questions carry equal marks

- 1 (a) Find synonyms for the following words:
(i) Peril. (ii) Carnage. (iii) Benign.
(b) Find antonyms for the following words:
(i) Glad. (ii) Strenuous. (iii) Seldom.
(c) Form words with the following root words:
(i) Aqua. (ii) Bona. (iii) Omini.
- 2 What are the barriers of communication and how do they impede the communication?
- 3 What are the different types of presentations and which one is more influential and why?
- 4 What are different types of interviews and in which type of interview does the nonverbal communication play a major role?
- 5 Imagine you are a budding entrepreneur who is creating different software's for educational institutions. Write a letter to your customers introducing your product which you are manufacturing and marketing.
- 6 Imagine yourself as a Mayor of Hyderabad and you have completed laying roads in Hyderabad, write a report on the project completed.
- 7 Write a synopsis of the following essay.

There have been immense advances in technology in most aspects of people's lives, especially in the field of education. Nowadays, an increasing number of students rely on computers for research and to produce a perfect paper for school purposes. Others have decided to leave the original way of learning and to get knowledge through online schools. These changes in the learning process have brought a special concern regarding the possible decrease of importance of teachers in the classroom.

Some people believe the role of teachers started to fade because computers have been helping some students to progress in their studies quicker compared to studies in an original classroom. For example, in the same classroom, students have different intellectual capacities, thus some would be tied to a slow advance in their studies because of others' incapability of understanding. In this way, pupils could progress in their acquisition of knowledge at their own pace using computers instead of learning from teachers.

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However, the presence of a teacher is essential for students because the human contact influences them in positive ways. Firstly, students realize that they are not dealing with a machine but with a human being who deserves attention and respect. They also learn the importance of studying in a group and respect for other students, which helps them improve their social skills.

Moreover, teachers are required in the learning process because they acknowledge some students' deficiencies and help them to solve their problems by repeating the same explanation, giving extra exercises or even suggesting a private tutor. Hence, students can have a better chance of avoiding a failure in a subject.

In conclusion, the role for teachers in the learning process is still very important and it will continue to be such in the future because no machine can replace the human interaction and its consequences.

8 Write a report on your college annual day.

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