Scheme of Examinations of B.A – I Communicative English (Elective) I & II Semester Session 2011-12

Semester I

Sr.No.	Name of Paper	Max. Marks.	Theory	Int. Ass	Practical	Time
1.	Phonetics and Remedial Grammar	100	60	20	20	3 Hrs.

Semester II

Sr.No.	Name of Paper	Max. Marks.	Theory	Int. Ass	Practical	Time
1.	Phonetics and Remedial Grammar	100	60	20	20	3 Hrs.

Scheme of Examinations of B.A. II Communicative English (Elective) III& IV Semester Session 2011-12

Semester III

Sr.No.	Name of Paper	Max. Marks.	Theory	Int. Ass	Time
1.	Communicative English (Elective))	100	90	10	3 Hrs.

Semester IV

Sr.No.	Name of Paper	Max. Marks.	Theory	Int. Ass	Practical	Time
1.	Communicative English (Elective))	100	70	10	20	3 Hrs.

B.A.-I COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH (ELECTIVE)

SEMESTER-I SESSION 2011-12

Scheme of Examination

Max. Marks: 100

Theory: 60 Practical: 20

Internal Assessment:20

Time: 3 Hours

Course-I Phonetics and Remedial Grammar

Section-A Phonetics:

Course Content:

Theory:

- 1. Definition and Scope of Linguistics.
- 2. Difference between Phonetics and Phonology.
- 3. The Speech Mechanism.
- 4. Basic Concepts: Phoneme, Allophone, Vowel, Consonant, Consonant Cluster and Syllable.
- 5. Description of the British R.P. Speech Sounds: Vowels and Consonants.

Practical:

Intensive drilling in phonetic skills.

Section-B: Remedial Grammar:

Objectives:

- 1. To introduce corrective measures to students,.
- 2. To eradicate grammatical errors in speech.
- 3. To eradicate grammatical errors in writing.

Course Contents:

- 1. Articles
- 2. Parts of Speech
- 3. Nouns: Singular and Plural
- 4. Verbs: Linking Verbs, Transitive & Intransitive Verbs.
- 5. Agreement of Verbs and Subject.
- 6. Tenses & their Use.

- 7. Tag questions.
- 8. Transformation.
- 9. Confusion of Adjectives and Adverbs.
- 10. Adverbial use of **No**, **Not** and **None**.

Books Recommended:

- 1. An Introduction to the Pronunciation of English: A.C. Gimson.
- 2. *A Textbook of English Phonetics for Indian Student* by T.Balasubramanian (MacMillan India).
- 3. English Phonetics for Indian Students (A workbook) by T. Balasubramanian (Macmillan India).
- 4. A Remedial English Grammar for Foreign Students by F.T. Wood (Mac Millan India).

B.A.-I COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH (ELECTIVE)

SEMESTER-II SESSION 2011-12

Scheme of Examination

Max. Marks:00 Theory:60 Practical:20 Internal Assessment:20 Time:3 Hours

Course-II Phonetics and Remedial Grammar

Section-A Phonetics

Course Content:

Theory:

- 1. Word-Accent
- 2. Accent and Rhythm in Connected Speech
- 3. Intonation: Tune I & II (with reference to short and simple sentences only)
- 4. Phonemic Transcription Simple Words in Common Use in IPA symbols (as used in Oxford Advanced Learner's Dictionary).

Practical:

Intensive drilling in Accent, Intonation and Transcription

Section-B Remedial Grammar

Objectives:

- 1. To introduce corrective measures to students,.
- 2. To eradicate grammatical errors in speech.
- 3. To eradicate grammatical errors in writing.

Course Contents:

- 1. Difficulties with Comparatives and Superlatives.
- 2. Confusion of Participles Active and Passive Voice.
- 3. The Prop. Word **On.**
- 4. Prepositions.
- 5. Redundant Pronouns and Preposition.
- 6. The Use of Correlatives.
- 7. Use of Who, Whom, Much, Many, Still & Yet, So That, So As, Make and Do.
- 8. Errors in the use of individual words, the courtesy words: Please & Thank you, Dates and Time, Greetings and Salutations.

Intensive practice exercises in all the above topics.

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B.A.II Communicative English (Elective) Semester III 2011-12

Scheme of Examination

Max. Marks :100 marks

Theory: 90 marks

Internal Assessment:10 marks

Time: 3 hours

Communicative and Writing Skills:

Course Content:

- 1. Spotting the errors pertaining to nouns, pronouns, adjectives and adverbs, subject verb concord.
- 2. Lexis: Idioms and phrases, words often confused, one -word substitution, foreign words (A selected list), vocabulary development through synonyms, antonyms, formation of words with affixes.
- 3. Developing writing skills: Writing small paragraphs on general and current issues, events and slogan writing.
- 4. Technical Writing:
- (a) Drafting memo and circular
- (b) e-mail writing
- (c) Resume writing, Press Report Writing
- (d) Writing Notices, Agendas, Minutes
- (e) Note taking
- 5. Editing Skills: Use of capital letters, punctuation, parentheses, square brackets, ellipsis, apostrophe and quotation marks

Instructions to the Paper Setter and Students:

- 1. Students will be required to spot errors in any *sixteen* out of the given *twenty* sentences

 16 marks
- 2. This question will have sub -parts on all items with internal choice. The candidate will be required to attempt any *sixteen* out of the given *twenty* items.

16 marks

3. (a) Students will be required to write *one* paragraph out of given *four* on general and current issues/events.

8 marks

(b) Students will be required to give a slogan to a paragraph. There will be internal choice.

8 marks

4. Students will be asked to write on any topic under technical writing. There will be internal choice.

5. Students shall be given a paragraph for editing.

16 marks

Suggested Reading

Communication Skills in English by S D Sharma
Written Communications In English by Sarah Freeman
Corridors to Communication by Ranu Vanikar
Grammar and Composition for Communication by Sagarmal Gupta, Alpana Gupta, (Orient BlackSwan)

Synergy: Communication in English and Study Skills by Board of Editiors (Orient BlackSwan).

B.A.II Communicative English (Elective) Semester IV 2011-2012

Scheme of Examination

Max. Marks :100 marks

Theory:70 marks Practical: 20 marks

Internal Assessment/ 10 marks

Oral Exam./Viva Time: 3 hours

Course Contents

Unit-I: Introducing Communication:

- i) Nature and objectives of communication
- ii) Process of communication
- iii) Principles of effective communication
- iv) Barriers to communication: Wrong choice of medium, physical barriers, semantic barriers, sociophysiological barriers

Unit- II: Non-verbal Communication:

- (i) Body language, appearance, voice, facial expression, posture and gestures
- (ii) Functions of non-verbal communication

Unit-III: Communication through mass media:

Basic understanding of role of information technology and media: Newspapers, radio, television, computers, internet and multimedia.

Unit-IV: English in Situations:

- 1. Greetings
- 2. Receiving and Seeing people off
- 3. Making complaints
- 4. Making an appointment
- 5. Buying at shops
- 6. Placing orders
- 7. Offering apologies
- 8. Consulting a Doctor
- 9. Making enquiries
- 10. Conversation on telephone
- 11. Asking the time: Time expression
- 12. In the post-office

- 13. At the bank
- 14. At the customs
- 15. At the airportP
- 16. At the travel agency
- 17. Booking a room in a hotel
- 18. Buying guidebook
- 19. At the temple
- 20. At the police Station
- 21. At a dinner party
- 22. Hiring a taxi
- 23. At the stock exchange
- 24. At the chemist
- 25. At the Restaurant
- 26. Description of events

(Students shall develop dialogue based paragraphs on the above mentioned situations)

Field Work & Practical Training

- i) Visit to various places offering different situations and practicing conversation in actual situations
- ii) Students should be asked to write dialogues relating to the situations.

Instructions to the Paper-Setter and Students:

There will be *eight* questions in all out of which students shall attempt any *five* selecting at least *one* question from every unit. All questions shall be of *sixteen* marks each

Books Recommended:

English in Situations by R.O.Neill (O.U.P.)

English Conversation Practice by Grant Taylor(Tata Mc Graw Hill Co.)

Developing Communication Skills by Krishna Mohan (Macmillan Indian Ltd.)

A Self Learning Guide to Conversation Practice (with cassettes) by Sasikumar V. and

P.V.Dhamija New Delhi: Tata Mg.Graw Hill Co.

Success with English: The Penguin Course Course Book I by Geoffry Bronghton(Peguin Books) What To Say When Ed. Viola Huggins (BBC London).

Fifty Ways to Improve your Presentation Skills in English by Bob Dignen(Orient Black Swan)

Television and Radio Announcing by Stuart Hyde (Kanishka)

Communication by Larry Barker (Prentice Hall)

Essential of Business Communication by Rajinder Pal and Korahlar

(Sultan Chand & Sons)

Deevloping Reading Skills by Francoise Grellar (Cambridge Uni. Press).