

127, GOVERNMENT POLYTECHNIC COLLEGE

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COMMUNICATION ENGLISH – II

MODEL QUESTION PAPER

Time : 3 Hrs

Maximum marks:75

I. Answer any Ten of the following: 10x3=30

1. Write 3 words related to 'library'
2. Write the following with the relevant opposite word.
 - a) ancient x export
 - b) gentle x defeat
 - c) import x rough
 - d) retail x modern
 - e) often x wholesale
 - f) triumph x seldom
3. Write the synonyms using the words given in brackets.
 - a) Frank --- (fold/tidy/open)
 - b) Marvel --- (wonder/peace/heaven)
 - c) Deny --- (Refuse/depart/subsidy)

4. Convert the following verbs into nouns.

a) engage b)lead c)lose

5. Convert the following nouns into verbs.

a)cloth b)belief c)sale

6. Convert the following verbs into adjectives.

a)civilize b) publish c)Meaning

7. Identify the Degrees of comparison and write as positive degree/comparative degree/superlative degree for the following sentences.

a) London is the biggest city in the world.

b) Very few countries are as rich as England.

c) The pen is mightier than the sword.

8. Write suitable prefixes for the following words.

a) Conscious b) regular c) pure

9. Write suitable suffixes for the following words.

a) sweet b) kind c) treat

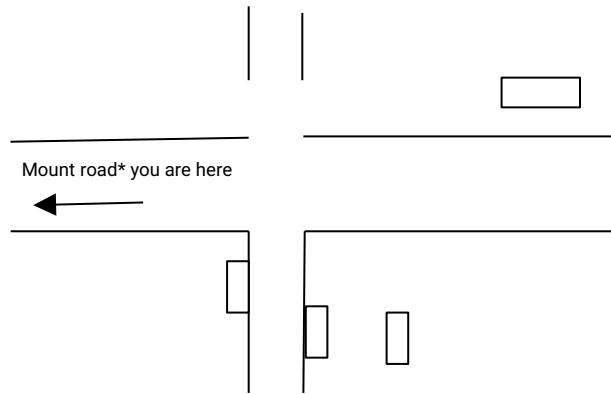
10. Identify and write the passive verb in the following sentences.

a) Rice is sold by that man.

b)This building was being built by the municipality.

c) The pot has been broken since nobody has tried to protect it.

8. A man approaches you to direct him to a nearby government hospital. Write three instructions.



III. Answer the following questions as directed.
3x5=15

1. Read the questions and find the answer in the newspaper report.
 - a) What is the name of the old books seller mentioned in this passage?
 - b) What is his passion?
 - c) What is his qualification?
 - d) How has he been eking out his livelihood?
 - e) Where does he make the sale of old books?

Nagercoil : The passion for reading of a seller of old books has given birth to a Tamil Literary movement in Nagercoil.

C.Suresh(46), an undergraduate in Commerce, has been eking out his livelihood by selling old books

on the pavement of Alexandria press road near veppamudu junction for the past ten years.

2. You wish to apply for the post of "Sales Assistant" in a multi - national company, write a resume with a cover letter.
 3. Place an order for the purchase of Stationary items for your college.
- IV. Answer any three of the following: 3x5=15**

1. Write a short report (in 50 words) of the process of apple juice.
2. Convert the verbal text into a visual representation (graphics/flow chart)

The percentage of educated people in the years of 1966-19967 is given here. The number of literate per 1000 in the year 1962 was 25. The literacy percentage was at its lowest in 1961 as in that year only 20 per 1000 people were literates. The literacy percentage between 1960 and 1967 has shown slight fluctuation but has increase ultimately. The literacy percentage was at its peak in 1967. The literacy in 1960 was 30 per thousand. In 1962, 1963, 1964, 1965, 1966 the literacy per 1000 were

25,30,35,37,40 and 45 respectively.

3. Write an email to your friend informing about your plans for your future after the diploma exam.
4. The following chart shows the temperature and relative humidity in a south Indian town, over a period of three days in the month of March -2017. Convert the table into a paragraph of 50 words.

Date	7 th	5 th	6 th
Maximum temperature	96.1	97.2	97.4
Minimum temperature	77.1	80.1	80.0
Humidity	98%	71%	56%

5. Develop the following hints into a passage of about 50 words.

Dogs attached to persons-cats attached to places – true-dogs follows its master till death-cat remains in house even when master changes home-concerned with

its own comfort-its love only 'cupboard love' – dogs sacrifice life for master-walks - miles to find master who moves out.