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(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)
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CC15UFEN1B01-ORAL COMMUNICATION PRACTICE
(Functional English -Core Course)
(2015 Admission Onwards)

Time: Three Hours

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I. Answer the following bunch of questions:-

(12 x 1= 12)

(a)

1. _____ is the response of a receiver to a sender.
(Message, Feedback, Channel)
2. First recorded language experiment was conducted by _____
(Otto Jespersen, Psammitichus I, Lasswell)
3. In presentations, when a speaker speaks without interruption, it is known as _____ (pair, monologue, extempore)
4. Who defined communicative competence as the ability to interact well with others? _____ (McCroskey, Spitzberg, Friedrich)

(b)

5. A better day for a drive could not have been _____
(chose, choose, chosen)
6. Don't worry; we are prepared _____ anything. (to, for, of)
7. _____ I return, stay where you are. (Unless, Until, If)
8. One or the other of those fellows _____ stolen the watch.
(has, have, are)

(c)

9. _____ represent something without any relationship to the item being represented. (Icon, Index, Symbol)
10. _____ model suggests the existence of physiological noise and psychological noise.
(Linear Model, Transactional Model, Interactive Model)
11. The first step the sender does is (Decoding, Encoding, sending)
12. _____ communication is the process by which people exchange information and feelings through verbal and non-verbal messages. (Extra personal, Intra personal, Interpersonal)

II. Answer any *nine* of the following in two or three sentences each. (9 x 2=18)

13. Human communication is based on situations. Explain.
14. Why is the quality of communication process important?
15. Explain message and medium.
16. What is extra personal communication?
17. What is Public Communication?
18. What is oral communication?
19. Write four expressions for making requests with examples.
20. Feedback.
21. Different theories on the origin of language

III. Attempt *six* of the following in about 100 words each (6 x 5=30)

22. Prepare a speech on students and politics.
23. Write a short note on facial expressions and gestures.
24. Describe in detail your intimate possessions.
25. You are the secretary to the Educational Minister. The principal of an educational institution calls to the Minister's office asking for an appointment. Prepare a telephonic conversation.
26. Effective communication.
27. You are attending a conference in a multinational company. Your friend works there and he is introducing you to the executives in the company. Prepare a conversation using appropriate expressions of introducing.
28. Models of communication.
29. Non-verbal communication.
30. Prepare a welcome speech of about 100 words in order to welcome the chief guest, on the occasion of fine arts day in your college.

IV. Attempt any *two* of the following in about 300 words: - (2 x 10=20)

31. Inaugural address at a college function organized in your college, on World Environment Day.
32. You are on a holiday with your family and decide to stay in a hotel. Prepare a conversation between you and the hotel receptionist.
33. Attempt an essay on the distinct features of listening process.
34. Why is communication important?
