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CC15U FEN2 B02 – COMMUNICATIVE GRAMMAR

(Core Course: Functional English)

(2015 Admission Onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 80 Marks

I. Answer the following bunches of questions: -

(1)

- 1) Un- is a _____.
(Suffix, prefix, infix)
- 2) An expression like *isn't it?* is a _____.
(reply question, question tag, reinforcement tag)
- 3) The river has _____ its banks.
(overflow, overflowed, overflowing, overflow)
- 4) There are _____ degrees of comparison.
(two, three, four)

(2)

- a) *Crowd* is a _____ noun.
(Collective, Material, Common)
- b) Don't worry; we are prepared _____ anything.
(to, for, of, at)
- c) Let's have a look at it, _____?
(Shall not we, shall we, yes we)
- d) One of my brothers _____ abroad.
(is work, are working, is working)

(3)

- a) In *He sings well*, *well* is a/an _____.
(Adjective, adverb, verb)
- b) _____ mood is used to express a command.
(Imperative, Indicative, Subjunctive)
- c) _____ is a single word used to refer to a group.
(conjunction, preposition, participle)
- d) *These* in 'These boys' is a _____.
(demonstrative adjective, demonstrative pronoun, demonstrative adverb)

(12x1= 12 marks)

II. Answer any nine of the following.

- 4) *He closed the door and went out of the room.* (Change into a simple sentence.)
- 5) *They said something unpleasant to him.* (Change into a question)
- 6) *Drug abuse is the worst form of self-indulgence* (Change into comparative degree)
- 7) *He said, "Happy Christmas".* (Change into Reported Speech)
- 8) What is a noun?
- 9) Tag questions
- 10) Relative clauses
- 11) Between the two routes, which is the _____? (Complete with the correct form of the adjective *short*)
- 12) *The little girl hurt herself* (What kind of pronoun is herself?)
- 13) Gerund.
- 14) Allophones.
- 15) Finite clauses

(9x2=18 marks)

III. Answer any six of the following in about 100 words each.

- 16) Kinds of Adjectives.
- 17) Bibliography.
- 18) Prepositions.
- 19) Non-finite forms of verbs.
- 20) Use of the Simple Present tense.
- 21) Uncountable noun.
- 22) Reported speech.
- 23) The use of the Apostrophe
- 24) Use of conjunctions.
- 25) Uses of Definite Article

(6x5=30 marks)

IV. Attempt any two of the following in about 300 words: -

- 26) Modal Auxiliaries.
- 27) Use of articles
- 28) Use of Punctuation marks and Mechanics of writing
- 29) Tenses in English.

(2x10=20 marks)
