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B.A./B.Sc./B.Com.(Genl.)/B.Com.(CAS)/B.B.A. **DEGREE EXAMINATION, MARCH - 2023 GENERAL ENGLISH**

> A Course in Conversational Skills (Semester - III) (New Regulation) (w.e.f. 2020-2021 Admitted Batch)

Time: 3 Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART - A

- Read the following questions and answer them in about I. 75 words. $(5 \times 3 = 15)$
 - Explain briefly the summary of the speech 'Tryst with destiny'.
 - What are the challenges that the Americans are 2. expected to face.
 - What was the second story of Steve Jobs in his 3. speech.

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- What was the pledge that Jawaharlal Nehru wanted every citizen of India to talk.
- 5. What was the first venture of Steve Jobs. Discuss.
- II. Read the following questions and answer them in about 75 words. $(5\times3=15)$
 - Write in your words, Kalam's experiences of failure management by a leader.
 - 2. Explain achievements and frustrations in your own words of Ratan Tata.
 - 3. Explain in your own words, what mandela says he learnt, while he was in Prison.
 - 4. How does Kalam describe his spirituality?
 - 5. Larry king says that Mandela had a remarkable life? How did you explain it.

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- III. Read the following questions and answer them in about 75 words. $(5\times3=15)$
 - 1. Plan role-play between a hotel receptionist and a customer and write it in a dialogue form.
 - 2. Explain a few discourses to develop speaking skills.

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- 3. Write down the phrases you use in agreeing & disagreeing.
- 4. Introduce your mother to your Teacher whom you met in your friend's marriage.

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5. Write a debate (both in favour & against) about 'social media spoiling the students'.

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- IV. 1. Imagine you met your favourite teacher after a long time, construct greetings and write dialogue. (5)
 - 2. Match the following requests (A) with suitable responses (B). (5)

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 ${f B}$

- a) Can I speak to you
- for a moment

- 1) Sure, I will
- b) Will you come to college tomorrow
- 2) Certainly
- c) I request you to mute your phone for a moment
- 3) of course, you can
- d) May I have some water
- 4) No, I can't as
 I will be
 going out
- e) Please shut the door

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5) Sorry for the inconvenience

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a)	Do you have	
b)	Have you any idea about	
(,c)	How much does	
d)	Will you please	v Seed Seed of
c)	May I know	
v ¹)	About where is Satish	
2)	This mobile cost	
₃ , 3)	Shut the door	
(4)	Your name, please	
5)	A Red pen	
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VI. Read the following conversation between sales executive and Mr. Mehta and answer the following $(5 \times 1 = 5)$ questions.

Sales executive: Welcome: Sir, Please have a seat

Mr. Mehta : Thank you, I am interested in buying

a family car.

Sales

tell me your budget. We deal in the country's most trusted brand Maruthi

that suit you.

: Well, my budget is between 8 and

10 lakhs a

: Also, please let us know how many

members there are in your family.

: We are four. My wife, two daughters Mehta

and I and we want a petrol car, not a

Sales

recommend you our best-seller brand

'Vitara Brezza'

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Sales

Mehta

Sales

who are they?

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: Very well sir, But first of all please

Suzuki and we have number of options

Mehta

Sales

diesel one.

(Showing a brochure) Sir, I would

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comfortable space.

tomorrow.

What Mr. Mehta want to purchase?

What is the budget of Mr. Mehta?

: Why do you recommend this.

: Sir, it has the most advanced engine

that gives a good mileage and all the features like, two air bags, digital

control panel, alloy wheels and

: That's fine. Please give me the

brochure and I will discuss with my

family and we will together visit you

: Very well Sir. You are welcome.

Which brand sales executive recommended firstly?

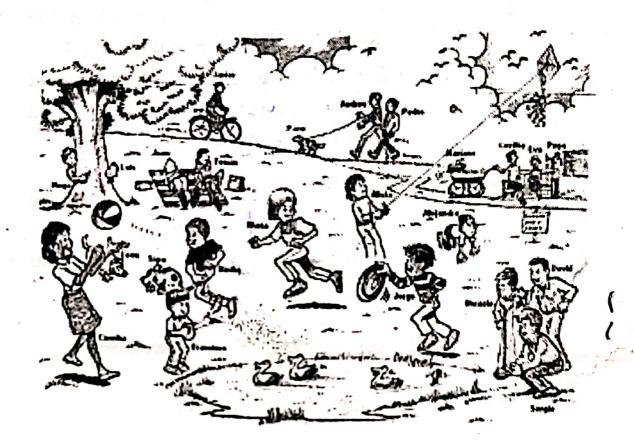
How many members are there in Mehta's family and

What did Mr. Mehta said finally to the sales executive.

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VII. Observe the following picture and write a paragraph in not less than ten sentences. (10)





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