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Single Major SKILL COURSE (w.e.f. AY 2023-24) SEMESTER-I COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Theory Credits: 2 2 hrs/week

Course Objectives & Outcomes:

Upon the completion of the course the students will be able to:

- Understand the nature importance of communication.
- Learn the process involved in communication.
- Develop interview skills.
- Acquire presentation skills.
- Effectively play their roles in group discussions.
- Enhance the skills of public speaking.

Course Content:

UNIT-I

BASICS OF COMMUNICATION

- 1. Nature and importance of communication
- 2. Process of Communication
- 3. Principles of communication
- 4. Barriers to effective communication
- 5. Strategies for effective communication

UNIT-II

PRESENTATION SKILLS

- 1. Preparation of a good presentation
- 2. Verbal communication in presentation
- 3. Non-verbal communication in presentation
- 4. Visual aids/Materials in presentation
- 5. Analyzing audience and managing questions

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UNIT-III

INTERVIEWS AND GROUP DISCUSSIONS

- 1. Interview and its types
- 2. Before, during and after an interview
- 3. Do's and Don'ts in an interview
- 4. Basic Interview questions
- 5. Structure and process of Group Discussions
- 6. Role functions, Do's and Don'ts

Recommended Activities:

- Presenting seminar papers.
- Mock interviews.
- Using Power point presentations in seminars.

References:

- Working in English, Jones, Cambridge
- Business Communication, Raman Prakash, Oxford
- Speaking Personally, Porter-Ladousse, Cambridge
- Speaking Effectively, Jermy Comfort, et.al, Cambridge
- Anjanee Sethi & Bhavana Adhikari, Business Communication, Tata McGraw Hill
- Jermy Comfort, Speaking Effectively, et.al, Cambridge



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MODEL QUESTION PAPER Semester – I SKILL COURSE (w.e.f. AY 2023-24) COMMUNICATION SKILLS

Time: 2 hours Max. Marks: 50

SECTION-A

4X5=20M

Answer any FOUR of the Questions:

- 1. What is the process of communication?
- 2. What is the nature of communication?
- 3. Explain verbal communication in presentation?
- 4. Explain Nonverbal communication and presentation?
- 5. What are the do's and don'ts in an interview?
- 6. Mention basic interview questions?
- 7. What is a role play (do's and don'ts)?
- 8. What are the strategies for effective communication?

SECTION-B

3X10=30M

Answer any THREE Questions:

9. (a) What are principles of communication?

(or)

- (b) Mention the barriers to effective communication?
- 10. (a) Explain the preparation and types of a good presentation.

(or)

- (b) How to analyze audience and manage questions?
- 11. (a)Explain about interviews and various types of interviews.

(or)

(b) Write about groups discussions. What are the do's and don'ts in Role play?