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Discipline Specific Elective

COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH

UK3DSEECE200 - Phonetics and Phonology

Academic Level: 200-299

2024 Admission

Time: 1 Hour 30 Minutes(90 Mins.)

Max. Marks: 42

Part A. 6 Marks.Time:6 Minutes.(Cognitive Level:Remember(RE)/Understand(UN)) Objective Type. 1 Mark Each.Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
1	The study of dialects is called.....	RE	2
2	The smallest unit of sound is called as Options : A)Morpheme B)Syllable C)Phoneme D)Allophone	RE	1
3	What are minimal pairs? Illustrate with suitable examples.	UN	1
4	How is a creole formed?	UN	1
5	List out the classification of vowels according to tongue height.	UN	1
6	Give an instance of mother tongue influence.	UN	2

Part B.8 Marks.Time:24 Minutes.(Cognitive Level:Understand(UN)/Apply(AP))Short Answer. 2 marks each.Answer all questions

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
7	Illustrate the three-term label for /v/ and explain the airflow involved.	UN	3
8	Explain the 'silent', 'linking' and 'intrusive' variations in the pronunciation of 'r' in English.	UN	2
9	What is a syllable? Write the syllabic structure of the words - clay, can, screw, street, sleep.	AP	3
10	Mark the intonation in the following sentences I am a student Can you tell me what happened?	AP	4

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO

Part C. 28 Marks. Time: 60 Minutes (Cognitive Level: Apply (AP)/Analyse (AN)/Evaluate (EV)/Create (CR)) Long Answer. 7 marks each. Answer all 4 Questions choosing among options * within each question

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
11	A) Transcribe the following words Battle, father, cultivation, history, church, change, above Mark the stress in the following words Invitation, apart, university, forgive, teacher, letter, coin OR B) Explain cardinal vowels and their significance in phonetics.	AP	4, 4
12	A) Differentiate the features of General Indian English (GIE) from RP English with examples. OR B) Examine the classification of consonants on the basis of manner of articulation.	AN	4, 1
13	A) Consider the sentence 'He asked for a pen'. How would you pronounce the words in the sentence in ordinary conversation? Justify your answer with the help of strong and weak form rules. OR B) Compare and contrast human languages with animal systems of communication.	EV	3, 1
14	A) Transcribe the following words i) Information ii) Beautiful iii) Thought iv) Chocolate	CR	4, 4

Qn No.	Question	CL	CO
	v) Education vi) Language vii) Environment OR B) Transcribe the following in IPA and mark stress patterns: “A great many people saw the pirate every day, and some laughed at him, and some pitied him; but no one knew him very well, and no one interfered with him. He was a huge, broad man, with a tremendous black and bushy beard. He wore a jeans and a blue shirt, and he had no hat. In town he wore shoes.”		