

THE TAMIL NADU DR. M.G.R. MEDICAL UNIVERSITY

[BSMS 0723]

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FIRST PROFESSIONAL B.S.M.S. DEGREE EXAMINATION
(For the Candidates admitted from the academic year 2021-2022 onwards)
(New Regulations 2021)
PAPER III – COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH – SIDUG - CE

Q.P. Code : 601303

Time: 30 Minutes

Answer ALL questions

Maximum : 20 Marks

Choose one correct answer in the box provided in the Answer Script. No overwriting should be done. Choice should be given in Capital Letters.

III. MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS:

(20X1=20)

1. The study of the effects of the physical distance.
A)kinesis B)proxemics C)vocalics D)olfactics
2. The ability to move from place to place.
A)Posture B)silence C)adornment D)Locomotion
3. The study of smells and how they are perceived?
A)Olfactics B)oculesics C)chronemics D)gesture
4. The Study of eye contact as a form of body language.
A)Adornment B)sound symbols C)silence D)oculesics
5. Which of these is not an element of non –verbal communication?
A)Personal appearance B) posture
C)eye contact D) name of the speaker
6. The word 'communication' is derived from_____.
A)communicare B)comunnicare
C)comunicare D)communication
7. Which of these is the greatest means of conveying information?
A)writing B)words C)signs D)pictures
8. There is a barrier to communication when words are uttered in a _____sense.
A)negative B)positive C)polite D)good
9. A writer must not convey information with _____.
A)Precision B)clarity C)randomness D)truth

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10. Which of these is not a step in the listening process?
 A) To stop talking B) receiving C) misinterpreting D) responding
11. Good speaking skills could build the _____.
 A) Activation B) Leadership C) future D) money
12. Select the most appropriate synonym of the given word "Guide".
 A) Honest B) Hot C) Chicanery D) Charming
13. Identify an abstract noun from the words given below.
 A) iron B) cattle C) themes D) pain
14. Does wood sink in water? which word is a material noun?
 A) sink B) does C) water D) wood
15. My grandmother is eighty-five but she _____ still read and write without glasses.
 A) can B) could C) will D) shall
16. This table is made _____ wood.
 A) of B) by C) for D) in
17. _____ is the study of the patterns of word terms.
 A) Etymology B) Morphology C) Semantics D) Ontology
18. _____ she tried really hard, She lost the race.
 A) Although B) Because C) Since D) As if
19. We will have finished our homework _____ they arrive.
 A) by B) by the time C) until D) till
20. Indirect speech is also known as _____.
 A) reported speech B) direct speech C) active voice D) changing speech

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1. What is the final step in the communication process?
A) Feedback B) Encoding C) Decoding D) Noise
2. ----- conversation make sense and flows logically.
A) Confusion B) Concise C) Coherent D) Concrete
3. ----- Communication skills can have a number of benefits in the work place.
A) Strong B) Weak C) Powerful D) Gentle
4. Which facial expression is commonly associated with happiness in kinesics?
A) Furrowed brows B) Smiling C) Frowning D) Blank stare
5. In which zone proxemics does eye contact play a crucial role for effective communication?
A) Intimate zone B) Personal zone C) Social zone D) public zone
6. Which of the following is the form of oculistics?
A) Giggling B) Blinking C) Clapping D) Sneezing
7. Cultural differences in attitudes toward time are often reflected in:
A) Facial expressions B) Chronemics C) Eye contact D) Gestures
8. What is the primary sense involved in the olfaction?
A) Sight B) Hearing C) Smell D) Taste
9. In a formal meeting what is a key aspect of effective listening?
A) Interrupting speakers B) Taking notes
C) Checking your phone D) Day dreaming

P.T.O.

10. Which of the following is NOT a component of speaking skills?
A) pronunciation B) Fluency C) Handwriting D) Modulation
11. ----- reading involves analyzing the structure, making connections etc..
A) Elementary reading B) Syntopical reading
C) Analytical reading D) Inspectional reading
12. The Greek Root word 'Pseudo' means. -----.
A) Hate B) Water C) False D) Time
13. What is the synonyms for 'Enhance'?
A) Decrease B) Expand C) Erase D) Diminish
14. What part of speech is used to replace a noun in a sentence?
A) Pronoun B) Verb C) Adverb D) Conjunction
15. Choose the correct form of the adjective, "This is the ----- book. I've ever read".
A) Good B) Better C) Best D) Well
16. How long should be a typical cover letter be?
A) One page B) Ten pages C) Half a page D) No specific length
17. What is the key element of effective presentation skills?
A) Speaking in a mono tone voice B) Reading directly from slides
C) Engaging the audience D) Avoiding eye contact
18. Which section of a notice typically includes details such as the date, time and venue?
A) Heading B) Salutation C) Body D) Conclusion
19. What is a common lifestyle factor that can contribute to stress?
A) Regular exercise B) Healthy diet
C) Lack of Sleep D) Social support
20. What is a key quality of a good leader?
A) Micro-management B) Authoritarianism
C) Empathy D) Indecisiveness

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I. MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS:

(20X1=20)

1. What is communication?
A) Exchange of information
B) One-way process
C) Speaking loudly
D) None of the above
2. Which is a barrier to effective communication?
A) Active listening
B) Clarity in expression
C) Cultural understanding
D) Prejudice and bias
3. A communication network that follows a hierarchical structure is known as:
A) Wheel network
B) Centralized network
C) All-channel network
D) Circle network
4. How can cultural differences impact the interpretation of kinesic cues?
A) They have no influence on kinesics
B) Different cultures may interpret gestures differently
C) Kinesics is universally understood
D) Cultural factors only affect written communication
5. Avoiding eye contact can be interpreted as:
A) Honesty
B) Openness
C) Shyness or discomfort
D) Trustworthiness
6. Which term describes the study of personal space and distance in communication?
A) Kinesics
B) Proxemics
C) Haptics
D) Chronemics

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7. How can an understanding of chronemics contribute to effective cross-cultural communication?
- A) By ignoring cultural differences
 - B) By reinforcing stereotypes
 - C) By adapting communication styles to cultural preferences
 - D) By avoiding communication altogether
8. What is the primary organ responsible for the sense of smell?
- A) Tongue
 - B) Nose
 - C) Eye
 - D) Ear
9. Which of the following is an example of a closed-ended question in a listening context?
- A) "Tell me more about that"
 - B) "Did you finish the project on time?"
 - C) "How did that make you feel?"
 - D) "What are your thoughts on the matter?"
10. The ability to adapt your communication style to the needs of your audience is known as:
- A) Monologue
 - B) Dialogue
 - C) Adaptability
 - D) Audience awareness
11. Skimming is a reading technique that involves:
- A) Reading word by word
 - B) Reading quickly to get the main idea
 - C) Reading in-depth for comprehension
 - D) Reading silently
12. What is the synonym for "ubiquitous"?
- A) Abundant
 - B) Scarce
 - C) Precarious
 - D) Mysterious
13. She has _____ apple and _____ orange in her bag.
- A) An, the
 - B) An, an
 - C) The, a
 - D) An, a
14. What is the term for "the act of giving up one's own interests or wishes for the sake of others"?
- A) Altruism
 - B) Benevolence
 - C) Philanthropy
 - D) Generosity
15. Identify the tense: She has been studying for an hours
- A) Past perfect
 - B) past perfect continuous
 - C) Future perfect continuous
 - D) Present perfect continuous
16. Choose the sentence with the correct subject-verb agreement:
- A) The news are always changing
 - B) The news is always changing
 - C) The news am always changing
 - D) The news were always changing
17. How do you handle tight deadlines and high-pressure situations?
- A) I get stressed easily
 - B) I avoid high-pressure situations
 - C) I prioritize tasks and stay focused
 - D) I ask for extensions

18. What is the primary purpose of an agenda in a meeting?
- A) Record meeting discussions
 - B) Share personal opinions
 - C) Provide a structure and order for the meeting
 - D) Set the meeting venue
19. What is a key benefit of deep breathing in managing communication stress?
- A) Increased tension
 - B) Improved concentration
 - C) Rapid speech
 - D) Heightened emotions
20. What does a leader promote by fostering a collaborative team environment?
- A) Teamwork and synergy
 - B) Division and rivalry
 - C) Competition among team members
 - D) Individual achievements only

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**OCTOBER 2025
(SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS)**

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I. MULTIPLE CHOICE QUESTIONS:

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1. The receiver's interpretation of the message is known as:
A) Encoding
B) Decoding
C) Feedback
D) Noise
2. What role does empathy play in effective communication?
A) It hinders understanding
B) It fosters understanding and connection
C) It leads to conflicts
D) It is irrelevant to communication
3. A communication network where each member communicates only with the ones adjacent to them is known as:
A) All-channel network
B) Wheel network
C) Ring network
D) Circle network
4. What does kinesics primarily study in communication?
A) Written communication
B) Verbal communication
C) Body language
D) Digital communication
5. In proxemics, what does the term "intimate distance" refer to?
A) Personal space reserved for acquaintances
B) Closest personal space, typically reserved for close relationships
C) Public space for large gatherings
D) Social distance in professional settings
6. What does it typically suggest when someone blinks rapidly during a conversation?
A) Boredom
B) Anxiety or nervousness
C) Agreement
D) Sincere interest

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7. How can a person demonstrate polychronic behavior in the workplace?
- A) Completing tasks one at a time
 - B) Prioritizing deadlines over relationships
 - C) Juggling multiple tasks simultaneously
 - D) Avoiding interruptions
8. What is anosmia?
- A) Heightened sense of smell
 - B) Loss of the sense of taste
 - C) Loss of the sense of smell
 - D) Distorted sense of smell
9. How does multitasking affect listening skills?
- A) Divides attention and hinders effective listening
 - B) Enhances understanding of the message
 - C) Improves focus on the conversation
 - D) Is a recommended practice for better listening
10. What does “intonation” refer to in oral communication?
- A) The speed of speech
 - B) The pitch and rhythm of speech
 - C) The volume of speech
 - D) The choice of words
11. What is the primary focus of analytical reading?
- A) Understanding the main ideas
 - B) Grasping the structure and arguments
 - C) Reading quickly for general information
 - D) Summarizing the text
12. In the context of technology, what does “innovative” mean?
- A) Creative and original
 - B) Conventional
 - C) Traditional
 - D) Obsolete
13. The cat and the dog _____ playing in the backyard.
- A) Has been
 - B) Have been
 - C) Is
 - D) Were
14. A long speech by one person.
- A) Discourse
 - B) Monologue
 - C) Harangue
 - D) Tirade
15. Identify the correct sentence:
- A) The team are working hard to meet the deadline
 - B) The team am working hard to meet the deadline
 - C) The team were working hard to meet the deadline
 - D) The team is working hard to meet the deadline

16. What does the term “SWOT analysis” stand for in the context of stakeholder profiling?
- A) Strengths, Weakness, Opportunities, Threats
 - B) Strategies, Workflows, Objectives, Tasks
 - C) Success, Wisdom, Organization, Tenacity
 - D) Stakeholders, Workflows, Objectives, Trends
17. How can you add a new slide to a Power Point presentation?
- A) Right-click on the slide and select “New Slide”
 - B) Press Ctrl + N
 - C) Go to the Insert tab and click on “New Slide”
 - D) All of the above
18. When should the agenda for a meeting typically be distributed to participants?
- A) During the meeting
 - B) After the meeting
 - C) At the start of the meeting
 - D) A week before the meeting
19. How can a communicator manage time effectively in written communication?
- A) Using lengthy sentences
 - B) Avoiding bullet points
 - C) Proofreading multiple times
 - D) Being clear and concise
20. What does assertiveness mean in the context of interpersonal skills?
- A) Aggressively dominating others
 - B) Passively avoiding conflicts
 - C) Expressing one’s needs and opinions with respect
 - D) Ignoring others’ perspectives
