



Summer Term Examinations (July 2019)

School: School of Engineering

Program: BCA (MACT/CTIS/DS)

Course: Effective Speaking & Analytical Skills - I

Course Code: GEX148

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Max Marks: 50

Duration (mins): 90 mins

Student's Name: _____

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Day: _____

Date: _____

Section A: Comprehension

Q1] Read what the people with different jobs say and match what they say to the name of their job. Write the correct letter (A-K) in each box.

[11M]

- A. Police Officer
- B. Waiter
- C. Teacher
- D. Nurse

- E. Sports Player
- F. Dentist
- G. Gardener
- H. Musician

- I. Pilot
- J. Author
- K. Architect

1. Some people treat you so badly and think that's OK as long as they give you a few dollars.
2. Many people are suspicious of us but I believe those people are the ones with something to hide.
3. It's true that I have had to put my hands into and look into some nasty places, but the money's great and everybody wants to know one of us!
4. It's not all fancy performances and globetrotting I can tell you! Without hard work, dedication and lots and lots of practice, you won't succeed.
5. We have become a lot more aware in recent years about health dangers that exist while working here and now we are even more careful. After all, I want to remain on this side of the curtain!

6. Its great seeing paper plans come to real stone and brick reality.
7. Yeah, we get paid a lot but there's always the risk of injury and our careers are pretty short.
8. The first and last five minutes are the most stressful and that goes for the members of the public as well.
9. Some days, I get blocked really badly and can't string more than two words together.
10. In this institution, a lot of it is control. When you consider their home life, that's understandable!
11. I consider myself an artist, I really do! What I create lasts a long time and can even change throughout the year.

Section: B: Grammar

QII] Identify the Voice of the below sentences & Convert them to the opposite Voice (Active / Passive) [4M]

a) The master punished the servant. = Voice.
Convert to Voice.
Converted Sentence:
.....

b) Somebody cooks meal every day. = Voice.
Convert to Voice.
Converted Sentence:
.....

QIII] Identify if the following sentences are in DIRECT/INDIRECT Speech. Convert them in the opposite Speech. [2M]

a) The girl said that it gave her great pleasure to be there that evening.
.....

b) "It gives me great pleasure to be here this evening", said the girl.
.....

QIV] Change the following indirect sentences by choosing the most appropriate option. TICK the correct alternative. [5M]

a) **She said that she to see any of them and asked them to go away.**

- did not want
- does not want
- had not wanted

b) **The teacher says that if you work hard you.....**

- will pass
- would pass

c) **He said that he.....**

- won
- had won

d) **He asked me where going.**

- I was
- was I
- I am

e) **Alice exclaimed how clever.....**

- was she
- she was

QV] A sentence has been given in direct speech. Out of the four alternatives, TICK the one which best expresses the same sentence in indirect speech. [2M]

a) Rahul asked me, 'Did you see the cricket match on TV last night?'

- Rahul asked me if I had seen the cricket match on TV the previous night.
- Rahul asked me if I saw the cricket match on TV the previous night.
- Rahul asked me did I see the cricket match on TV last night.
- Rahul asked me whether I had seen the cricket match on TV last night.

b) James said to his mother, 'I am leaving for New York tomorrow.'

- James told his mother that he was leaving for New York tomorrow.
- James told his mother he is leaving for New York tomorrow.

- James told his mother that he was leaving for New York the next day.
- James told his mother that he would be leaving for New York the next day.

QV] Fill in the blanks with the articles 'a', 'an' or 'the' where necessary. Mark 'X' where no article is used. [6M]

1. I like blue T-shirt over there better than the red one.
2. Their car does 150 miles hour.
3. Wheres USB drive I lent you last week?
4. Do you still live in Bristol?
5. Is your mother working in old office building?
6. Carol's father works as electrician.

