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Question Paper Version : A

First/Second Semester B.E./B.Tech. Degree Supplementary Examination,
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Professional Writing Skills in English

Time: 1 hrs.]

[Max. Marks: 50

INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

1. Answer all the **fifty** questions, each question carries one mark.
2. Use only **Black ball point pen** for writing / darkening the circles.
3. **For each question, after selecting your answer, darken the appropriate circle corresponding to the same question number on the OMR sheet.**
4. Darkening two circles for the same question makes the answer invalid.
5. **Damaging/overwriting, using whiteners** on the **OMR** sheets are strictly prohibited.

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1. Identify the sentence with a parts of speech error:
a) She plays the piano very well b) They are listening to music
c) He are playing soccer d) We is going to the movies.
 2. Which sentence contains a parts of speech error?
a) He are a good student. b) She sings beautifully.
c) We will eat pizza for dinner. d) They are playing soccer outside.
 3. In which sentence is the error in parts of speech?
a) She is reading an interesting book. b) I can swimming very well.
c) They are watching a movie. d) He plays the guitar
 4. What is the grammatical term for a word that connects words, phrases, or clauses?
a) Conjunction b) Preposition c) Adverb d) Interjection
 5. In the sentence, "I saw him running down the street, "what is the function of the word "running"?
a) Adjective b) Adverb c) Gerund d) Infinitive
 6. What is the function of a participle in a sentence?
a) To modify a noun or pronoun b) To express an action
c) To function as the subject of a verb d) To function as the object of a verb
 7. In the sentence, "The book on the table is mine," what is the function of the phrase "on the table"?
a) Adjective b) Adverb
c) Prepositional phrase d) Gerund phrase

8. Which sentence has a grammatical error?
a) He enjoy playing basketball. b) They is going to the beach.
c) She have finished her homework. d) We am going to the park.
9. What is the grammatical mistake in the sentence: "The dog laying in the sun"?
a) Verb tense b) Subject-verb agreement
c) Verb form d) Word choice
10. What is the grammatical mistake in the sentence: "The car is blue, and the truck is red color"?
a) Run-on sentence b) Comma splice
c) Redundancy d) Fragment sentence
11. Which sentence contains a grammatical error?
a) The cat is sleeping on the couch. b) She are a doctor.
c) They is going to the park. d) I like to sing.
12. What is the grammatical error in the sentence: "He don't have any money"?
a) Subject-verb agreement b) Pronoun usage
c) Tense consistency d) Sentence structure
13. Which of the following sentences has a grammatical error?
a) She sings beautifully. b) We am going to the park.
c) They are watching a movie. d) He plays basketball every weekend.
14. Which sentence demonstrates correct subject-verb agreement?
a) The dogs barks loudly in the park. b) The dog bark loudly in the park.
c) The dogs bark loudly in the park. d) The dog barks loudly in the park.
15. Which option demonstrates correct subject-verb agreement?
a) The team are playing well this season.
b) The team is playing well this season.
c) The team were playing well this season.
d) The team am playing well this season.
16. Which of the following sentences is in the present perfect tense?
a) She will go to the store. b) She is going to the store.
c) She went to the store. d) She has gone to the store.
17. What is the future tense of the verb "to swim"?
a) Swim b) Swam c) Swimming d) Will swim
18. Which tense is used to describe actions that are ongoing or happening at the moment?
a) Present simple b) Past simple
c) Present continuous d) Past continuous
19. What is the past tense of the verb "to eat"?
a) Eating b) Eaten c) Ate d) Eat
20. In the sentence, "I have lived here for ten years," which tense is used for the verb "have lived"?
a) Present simple b) Present perfect
c) Past simple d) Past perfect

21. What is the future tense of the verb "to run"?
- a) Runs b) Running c) Ran d) Will run
22. Which of the following sentences is in the past continuous tense?
- a) She has been studying all day. b) She studied for the exam last night.
c) She was studying when the phone rang. d) She will study tomorrow.
23. Which of the following refers to words that have similar meanings?
- a) Synonyms b) Antonyms c) Homonyms d) Homophones
24. What term describes words that are spelled the same but have different meanings and sometimes different pronunciations?
- a) Synonyms b) Antonyms c) Homonyms d) Homophones
25. Complete the analogy: Cat is to kitten as dog is to _____.
- a) Cub b) Puppy c) Foal d) Chick
26. Choose the correct usage: "Yours" versus "You're".
- a) Your going to love the party. b) You're going to love the party.
c) Youre going to love the party. d) You are going to love the party.
27. Choose the correct usage: "Its" versus "It's".
- a) Its a beautiful day outside. b) It's a beautiful day outside.
c) Its raining heavily d) It is raining heavily.
28. Choose the correct collocation:
- a) Make an appointment. b) Do an appointment.
c) Take an appointment. d) Give an appointment.
29. Identify the correct collocation:
- a) Take a decision b) Make a decision
c) Do a decision d) Give a decision
30. Which contraction is correct for "they have"?
- a) they've b) they're c) they'd d) they'll
31. Choose the correct contraction for "we will":
- a) we're b) we've c) we'd d) we'll
32. What is the contraction of "cannot"?
- a) can't b) couldn't c) can've d) can't've
33. Rearrange the words to form a grammatically correct sentence "Yesterday, went, to, I, store, the."
- a) Yesterday I went to store the. b) Went I to the store yesterday.
c) Yesterday I went to the store. d) I went to the store yesterday.
34. Rearrange the words to form a coherent sentence: "She books, enjoys, reading, many, by, written, different, authors."
- a) She enjoys reading many books by different authors written.
b) She enjoys readings by many books written different authors.
c) She enjoys reading many books written by different authors.
d) She by different enjoys readings many books written authors.

35. Rearrange the words to form a grammatically correct sentence: "In, I, morning, the go, always, for, a, run."
a) Always in the morning go I for a run.
b) In the morning always I go for a run.
c) I always go for a run in the morning.
d) In the always morning I go for a run.
36. Rearrange the words to form a coherent sentence: "Hiking, in, we, enjoyed, the, mountains, beautiful, the."
a) We enjoyed hiking in the mountains the beautiful.
b) In the mountains we enjoyed hiking the beautiful.
c) We enjoyed the beautiful mountains in the hiking.
d) The beautiful mountains in the hiking we enjoyed.
37. Identify the error in the sentence: "The dog wagged it's tail excitedly."
a) The b) dog c) wagged d) it's
38. What is the active voice form of the sentence: "The cake was baked by Sarah"?
a) Sarah has baked the cake. b) Sarah had baked the cake.
c) Sarah bakes the cake. d) Sarah will bake the cake.
39. Which option correctly transforms the sentence into passive voice: "The teacher teaches the students"?
a) The teacher is teaching by the students.
b) The students are being taught by the teacher.
c) The teacher was teaching the students.
d) The students were taught by the teacher.
40. What is the reported speech form of the direct speech: "He said, 'I am leaving for London tonight'?"
a) He said that he leaves for London tonight.
b) He said that he left for London tonight.
c) He says that he leaves for London tonight.
d) He says that he left for London tonight.
41. Choose the correct transformation of the sentence into reported speech: "She said, 'I have already finished my homework.'"
a) She said that she already finished her homework.
b) She says that she has already finished her homework.
c) She said that she has already finished her homework.
d) She says that she had already finished her homework.
42. Identify the error in the sentence: "He don't have enough money to buy a car."
a) He b) don't c) have d) enough
43. Which part of the sentence contains the error: "The student's scored high marks in the exam."
a) The b) student's c) scored high marks d) in the exam
44. Find the error in the sentence: "She sings beautiful."
a) She b) sings c) beautiful d) no error

45. Where is the error in the sentence: "Their going to the beach tomorrow."
a) Their b) going c) to the beach d) tomorrow
46. Identify the error in the sentence: "The book is laying on the table."
a) The b) book c) is laying d) on the table
47. Which option improves the sentence: "He plays good football."
a) He plays well football. b) He plays football good.
c) He plays football well. d) He plays football goodly.
48. Choose the improved version of the sentence "The weather is too much hot today."
a) The weather is very hot today. b) The weather is too hot today.
c) The weather is much hot today. d) The weather is hot too much today.
49. Which option corrects the sentence: "I am not feeling good today."
a) I am not feeling well today. b) I am not feeling goodly today.
c) I am not feeling better today. d) I am not feeling good today.
50. Choose the corrected version of the sentence: "He goes to gym regular."
a) He goes to gym regularly. b) He goes to the gym regular.
c) He goes to the gym regularly. d) He goes to gym regulars.

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