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Post Graduate Diploma in English Language Teaching
(PGDELT – COURSE 25 – FINAL EXAMINATION]
April / May 2023

LISTENING & SPEAKING

Time: 2 Hrs.

Max. Marks: 50

Name: _____

Roll. No.: _____

Instructions:

1. Write legibly
2. Answer all the questions in the space provided
3. Give examples wherever necessary

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I. State whether the following statements are True 'T' or False 'F', in the given brackets.

[6 X ½ = 3 M]

1. In the word 'apples', 's' is a bound morpheme.
2. 'Pacific Ocean' is the largest ocean in the world' ... when used as a statement, takes the rising tone.
3. The hard palate is also known as 'velum'.
4. The word 'Diphthong' means a 'vowel glide'.
5. /j/ is a semi vowel.
6. When a nasal sound is produced, the velum is raised.

II. Identify the sound represented by the letter/s underlined in the following words and write the appropriate phonemic symbols in the space provided.

[6x ½ = 3M]

- 1) Mission _____
- 2) Loud _____
- 3) Shake _____
- 4) Laughed _____
- 5) Telephone _____
- 6) Star _____

III. Mark stress on the following words.

[6 X ½= 3 M]

- 1) About
- 2) Photographer
- 3) Electrician
- 4) Biological
- 5) Content (n)
- 6) Object (v)

IV. Write the phonemic transcription of the following words. [4x1=4M]

- 1) Heard _____
- 2) Catch _____
- 3) Cold _____
- 4) Bath _____

v. What do you mean by Elision? Give two examples. [2M]

VI. Differentiate between voiced and voiceless sounds with the help of an example for each. [2M]

VII. What are Allophones? Explain with the help of an example. [2 M]

VIII. What do you mean by Syllabic Consonants? Explain with the help of an example. [2M]

IX. Write a minimal pair for each of the following pairs of sounds. [2x1=2M]

1) /f/ and /v/ _____

2) /i/ and /i:/ _____

X. Write the three-term label for the following consonant sounds. [3M]

1) /t/ _____

2) /w/ _____

XI. What do you mean by 'Consonant Clusters'? Give two examples each for consonant clusters occurring in the initial and final positions of words. [3M]

xii. Differentiate between Hearing and Listening with the help of an example for each. Mention any four purposes of Listening. [3M]

xiii. Mark the stressed syllables in the following sentence. [1M]

1. I received a card yesterday.

xiv. Mark the appropriate intonation for the following sentences. [2x ½ = 1M]

- 1) How may I help you? (asked in a friendly manner)
- 2) The house looks beautiful ... (implication of something one doesn't want to express openly)

xv. Match the expressions in Column 'A' with the appropriate language functions in Column 'B' [4x ½ = 2M]

Sl. No.	A		B	A	B
1.	I love this colour.	a.	Seeking information	1	
2.	Drive carefully on the main road.	b.	Giving advice	2	
3.	Why don't you come home for coffee?	c.	Inviting	3	
4.	Where is the library?	d.	Expressing likes	4	

XVI. Using appropriate expressions write a conversation of about five exchanges each between two people for the following situation: [5M]

“You’ve bought a nice dress from a shop but after the first wash it has shrunk in size.

You ask the shop owner for an exchange or refund of money.”

xvii. Design ‘Pre-listening,’ ‘While-listening’ and ‘Post-listening’ activities for the following passage to develop listening comprehension of students at Class 9 level.

[9M]

One day, a farmer was looking for a water source for his farm, when he bought a well from his neighbour. The neighbour, however, was cunning. The next day, as the farmer came to draw water from his well, the neighbour refused to let him take any water.

When the farmer asked why, the neighbour replied, “I sold you the well, not the water,” and walked away. Distraught, the farmer went to the emperor to ask for justice. He explained what had happened.

The emperor called on Birbal, one of his nine and wisest courtiers. Birbal proceeded to question the neighbour, “Why don’t you let the farmer take water from the well? You did sell the well to the farmer?”

The neighbour replied, “Birbal, I did sell the well to the farmer but not the water within it. He has no right to draw water from the well.”

Birbal said, “Look, since you sold the well, you have no right to keep the water in the farmer’s well. Either you pay rent to the farmer, or take it out immediately.” Realizing that his scheme had failed, the neighbour apologized and went home.
