

GUJARAT TECHNOLOGICAL UNIVERSITY
DIPLOMA ENGINEERING – SEMESTER – I • EXAMINATION – WINTER -2017

Subject Code: 3300002**Date:03/01 /2018****Subject Name: English****Time:02:30 PM TO 05:00 PM****Total Marks: 70****Instructions:**

1. Write your seat number and enrolment number in the space provided on the question Paper.
2. Use of programmable and communication aids are strictly prohibited.
3. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
4. This question paper contains FIVE questions. Attempt all.
5. Student is not allowed to leave the examination hall during first and last thirty minutes.

- Q.1** Answer the following questions. (Any SEVEN) **14**
- 1 Who borrowed a dollar from the speaker? Describe the incident.
 - 2 Who wrote a letter to his son's teacher? Why?
 - 3 Why were Dabbawallas not successful in Delhi in their service?
 - 4 Write the author's views on professionalism in the west.
 - 5 Which medicines did the doctor prescribe for Schatz?
 - 6 What makes Dabbawallas an extremely tight knit group?
 - 7 What is cyber crime? Write two examples of the cyber crime.
 - 8 What, in your opinion, can India teach the rest of the world?
 - 9 "People don't die with fever of one hundred and two. That's a silly way to talk." Who speaks these lines?
 - 10 Who talked about the article in the US paper in 'A Snake in the Grass'? What did it state about the deaths due to snakebite ?
- Q.2 (a)** Answer the following questions. (Any FOUR) **04**
1. _____ magazine gave the Dabbawallas Sigma 6 rating
 (a) Times (b) Fortune (c) Forbes (d) Business World
 2. Person who tries to gain unauthorized access is_____.
 (a) addict (b) hacker (c) guide (d) victim
 3. The teacher **should** teach the students that for every _____ , there is a hero.
 (a) cynic (b) selfish politician (c) dedicated leader (d) scoundrel
 4. _____ is considered to be an integral part of the value system in the West.
 (a) Privilege (b) Dignity of labour (c) Dignity of leader (d) Dignity of person
 5. 'What we must learn from the west' is written by_____
 (a) R.K.Narayan (b) K.R.Narayan
 (c) Narayan Murthy (d) Sudha Murthy
- (b)** Answer the following questions. (Any FOUR) **04**
1. "You have the laziest servant on earth" said by_____.
 (a) neighbours (b) Mother (c) a cyclist (d) a snake charmer
 2. "Let's have taxi up to the Club" is said by_____.
 (a) Stephen Leacock (b) Stephen Hawking
 (c) Stephen King (d) Stephen Adward
 3. Who demanded grass cutter from the family?
 (a) Snake charmer (b) Neighbours (c) Beggar (d) Dasa

4. Earnest Hemingway is the author of the short story _____.
- (a) 'A Snake in the Grass' (b) 'My Lost Dollar'
- (c) 'A Day's Wait' (d) 'Snakes and Ladders'
5. Schatz had a misunderstanding regarding _____.
- (a) two medicines (b) two books
- (c) two diseases (d) two thermometers

(c) Write a short note on any ONE.

03

1. Values that the father expects the teacher to teach his son
2. Dabbawallas- the best managed business

(d) Write a short note on any ONE.

03

1. The speaker's efforts to remind his friend about the dollar
2. Dasa

Q.3 (a) Do as directed. (Any THREE)

03

1. The professor along with fifteen students _____ visited the plant. (has ,have)
(Choose the correct verb)
2. Much of her tension _____ removed after counseling with doctor. (were, was)
(Choose the correct verb)
3. A person or group that has an investment or interest in something is _____.
(Give one word substitute)
4. Give synonym for (a) mystery (b) tidy
5. He do not likes to play video games. (Correct the sentence)

(b) Fill in the blanks using proper word given in the brackets. (Any THREE)

03

1. _____ can make you feel sad without your permission. (Anybody, Nobody, Somebody)
2. Mihir is selected as _____ best student of the year. (a, an, the)
3. Do you have _____ doubt in this topic now? (some, any, much)
4. How _____ chairs do you need? (some, many, much)

(c) Fill in the blanks using proper modal auxiliary. (Any FOUR)

04

1. You _____ read newspapers daily to improve your vocabulary. (can, should, must)
2. _____ all your dreams be fulfilled! (Can, Will, May)
3. She _____ not appear in the last exam as she was ill. (can, could, would)
4. I _____ prefer coconut water to cold drink. (would, may, should)
5. We _____ not use mobile while driving. (could, should, must)

(d) Fill in the blanks using proper verb forms. (Any FOUR)

04

1. I _____ Jammu & Kashmir yet. (not visit)
2. _____ you _____ me next Sunday? (see)
3. _____ you _____ the door before you left? (lock)
4. She _____ to play the guitar now a days. (learn)
5. John _____ from viral infection since last Friday. (suffer).

Q.4 (a) Fill in the blanks using proper preposition. (Any THREE)

03

1. We will have dessert _____ dinner. (before, after, in)
2. The humidity was _____ average yesterday. (on, below, under)
3. My grandma fell _____ the scooter. (of, on, off)
4. He works in the office _____ 8 pm. (to,till,until)

- (b) Join the following sentences using proper connector given in the brackets. (Any FOUR) **04**
1. Neeti is not a good dancer. Neeti is not a good singer.
(either..or, not only.. but. also, neither..nor)
 2. Be regular in the class. You will not understand the subject (and, otherwise, but)
 3. Amish has effective communication skills, _____ he can impress anybody.
(because, and, so)
 4. Do you know the reason _____ he is absent today? (why, when, where)
 5. The engineer _____ design you admired is my cousin. (who, whom, whose)

- (c) Change the following sentences into Passive Voice. **07**
1. He bought a new car last week.
 2. I have not seen a white elephant in my life.
 3. Who sings devotional songs?
 4. The company is launching the new project.
 5. Throw the garbage in the dustbin.
 6. You must submit your project before 15th December
 7. He can secure the first position in exam.

Q.5 (a) Write a dialogue between two Diploma engineering students about the first day in college. **07**

(b) Write a request letter to your project head to grant you more one week for the submission **07**
