

# P. P. SAVANI UNIVERSITY

Third semester of B.Com Examination  
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**CFLS 1020(Global Communication Skills)**

26/11/2022, Saturday

Time: 09:00 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.

Maximum Marks: 30

## **Instructions:**

1. The question paper comprises of two sections.
2. Section I and II must be attempted in same answer sheets.

## **SECTION - I**

### **Q - 1 SHORT QUESTIONS (Any Five)**

[05] CO BTL

Jacob hated finishing things almost as much as he loved starting them. As a result, he had gotten into a million hobbies and activities, but he never stuck with any of them long enough to get any good. He begged his mother for months for a guitar so that he could play Black Eyed Peas songs to Angie, a girl he liked, but after he finally got one for Christmas, he found out that guitars don't play themselves. He took a few lessons, but strumming the strings hurt his fingers and he didn't like holding the pick, so now the five-hundred dollar guitar lives under his bed. After reading an ad in the back of one of his comic books, Jacob decided that he wanted a Wonder Sweeper 5000 metal detector, so that he could find buried pirate treasure. So he mowed lawns all summer and didn't spend his money on ice-cream like his younger brother, Alex. He saved it all in a shoe box in his closet. Then he shoveled driveways all winter, and he didn't spend his money on candy and chips like his classmates. By the time spring came he had saved \$200, and he purchased the Wonder-Sweeper 5000 metal detector. He beeped it around the park for a while, but he soon found out that no pirates had ever set sail in his neighborhood, and if they had they didn't leave any treasure. Even though he found a key ring, forty-seven cents, and all the bottle caps he could throw, he buried the metal detector in his closet. Given Jacob's history with hobbies, it was no surprise that Jacob's father was reluctant to buy him a magician's kit for his birthday. "Geez, Jacob... You sure you wouldn't rather I got you more guitar lessons?" He suggested. Jacob was insistent. "Dad, you've got to get me the magician's kit. This time I'll stick with it for real. I promise! Come on, Dad," Jacob begged. Jacob's father sighed and then replied, "Oh, I don't know, Jacob. Things are awfully tight right now." But Jacob's father was reminded of his own youth long ago, when he quit football and started karate practice before hardly getting his equipment dirty. So when Jacob's birthday came around, Jacob was both surprised and pleased to find the magician's kit that he had desired so badly with a big bright bow on it. Jacob opened up the box and unwrapped the many parts in the kit. As he did so, he imagined sawing his pet cat in half and putting it back together to the amazement of his friends and family. He took the many fake coins, trick cards, and rope pieces of varying length on the kitchen table and imagined pulling rabbits out of his hat and turning them into pigeons with a mysterious puff of smoke. As Jacob continued pulling plastic thumbs, foam balls, and giant playing cards out of the magic kit, a commercial on the TV caught his attention. "Hey kids! Have you ever wanted to go to space? Experience what it's like to be an astronaut? Do you want to explore the universe? Well, now you can." As the commercial continued playing, Jacob walked away from the magic kit on the kitchen table and stared at the TV screen longingly. "For only \$195 you can go to space camp and live life like an astronaut for a

whole weekend. Enroll now for a once in a life time experience." Jacob's cry rang throughout the house as he yelled, "MOM!" He now knew what his true purpose in life was.

- (i) .According to the text, why does Jacob stop playing the guitar? 1 2
- a. It hurt his fingers.
  - b. He'd rather play drums.
  - c. It was too easy.
  - d. He failed math.
- (ii) To whom did Jacob want to play Black Eyed Peas songs? 1 2
- a. Alex
  - b. Angie
  - c. Mom
  - d. Dad
- (iii) According to the passage, why does Jacob decide that he wants a metal detector? 1 2
- a. He sees a man at the park with one.
  - b. His father had one as a child.
  - c. He saw a TV commercial for one.
  - d. He read an ad for one in a comic book.
- (iv) How does Jacob get the items that he wants in the story? 1 2
- a. He asks his mom.
  - b. He asks his dad.
  - c. He shovels driveways and mows lawns.
  - d. He does all of these things to get what he wants.
- (v) When did Jacob buy the metal detector? 1 2
- a. In the fall
  - b. In the summer
  - c. In the spring
  - d. In the winter
- (vi) Why doesn't Jacob's father want to get him the magician's kit for his birthday? 3 5
- a. Jacob failed math class.
  - b. Jacob quits too many expensive activities.
  - c. Jacob has been mean to his younger brother.



d. Jacob went to the park without permission.

**Q 2 Find out the Nouns from this passage**

**[05] 1 1**

Most hydro power plants rely on a dam that holds back water, cresting a large reservoir behind it. Often, this reservoir is used as a recreational lake and is also known as the intake. Gates on the dam open and gravity pulls the water through the pen stock, a line of pipe that leads to the turbine. Water builds up pressure as it flows through this pipe. The water strikes and turns the large blades of a turbine, which is attached to a generator above it by way of a shaft. As the turbine blades turn, so do a series of magnets inside the generator producing alternating current AC by moving electrons. The transformer, located inside the powerhouse, takes the AC and converts it to higher voltage current.

**Q 3 Write the adjectives whether these are positive or negative**

**[05] 4 2**

Diverse,  
Disastrous  
Spoilt  
Biased  
Accomplished  
Vulnerable  
Productive  
Realistic  
Confusing  
Irrelevant  
Sophisticated  
Harsh  
Catastrophe  
Efficient  
Monotonous  
Distorted  
Thorough  
Influential  
Prominent  
Dated.

**Q 4 Write an Article on 'Benefits of Recycling'.**

**[05] 4 5**

(points- Introduction-process --- uses -- benefits --- conclusion)

**Q 5 Match the words**

**[06] 3 6**

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| 1. Hospitality | a. to stop working -- usually because of age       |
| 2. Retail      | b. the type of work done with your hands           |
| 3. Redundancy  | c. to hire or employ a person for a job            |
| 4. Retire      | d. the industry related to shops                   |
| 5. Consumer    | e. the person who provides you with work           |
| 6. Customer    | f. the industry related to hotels and restaurants. |
| 7. Manual      | g. the loss of a job due to a business closing     |
| 8. Shift       | h. a person who uses goods                         |
| 9. Employee    | i. a staff member                                  |

10. Employer

j. the time by which work must be completed

11. Deadline

k. a person who buys goods

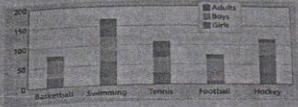
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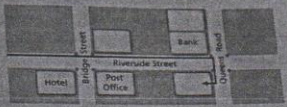
l. a person's scheduled period of work.

Q6 Write about these below mentioned photos. What actually these are and [04] 4 6 describe

1.1 Label examples of visual information 1-6 with words A-F.

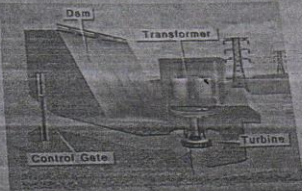
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B map  
C pie chart  
D table  
E bar chart  
F graph

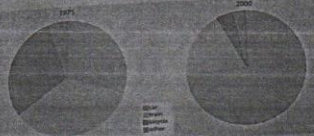
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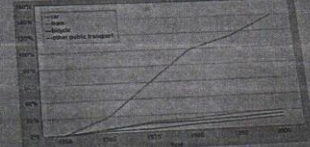
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WINNING TEAMS	GOLD	SILVER
USA	929	729
Soviet Union	395	319
UK	207	255
France	191	212
Germany	163	163
Italy	190	152
Sweden	142	160

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CO : Course Outcome Number

BTL : Blooms Taxonomy Level

Level of Bloom's Revised Taxonomy in Assessment

1: Remember	2: Understand	3: Apply
4: Analyze	5: Evaluate	6: Create