

MATERIAL STATES OF THE STATES

Second Semester Degree Examination, August/September 2023

(NEP Scheme)
Open Elective
ENGLISH

Spoken English for Corporate Jobs

BCA

Time: 21/2 Hours

Max. Marks: 60

Instructions: 1) Write the correct question number.

2) Answer all the questions.

I. Answer any ten in one or two sentences each:

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$

- 1) What is the function of greeting?
- 2) Name the duties of a front desk manager.
- 3) When are instructions essential?
- 4) Name any four problem solving skills.
- 5) What is the purpose of consultation?
- 6) Define persuasive speech.
- 7) What is the purpose of an introductory speech?
- 8) Mention the different visual aids used for a presentation.
- 9) Define cross-cultural communication.
- 10) What is a probing question?
- 11) Why are questioning skills important?
- 12) What is business etiquette?
- 13) Write any two examples for cross cultural communication.
- 14) 'Yes' or 'No' questions are an example for open ended question. (True/False)



II. Write a note on any four of the following in about a page each:

 $(4 \times 5 = 20)$

- 1) Politeness strategies.
- 2) Guidelines to prepare an effective speech.
- 3) Different types of persuasive speech.
- 4) Purpose of business presentation.
- 5) Factors affecting cross-cultural communication at workplace.
- 6) Importance of etiquette in business.
- III. Answer any two of the following in about two pages :

 $(2\times10=20)$

- 1) Mention the points to be remembered when greeting someone.
- 2) Write a brief note on intonation and voice modulation.
- 3) Explain the principles of public speaking.
- 4) Write the importance of using questioning techniques at workplace.