

2024

COMMUNICATIVE ENGLISH — VOCATIONAL

Paper : DSCC-4

(Introduction to Language in Society)

Full Marks : 75

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

*Candidates are required to give their answers in their own words
as far as practicable.*

1. Write short notes on (*any five*) : 4×5
 - (a) Mother tongue
 - (b) Dialect
 - (c) Sociolect
 - (d) Lingua Franca
 - (e) Speech Community
 - (f) Diglossia
 - (g) Received Pronunciation
 - (h) Style.

2. Answer *any two* of the following : 10×2
 - (a) What is Code Switching? Discuss any three factors which cause / promote Code Switching in India.
 - (b) What is bilingualism? Write a note on the different types of bilingualism.
 - (c) Define 'Standard Language'. Discuss the process of standardization of a language.

3. Indicate the difference between the following pairs (*any four*) : 4×4
 - (a) Slang vs Jargon
 - (b) Pidgin vs Creole
 - (c) Accent vs Dialect
 - (d) Bilingualism vs Multilingualism
 - (e) Code Switching vs Code Mixing
 - (f) Regional Dialect vs Social Dialect.

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4. Identify the field, tenor mode, settings with language markers (*any one*) : 8×1

- News Today's Vidhya Sharma reporting live from the LOC, we can see that the bombardment has ceased but the army is still alert and ready for any fresh attack.
- Grind the onions and add few slit green chilies, ginger and salt. Add in a pan and stir till it changes colour.
- INOX-2 shows Open Tomorrow! Red Chillies entertainment present 'Matilda', U/A.

5. Write a note on different types of Register. 5

6. Write short notes on *any one* of the following with examples : 6×1

- Differentiate between American English and British English
- Carribean English
- Indian English.
