## MAHARASHTRA STATE BOARD OF TECHNICAL EDUCATION (Autonomous)



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### WINTER-2018 EXAMINATION

Subject Name: Communication Skills <u>Model Answer</u> Subject Code: 17201 Important Instructions to examiners:

- 1) The answers should be examined by key words and not as word-to-word as given in the Model Answer scheme.
- 2) The Model Answer and the answer written by candidate may vary but the examiner may try to assess the understanding level of the candidate.
- 3) The language errors such as grammatical, spelling errors should not be given more Importance. (Not applicable for subject English and Communication Skills.)
- 4) While assessing figures, examiner may give credit for principal components indicated in the figure. The figures drawn by candidate and Model Answer may vary. The examiner may give credit for any equivalent figure drawn.
- 5) Credits may be given step wise for numerical problems. In some cases, the assumed constant values may vary and there may be some difference in the candidate's answers and Model Answer.
- 6) In case of some questions credit may be given by judgement on part of examiner of relevant answer based on candidate's understanding.

7) For programming language papers, credit may be given to any other program based on equivalent concept.

		ent concept.	
Q.	Sub	Answer	Marking
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1.	a)	Attempt any <u>TEN</u> of the following questions in about 25-30 words each: Draw the cycle of communication and explain any two components of the cycle. Ans: Cycle of Communication:	(20)
		SENDER MESSAGE CHANNEL DECODE RECEIVER	
		FEEDBACK	01
		Components of the communication cycle:  1. Sender: A sender is a person who intends to convey/ transfer ideas,	
		thoughts, information, feeling etc. to another person or persons.  2. Message: It is the intended outcome that the sender desires to	1/2
		communicate to the receiver.  3. Channel: The channel is a carrier of the message via which a message	1/2
		is delivered to the receiver.  4. Receiver: The person, who receives, interprets the message and sends	1/2
		feedback to the sender is the receiver. <b>5. Feedback:</b> It is the response given by the receiver to the sender. It is the final link in the communication cycle that completes the	1/2
		communication cycle.  (Note: Any two correct elements should be given ½ mark each.)	1/2
	<b>b</b> )	Name different types of vertical communication. Explain any one of	
		them. Ans: Different types of Vertical Communication are as below: 1) Upward Communication	
		2) Downward Communication	$\frac{01}{10\cdot 1/2}$

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1.		1) <b>Upward Vertical Communication:</b> When a person working at lower level in the organizational hierarchy communicates with the person working at a higher level, it is called upward communication.  2) <b>Downward Vertical Communication:</b> When a person working at the higher level in an organization communicates with the person working at lower level, it is called Downward Communication. It flows from the higher authorities to lower level up to workers.  (Note: Explanation of any correct type should be given mark.)	
	c)	Define the term 'Vocalics'.  Ans: Vocalics refers to voice modulation. It deals with expressions of emotions and feelings with the help of different tones of our voice. The voice of a person also reveals important traits of personality. Though we cannot change our voice, there are different tones of voice which can be worked on to create the impact on our listener while we deliver a speech, participate in a debate or make a presentation. Voice is a very powerful tool for communication. It can convey feelings of delight, excitement, grief, boredom and much more. For example, a good officer has a commanding voice, singers usually have a sweet and soft voice, a nervous person has a shaky voice, and a person scared of something has a shrieking voice.  (Note: Examples may vary.)	02
	d)	Explain the importance of proper encoding in the process of communication.  Ans: Encoding helps the sender to put his disorganized ideas and thoughts in structured format. It helps the sender to give the correct message which is understandable to receiver which results in effective communication.	02
	e)	<ul> <li>What are the disadvantages of "Grape Vine" communication?</li> <li>Ans: Disadvantages of "Grape Vine" communication are as below:</li> <li>1. It is not time bound because the conversation is listless and goes beyond the scope of purpose. Therefore it leads to waste of time.</li> <li>2. It may spread false and incorrect news / rumours about an organization. Therefore it can never be relied upon.</li> <li>3. It may spoil the reputation of an organization.</li> <li>4. It leads to ego and jealousy problems.</li> <li>(Note: Any two correct points can be given marks.)</li> </ul>	01 01 01 01
	f)	What is horizontal communication? Write any two features of horizontal communication.  Ans: When persons working at the same levels communicate with each other in the organization, it is called as horizontal communication. Horizontal communication is essential for proper co-ordinate among people working at the same level.	01 No: 2 / 2

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1.		<ul> <li>Features of horizontal communication:</li> <li>1. Horizontal communication improves the quality of team work.</li> <li>2. It leads to co-ordination among workers and it is helpful for smooth functioning of a company.</li> <li>3. Routine problems can be sorted out easily.</li> </ul>	1/ <sub>2</sub> 1/ <sub>2</sub>
		4. It is possible to take quick decisions and prompt action.	1/2
		<ul><li>5. Too much time may be wasted if proper control is not exercised.</li><li>6. Chances of misunderstanding are there if mutual faith is not developed.</li></ul>	1/2
		<ul> <li>developed.</li> <li>7. Use of technical language can act as a barrier in horizontal communication.</li> <li>8. There can be professional jealousy in this communication.</li> <li>(Note: Any two correct features can be given ½ mark each.)</li> </ul>	1/ <sub>2</sub> 1/ <sub>2</sub>
	g)	What is completeness and clarity of the message? Ans: Completeness of the message: The message should be complete i.e. it should answer all the possible questions of the receiver Insufficient knowledge confuses the receiver as it leaves him in doubt and distrust. Clarity of the message: The message should be clear. Clarity means it should not create any confusion or question in the mind of the receiver. There should not be any ambiguity. For this, the sender should be aware of the purpose of communication.	01
	h)	Define a "Barrier to communication".	
		<b>Ans: 1.</b> Barriers to communication are all those things that hinder the communication process and result in some kind of distortion of the message.  2. A "communication barrier" is anything that interferes with the transfer	02
		of intended or planned message from the sender to the receiver.  3. Anything that interferes with any of the elements of communication	02
		process is a barrier to communication. (Note: Any correct definition can be given marks.)	02
	i)	<ul> <li>What are the advantages of graphical communication?</li> <li>Ans: Advantages of Graphical communication:</li> <li>1. Graphical communication shows each nominal or ordinal category in a frequency distribution.</li> <li>2. It displays relative numbers or proportions of multiple categories.</li> <li>3. It summarizes a large data set in a visual form. Charts, maps, graphics, symbols etc. are precise.</li> <li>4. It estimates key values at a glance. Therefore it is effective.</li> <li>5. It is easily understood due to widespread use in business in the media.</li> <li>6. It is easy to understand through visual display.</li> <li>7. It has an impact on the audience.</li> <li>(Note: Any two correct advantages can be given marks.)</li> </ul>	01 01 01 01
	j)	Explain with illustration an "Environmental barriers" in communication.  Ans: Environmental barriers are those that take place in the surroundings of the sender and receiver. They hamper the communication process.	

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1.		Such environmental barriers occur due to interference of noise and the	01		
		physical distance between the sender and receiver.	UI		
		<b>Illustration</b> : The teacher is teaching, the topic, "Types of Sentences" in			
		the classroom and all of a sudden, an aeroplane passes over the school.			
		The students who are listening to the teacher get distracted and lose track of the information being passed by the teacher to them. They are unable			
		to answer the question. This loss of information on the part of the			
		students is due to the noise created by the aeroplane in the external			
		environment. Therefore 'noise created by the aeroplane' is an			
		environmental barrier	01		
		(Note: Example may vary.)	VI.		
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	k)	Explain the importance of communication skills for an engineer.			
		<b>Ans:</b> Importance of communication skills for an engineers is as below:			
		1. Communication skills are necessary for an engineer in an			
		interview to get the job.	01		
		2. A communication skill is also required for an engineer to interact			
		among people working at different levels like management and			
		employees.	01		
		3. It is also useful in creating and maintaining professional			
		relationship with other organization	01		
		4. It is tool of supervision for an engineer.	01		
		5. It is essential for engineers to motivate co-workers.	01		
		6. It is also useful for an engineer to acquire information.	01		
		7. It is helpful in planning & co-ordination.	01		
		8. It is useful for understanding problems of the workers and co- workers.	01		
		9. Communication skills are necessary for engineers to encourage	U1		
		ideas and suggestion.	01		
		(Note: Any two correct points can be given marks.)	VI		
		(Note: They two correct points can be given marked)			
	l)	Write any two ways to overcome "Language Barrier".			
		Ans: The different ways of overcoming language barriers are as follows:			
		1. Speak slowly and clearly- One should focus on enunciating and			
		slowing down the speech. Don't rush through communication.	01		
		2. Ask for clarification - Instead of assuming the understanding of			
		what others say, politely ask for clarification.	01		
		3. Frequently check for understanding – Check both that you have			
		understood what has been said and that others have fully understood	01		
		you	01		
		4. <b>Avoid idioms</b> – Business language is often contextual and therefore			
		culture specific. Avoid using the phrases that require knowledge of	Δ1		
		other information.  5. Re garaful of technical jargans. If technical jargans are used a	01		
		5. <b>Be careful of technical jargons</b> – If technical jargons are used, a description of the same should be provided to the receiver.	Λ1		
		6. <b>Be specific</b> – Spell out your expectations and deadlines clearly.	01 01		
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1.	<ul> <li>7. Choose your medium of communication effectively- Choose y form of communication carefully. Don't overuse any medium. In case medium is ineffective, switch to another one.</li> <li>8. Provide information via multiple channels – Follow phone convite emails that summarize what has been said.</li> <li>9. Be patient – Keep patience while communicating with others so communication takes place with ease and proper pace.</li> <li>(Note: Any two correct points can be given marks.)</li> </ul>					
2.	a)	Attempt any FOUR Classify the following both. Arrange them	of the following: ng into verbal and non- in three columns: "Sta	verbal communications or aring, raised palm, debate, on net, whatsapp message,	(16)	
		Verbal	Non-verbal	Both		
		notice	Staring	debate		
		memos	raised palm	chatting on net		
		job application		Road-side board		
				Whatsapp message	04	
		Radio, letter, memo Ans: (i) To make pe - News papers /Rad (ii) To warn your sub (ii) To encourage pe Posters	o, gestures, Internet, Ne cople aware of various go io/ Posters o - ordinate for his neglig	ence in the work Memo "Bharat Swach Abhiyan"	01 01 01	
	c)	Justify with illust			01	

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2.	d)	During Maths lecture, Suresh doesn't concentrate on the teaching, as he dislikes it. Explain which type of barrier it is. Suggest a remedy to overcome this barrier.  Ans: This is Psychological barrier.  Remedies to overcome this barrier.: We can overcome this barrier in following ways:	01
		<ol> <li>Self-affirmation: Positive self assertion can help Suresh in convincing himself that it is beneficial for him.</li> <li>He should be open to learn Mathematics so that his likeness will be</li> </ol>	01
		created in the subject.	01
		3. He should develop a befitting attitude.	01
		4. He should train his mind to fight with such dislikes.	01
		5. He should learn to become more emotionally intelligent. This means learn to handle his emotions and those of others.  (Note: Any three correct points can be given marks.)	01
	<b>f</b> )	How are principle of corrections, conciseness and completeness of the message helpful in effective communication? Explain with illustrations.  Ans: The principle of corrections, conciseness and completeness of the message helpful in effective communication in following ways:  1. Correctness of the message: The message should be correct. It should not have any incorrect information or misguiding details. Then only, the communication will be effective. Incorrect messages are seldom effective.  2. Conciseness of the message: The key to effective communication is its conciseness and its brevity. The sentence should always be short in length. This ensures understanding. Lengthy messages lead to confusion.  3. Completeness of the message: The message should be complete i.e. it should answer all the possible questions of the receiver. Insufficient knowledge confuses the receiver as it leaves him in doubt and distrust. It leads to ineffective communication.  What are Physiological and Psychological barriers in	
	1)	communication? Explain each with one example. Suggest the solution for it as well.  Ans: Physiological barrier: A physiological barrier to communication is the result of a sensory dysfunction, either on the part of the receiver or the sender. Speaking, hearing and seeing are fundamental parts of effective communication. While communicating, a person uses his/her vocal (speech) organs to produce sound/speech, hands and fingers to write, ears to hear the spoken words and eyes to see the written words. Proper functioning of these body organs is necessary for effective communication to take place. In case of any defect in any of these organs, the successful completion of communication will be difficult to accomplish.	

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2.		Example of Vision Impairment: A person who is vision impaired is not able to see facial expressions and body language, is not able to see whom they are speaking with, may not understand language which is spoken in a unclear manner, and may find understanding conversations difficult and confusing.  Solution / ways to overcome to Physiological Barrier to Communication: For a person who is not able to speak, hear or see, certain measures must be taken to provide alternative communication options and methods and ensure that communication is possible.	02
		Psychological barrier: Psychological barriers are the barriers which we create in our minds, or which we have learned from others, that prevent us from communicating or behaving effectively and rationally.  Examples: A student who is afraid of his/her teacher will not be able to talk freely to the teacher and seek help for solving his/her problems in the concerned subject. The student's fear lies in his/her mind. This fear acts as a psychological barrier between the teacher and the student.  Solution / ways to overcome to psychological barriers:  1. Meditation: Through meditation, we can learn to let go negative issues that bog down our minds.  2. Self-affirmation: Positive self assertion can help us 'convince' ourselves that something is within reach.  3. Be open to suggestions.  4. Develop a befitting attitude.  5. Train your mind to fight false fears.  6. Learn to become more emotionally intelligent. This means learn to handle our emotions and those of others.  (Note: Students are expected to write two solutions for each barrier.)	02
3.	<b>a</b> )	Attempt any <u>ONE</u> of the following:	(08)
	(i)	As a head of an institute, draft a notice for all the third year students to pay their due fees instantly.  Ans: Required Format:	
		1. Letterhead	01
		2. Date	01
		3. Title (Notice)	01
		4. Relevant and Appropriate Matter	04
		5. Signatory	01

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3.	Q. 11.	Sample Draft:	Belletile		
		MODERN DOLVTECHNIC	01		
		MODERN POLYTECHNIC 412, M.G. Road, Shivajinagar, Pune-411001	01		
		14 November, 2018	01		
		<u>NOTICE</u>	01		
		All the third year students of Modern Polytechnic are hereby informed that the last date of paying remaining fees is 21 November, 2018. Therefore all students are instructed to pay their due fees instantly. If the students fail to pay fees on or before due date, late charges will be applied.	for		
		Sd/- Dr. M. R. Mahajan			
		Principal (Note: Details can vary.)	01		
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	(ii) As a Bank Manager, prepare a Congratulatory memo to the loan recovery dept for 100% loan recovery in the year 2015-16.  Ans: Required Format:				
		1. Letterhead	01		
		2. Date	1/2		
		3. Title (Memorandum)	1/2		
		4. From	1/2		
		5. To	1/2		
		6. Subject	1/2		
		7. Relevant and Appropriate Matter	04		
		8. Signatory	1/2		
		Sample Draft:			
		STATE BANK OF MAHARASHTRA 1702, Shivajinagar, Pune-411 001	01		
		14 April, 2016	1/2		
		<b>MEMORANDUM</b>	1/2		
		From: Bank Manager	1/2		
		To: Loan Recovery Department	1/2		
		Subject: Congratulation for 100% loan recovery in the year 2015-16	1/2		

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3.	Q. IV.	It was found that 'The Loan Recovery Department' of State Bank Of	
J.		Maharashtra has done excellent job by doing 100% loan recovery in the	
		financial year 2015-16. Therefore The Loan Recovery Department is	
		hereby congratulated for their superb performance.	Mutter
		series y congruences for their supers performance.	
		sd/-	
		Mr. G. K. Gupta	1/2
		Bank Manager	
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		(Note: Details can vary.)	
	<b>b</b> )	Attempt any <u>TWO</u> of the following:	(08)
	(i)	Identify the non verbal codes used in the following communication	
		situation. Select your answer from the given list of codes [Proxemics,	
		Kinesics, Vocalics, Chronemics, haptics]	
		(1) The bowler appeals to the umpire for out but the umpire looks other	
		way / other side Kinesics	01
		(2) You go to the principal of your college for a demand. You talk to him from some distance <b>Proxemics</b>	01
		(3) You are sad for getting less marks. Your mother puts her hand on	V1
		your head to pacify you haptics	01
		(4) You are called for a meeting at 11.00 am. Your reach there at 10.55	
		am. You find your boss already seated at the meeting table.	
		Chronemics	01
		<b>3.1. 3.1.3.1.3.</b>	
	(ii)	Write any four techniques of improving listening skill.	
		<b>Ans:</b> The different techniques of improving listening are as follows:	
		1. Have a receptive mind	01
		2. Minimize the distracting factor	01
		3. Listen with interest, enthusiasm and maturity	01
		4. Empathize with the speaker	01
		5. Control your emotions and listen patiently	01
		<ul><li>6. Do not argue or criticize unnecessarily</li><li>7. Put the speaker at ease by your positive body language</li></ul>	01
		(Note: Students are expected to write any four techniques.)	01
		(Note: Students are expected to write any jour techniques.)	
	(iii)	What is a Posture? What kind of Posture would you follow during a	
		formal and an informal situation?	
		<b>Ans:</b> Posture refers to the way we stand, sit and carry ourselves. It tells	
		how bold, confident, submissive or timid a person is. A person, who	
		stands, sits and walks upright, commands respect and attention.	
		Therefore, a professional has to cultivate and maintain elegance in	
		his/her own sitting, standing and walking posture.	02
		Posture I would like to follow during formal presentation:	1/
		1. Do not droop the shoulders.  2. Lift the feet clearly off the floor while welling, evoid dregging them	1/ <sub>2</sub> 1/ <sub>2</sub>
		<ul><li>2. Lift the feet clearly off the floor while walking, avoid dragging them.</li><li>3. Do not sit on the edge of the chair as it communicates unease and</li></ul>	
		discomfort.	1/2
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		Posture I would like to follow during informal presentation: In informal communication, people are friendly and known to each other and most of the time, they do not pay attention on posture. (Note: Students are expected to write any two pints in 'Posture I would like to follow during formal presentation'.)	01
4.	a)	Attempt the following: Required an automobile engineer for TELCO plant in Pune. Write a job application in response to the same, to The Personnel Manager, Box No. 10, TELCO, 5th floor, one forbes, Dr. V.B. Gandhi Marg, Fort, Mumbai - 400 001. Attach your resume to the application. Ans: Required Format of Application Letter:	
		<ol> <li>Date</li> <li>Sender's Address</li> <li>Receiver's Address</li> <li>Subject and Reference</li> <li>Salutation</li> </ol>	Format: 2 Marks Matter:
		<ul><li>6. Relevant and Appropriate Matter</li><li>7. Closure</li><li>Required Format of Resume:</li><li>1. Personal Details</li></ul>	2 Marks
		<ul><li>2. Qualification Details</li><li>3. Other Activities/Training/Experience etc.</li><li>4. References</li></ul>	1 1 1
		Sample Draft: 14 November, 2018  Pushkar Sunil Shitole 575, Ghorpade Peth, Pune-411042	2 Marks
		To The Personnel Manager Box No. 10, TELCO, 5th floor One Forbes, Dr. V.B. Gandhi Marg, Fort Mumbai - 400 001.	for Format
		Subject: Application for the post of an automobile engineer for TELCO plant in Pune Reference: Your advertisement in daily 'Times of India' dated 12 November, 2018	

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						ould like to offer my	
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		Pune		nd USC from Moh	arachtra Roar	d with Distinction.	2 Marks for
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						osing my resume for	
			kind reference.		3	<i>C</i> ,	
		Than	iking you	and waiting	for your	favourable reply	
		You	rs faithfully,				
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		Encl	osure: Resume				
		Resu	ıme				
			kar Sunil Shitol				
			Ghorpade Peth,				
			e-411042				
	Mob.******						
		Ema	il ID:******	`			
			of Birth	: 12/06/1995			
		Heal		: Good	a <i>P</i>		
		Hobl		: Playing Hockey	, Singing, Dai	ncing	
			onality guages Known	: Indian	and English		01
		Lang	guages Known	: Marathi, Hindi	and English		U1
			cational Qualif	I			
		Sr.	Examination	Year of Passing	Board	Marks in %	
		No			/University		
		1	B.E.	2017	Pune		
			(Automobile			74.45%	
			Engineering)				
		2	H.S.C.	2013	Maharashtra	a 82.45%	
		3	S.S.C.	2011	Maharashtra	a 90.36%	01
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			Pune	· El	4.4.		
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4.		References:	
		1. Dr. S. D. Bhingare	
		Principal, College of Engineering, Pune	
		Contact: Mob.*******, Email ID:****	
		2. Mr. R. H. Kadam	
		HOD (Automobile Engineering),	
		College of Engineering, Pune	
		Contact: Mob.*******, Email ID:******	01
		(Note: Format & details of resume can vary. Students may write an application letter in semi block or indented format.)	
	<b>b</b> )	Attempt any ONE of the following:	(08)
	(i)	Draft an accident report on fire caused due to short circuit at an	L
		automobile factory.	
		Ans:	
		Required Format:	
		1. Date	1/2
		2. Sender's Address	1/2
		3. Receiver's Address	1/2
		4. Subject	1/2
		5. Salutation	1/2
		6. Relevant and Appropriate Matter	5
		7. Closure	1/2
		Sample Draft:	
		14 November, 2018	1/2
		From:	
		The Production Manager	
		Shyam Automobile Factory	
		Chakan MIDC,	
		Pune-412108	1/2
		То,	
		The General Manager	
		Shyam Automobile Factory	
		Chakan MIDC,	
		Pune-412108	1/2
		Subject: Report on the accident in the factory due to short circuit	1/2
		Sir,	1/2
		With reference to the above subject, I regret to inform you about the fire	,
		that took place in our factory on 12 <sup>th</sup> November, 2018 at 1.00 pm. One	
		worker was injured in this accident. The worker was immediately given	
		first aid by our resident doctor and later he was sent to the nearby	
		hospital as the wound was deep. Appropriate treatment was given by the	
		doctor. The worker was advised to take rest.	
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4.		<ol> <li>The following are the Findings/ Causes of the Accident:         <ol> <li>The fire broke out due to short circuit in the factory.</li> <li>As factory is situated on the ground floor, the numbers of rats are increased in the factory.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Rat nibbled the wire which results into cutting of the outer layer of the wire.</li> <li>When a worker switched on the machine, damaged wire caught fire due to short circuit.</li> </ol>	5 Marks
		Suggestions:  1. Action should be taken to prevent nibbling wires from rat.  2. High quality wire should be used in the factory.  3. Fire extinguishers should be kept in the factory.  4. Fire alarm system should be installed.	
		The above preventive measures should be implemented at the earliest to avoid any accident in the future.  This is for your information and necessary action.	
		Thanking you	
		Yours truly, The Production Manager	1/2
		(Note: Students may write the report in Semi Block format. Details may vary.)	
	(ii)	Amul Ice creams Ltd has a fall in production of ice - creams at the peak season. As a production manager prepare a report showing the causes for the fall in production. Suggest the remedies for the improvement.  Ans:	
		Required Format:  1. Date 2. Sender's Address 3. Receiver's Address 4. Subject 5. Salutation 6. Relevant and Appropriate Matter 7. Closure	1/ <sub>2</sub> 5 1/ <sub>2</sub>
		Sample Draft: 05 May, 2017	1/2
		From The Production Manager Amul Ice creams Ltd. MIDC Industrial Area Chakan, Pune -412109	1/2

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4.		To The General Manager Amul Ice creams Ltd. MIDC Industrial Area Chakan, Pune -412109  Subject: Report about the fall in production of ice-creams  Sir, I regret to inform you that our company, Amul Ice creams Ltd, has a fall in production of ice - creams at the peak season by 10 percent in April, 2017.  Causes/Reasons of the fall in production:  1. There was frequent power failure due to which the work could not proceed at the desired speed.  2. The generators could not be operated every time.  3. Raw materials were not provided in time.  4. Workers were not ready to work in more than one shift.  5. Due to low morale, most of the workers were on casual leave.  Suggestions to improve the production level:  1. We must have good quality generators/invertors for back up.  2. Purchase department should take extra efforts to provide raw material in time.  3. Workers can be motivated with extra incentives.  4. To boost up the morale of the workers management should come up with appreciation system.  If we follow the above mentioned suggestions, we can improve the production in our company.  This is for your information and necessary action.	5 Marks for Matter
		Thanking you	
		Yours truly, The Production Manager	1/2
		(Note: Students may write the report in Semi Block format. Details may vary.)	

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5.		Attempt any FOUR of the following:	(16)
	a)	Your friend is going to deliver a speech. Prepare a guideline for him	` ,
	,	/ her on the following factors. (i) Dressing and appearance (ii) Facial	
		expression and Eye contact. (iii) Gesture, Posture and Vocalics.	
		Ans: Following are the guideline:	
		(i) Dressing and appearance:	
		1. Wear well pressed/ironed dress.	
		2. Do not wear gaudy dress.	
		3. Appearance should be good- hair well combed, shoes properly	
		polished etc.	
		(ii) Facial expression and Eye contact:	
		1. Change facial expressions according to the situation.	
		2. Keep smile on the face while giving presentation.	
		3. Maintain eye contact while speaking with the audience.	
		(iii) Gesture, Posture and Vocalics:	
		1. Use gestures in accordance with verbal messages. For example, use	
		thumbs up sign to show appreciation or agreement; head movements to	
		reveal understanding, approval and agreement.	
		2. Use proper posture i.e. not drooping the shoulders, lifting the feet	
		clearly off the floor while walking, avoiding dragging them, avoiding	
		crossing the legs while sitting or standing before my audience.	
		3. Use voice modulation properly.	0.4
		4. Change style and tone of the voice as per the emotions.	04
		(Note: students are expected to write any eight correct points	
		(minimum two for each factor- i., ii., iii.). Guidelines may vary.)	
	<b>b</b> )	Explain the role of Proxemics and Chronemics in non verbal	
	D)	communication with an example each.	
		Ans: Role of Proxemics in non verbal communication: Proxemics is	
		the ethics pertaining to the distance maintained between sender and the	
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		receiver. It plays an important role in non verbal communication. For	
		example, in formal situations, it becomes important to understand and	
		respect the territories of other professionals and see to it that they never	
		feel intruded. If you stand too close to someone while speaking to them	
		in formal situations, they could resist your presence. Just as standing too	
		close to others may make them uncomfortable, in the same way standing	
		or sitting too far away may communicate lack of warmth and confidence.	
		The distance between the speaker and the listener depends	
		mainly on the environment and culture in which communication between	
		them takes place. If we are close to a person in thoughts; we keep very	0.4
		little distance from them.	01
		<b>Example:</b> The distance is less between two friends while communicating	0.1
		with each other. It shows intimacy or close relation between them.	01
		Role of Chronemics in non verbal communication:	
		Chronemics is related to our use of time. It is the ethics of proper use of	
		time to be observed for non verbal communication. It also plays an	
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5.		important role in non verbal coperceives and values time is a perceptions include punctuality, deals with the effective use of the personal and professional life reflexample: One can misuse time in not studying regularly and delay we do not wish to do somet unavoidable. Similarly, when	powerful communic willingness to wait and he time. Utilization of lects the influence of of like not completing the ring the submission of hing, we delay our we wish to convey	cation tool. Time nd interactions. It of our time in our our culture on us. ne project in time, of assignments. If action till it is our dislike or	01
		annoyance with a person, we meeting him. We find it difficult book or some money from us. On bathroom to greet a long lost frier (Note: Examples may vary.)	t to meet a friend who the other hand, we m	o has borrowed a	01
	c)	Differentiate between Active list Ans:	ening and Selective l	listening.	
		Active Listening  1. In active listening, the listener makes efforts to understand the message and fully participate in the communication process  2. In this listening, the barriers to listening are at minimum level and therefore effective listening takes place.	just physically present no conscious efforts participate in the process.  2. In this listening, listening are at his	g, the listener is nt and there are on his part to communication the barriers to gher level and	01
		receiver of the message shows regard for the speaker, concentrates on what is said, reacts positively to the verbal and nonverbal clues of the	for the speaker and n on what is said.	not show regard	01
		speaker by showing empathy.  4. In active listening, the listener remembers and recalls the message whenever required.	4. In passive listening inert or indifferent preoccupied with some The message is not a passive listener will position to remembe message in future.	something else. bsorbed and the	01
		5. Example: Students listen to the lecture attentively.	5. Example: The daydreams, don't pay		01

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5.	a) (i)	You ha environ density. (1) Ever (2) Decid (3) Herb (4) Thor	cany <u>ONE</u> of the following very visited Sahayadri in ment day. You found var prepare a pie chart for green trees / plants - 40° duous plants - 20% os - 25% cmy shrubs - 15%	nountarious t the san	rees / plants with		(08)		
		Ans:							
		Sr. No.	Name of trees /plants	%	Calculation	Angle/ degree			
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		2.	Deciduous plants	20	20 X 360 / 100	72.00°	for		
		3.	Herbs	25	25 X 360 / 100	90.00°	Calcu ation		
		4.	Thorny shrubs	15	15 X 360 / 100	54.00°	atioi		
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	(ii) Given below is the record of progress made by few industries in India. Draw a bar graph to represent the information.								
		Industries Production in Thousand Tonnes							
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			on and Steel	70	75	85			
			ment	75	80	90			
		(3) Co	al	60	70	80			

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5. Salutation

6. Relevant and Appropriate Matter7. Complementary Close

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		Dear Sir,		1/2
		With reference to the above subject, we would like to introduce electrical as one of the reputed electricals in Mumbai. We want be mentioned switch gears. We would like to know whether below ment switch gears available in your Company.	below	
		The details of switch gears:		
		Sr. Name of switch gears KV	<b>Qty</b>	
		Low Voltage Switch Gears     Less than 1 kV AC	75	05 mark
		2) Medium Voltage Switch Gears 1 kV AC to 75 kV AC	70	for
		3) High Voltage Switch Gears 75 kV AC to 230 kV AC	50	matter
		4) Extra High Voltage Switch Gears More than 230 kV AC	30	
		an order. Thanking you		
		Yours truly,		
		Sd/- Mr. Raj Sohni		
		Purchase Manager		1/2
		(Note: Students may write the letters in Semi Block or indented for Information/Details may vary.)	rmat.	
		OR As a purchase manager of an Industry, write a letter of complaisupply manager Saint Gobain glass, 10 M.G. Road, Pune - 5 about broken glass sheets that you have received. Complain about the quality of packaging. Also demand for the replacement of the brighass sheets. Ans:	ut the e low	
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		K. D. GLASS SUPPLIER	
		Shastri Nagar, Plot -52, Hadapsar, Pune-411028	01
		14 November, 2018	1/2
		То	
		The Supply Manager	
		Saint Gobain Glass,	
		10 M.G. Road, Pune - 5	01
		Your Reference: Your delivery challan no. SGG/Sale/128 dated 13 November, 2018	
		Subject: Complaint about the broken glass sheets	1/2
		Dear Sir,	1/2
		We appreciate your promptness in the timely execution of our order. However, after checking the received glass sheets, we found that 9 glass sheets were broken. We also found that the quality of packaging was very low.  We request you to kindly replace these 9 glass sheets with new ones at the earliest with good packaging and also arrange for the broken glass sheets are to be taken back at your cost.  We are sure that you will attend our claim within a week so that we are	04 mark for matter
		not further inconvenienced.  Yours sincerely, Sd/- Mr. Sudhir Sharma Purchase Manager  (Note: Students may write the letters in Semi Block or indented format. Information/Details may vary.)	1/2

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