

**CERTIFICATE IN THE TEACHING OF
ENGLISH (CTE)**

Term-End Examination

December, 2024

CTE-02 : THE STRUCTURE OF ENGLISH

Time : 2 Hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : (i) *Attempt all questions.*

(ii) *All questions carry equal marks.*

1. (a) Compare and contrast English as a foreign language with English as a second language. 10

(b) Discuss the uses and functions of English in India. 10

2. Write short notes on any **two** of the following :

10+10=20

(a) Cohesion

(b) Types of Questions

(c) Dialect and Register

3. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : 4×5=20

- (a) Negation
- (b) Intonation
- (c) Speech Act
- (d) Ellipsis
- (e) Socio-linguistics

4. (a) Identify the root, prefix and suffix in the following words : 5

- (i) Multicultural
- (ii) Discomfort
- (iii) Irresponsible
- (iv) Unwanted
- (v) Nonsense

- (b) Write the comparative and superlative form of the following words : 5

- (i) Attractive
- (ii) Funny
- (iii) Wet
- (iv) Cheap
- (v) Bad

- (c) Give the plural form of the following words : 5

- (i) Clutch
- (ii) Baby
- (iii) Copy
- (iv) Half
- (v) Fly

- (d) Given below are some answers. Form wh-questions corresponding to the underlined words therein ? 5

- (i) Mr. Robertson came to the party alone.
- (ii) Shobha learns piano at the university.
- (iii) This is his jacket.
- (iv) They are singing popular songs.
- (v) My sister called on her friend yesterday.

5. (a) Mark the primary stress in the following words : 5

- (i) apart
- (ii) miserable
- (iii) define
- (iv) alternative
- (v) academic

- (b) Rewrite the sentences making correction wherever necessary : 5
- (i) I felt good mood today.
 - (ii) It was my first time to go abroad.
 - (iii) I do anything I can for you.
 - (iv) There is a stranger knock at the door.
 - (v) It happened a few minutes before.
- (c) Add question tags to the following : 5
- (i) Aliva likes playing tennis, ?
 - (ii) Sophia didn't go to school yesterday, ?
 - (iii) John can make his own decision, ?
 - (iv) Let's go to the gym, ?
 - (v) He never plays computer games, ?
- (d) Combine the following pairs of sentences as directed : 5
- (i) Tom completed his homework. He put in his binder. (Compound Sentence)
 - (ii) Harish mowed the lawn. He earned a hundred dollars. (Compound Sentence)
 - (iii) I didn't go to the meeting because I was sick. (Simple Sentence)
 - (iv) He worked hard day and night. He did not wish to fail. (Complex Sentence)
 - (v) Their progress was slow. They were tired. (Complex Sentence)

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