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**FACULTY OF ARTS**

**B.A. (First Year) (First Semester) EXAMINATION**

**MARCH/APRIL, 2019**

**FUNCTIONAL ENGLISH**

**Paper I**

**(Introduction to Phonetics)**

**(MCQ+Theory)**

**(Saturday, 20-4-2019)**

**Time : 10.00 a.m. to 12.00 noon**

*Time—2 Hours*

*Maximum Marks—40*

*N.B. :— (i) All questions are compulsory.*

*(ii) All questions carry equal marks.*

**(MCQ)**

1. Attempt the following Multiple Choice Questions : 10

- (i) We need air stream mechanism for the .....
- (A) Digestion process (B) Production of speech  
(C) Blood circulation (D) None of these

- (ii) Find the odd one out :
- (A) /u:/ (B) /ɪ/  
(C) /β:/ (D) /d/

- (iii) The syllable structure of 'Play' is .....
- (A) CVC (B) CV  
(C) CCV (D) CCCV

- (iv) Diphthong is a .....
- (A) Vowel glides or mixed vowel  
(B) Pure vowel sound  
(C) Pure consonant sound  
(D) None of the above

P.T.O.

- (v) The number of plosives in English is .....
- (A) 9 (B) 6  
(C) 12 (D) 5
- (vi) “The smallest unit of word” is called .....
- (A) Allophone (B) Morpheme  
(C) Phoneme (D) Syllable
- (vii) The nucleus of the syllable is .....
- (A) Phoneme (B) Consonant  
(C) Diphthong (D) Vowel
- (viii) Find the odd one out :
- (A) Vocal cord (B) Lips  
(C) Legs (D) Tongue
- (ix) The total number of sounds in English is .....
- (A) 44 (B) 12  
(C) 20 (D) 9
- (x) What is the full form of IPA ?
- (A) Indian Phonetic Alphabet  
(B) International Phonetic Alphabet  
(C) International Phonetic Agreement  
(D) Indian Phonetic Alphabet

**(Theory)**

2. (a) Give *three* term description of the following sounds (any *five*) : 10

(i) | d/

(ii) | ʒ:/

(iii) 111

(iv) 1431

(v) 151

(vi) 1w1

(vii) 111

(b) Identify the IPA symbols (any *five*) : 5

- (i) Voiceless alveolar fricative
- (ii) Unrounded front close vowel
- (iii) Voiced bilabial nasal
- (iv) Voiced palatal semi-vowel
- (v) Front unrounded vowel just below the half open position
- (vi) Voiceless labio-dental fricative.
- (vii) Voiceless bilabial plosive.

3. (a) Write on any *one* of the following : 5

- (i) Dental fricatives
- (ii) Semi-vowels.

(b) Write on any *one* of the following : 5

- (i) Back vowels
- (ii) Fricatives in English.

P.T.O.

4. (a) Show the syllable division and CVC structures in the following words

(any *five*) :

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(i) Brotherhood

(ii) Attendance

(iii) Confidential

(iv) Ability

(v) Politics

(vi) Translate

(vii) Lovely.

(b) Write short notes on any *one* of the following :

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(i) Phoneme

(ii) Stop consonants.