

NOVEMBER/DECEMBER 2020

BSEN56 — CONVERSATIONAL ENGLISH

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 75 marks

SECTION A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer ALL the questions.

1. Mention two patterns for greeting.
2. Give two phrases for introducing.
3. Write two expressions for ending a conversation.
4. Mention two patterns for apologising.
5. Give two phrases for checking that you have understood.
6. Write two expressions for asking for information.
7. Mention two patterns for railway enquiry.
8. Give two patterns for looking for accommodation.
9. Write two expressions for asking about a course.
10. Mention two patterns for an interview.

SECTION B — ($5 \times 5 = 25$ marks)

Answer ALL the questions.

11. (a) Give tips for making requests.

Or

- (b) Give tips for seeking permission.

12. (a) What phrases do we use to express sympathy?

Or

- (b) How do we start a conversation with a stranger?

13. (a) Write a short conversation in the context of 'asking for information'.

Or

- (b) Write a short conversation using the pattern 'asking for someone to say something again'.

14. (a) Write a short conversation in the context: at the Doctors.

Or

- (b) Write a short conversation in the context: at the Bank.

15. (a) Write a short conversation in the context:
selling a product.

Or

- (b) Write a short conversation in the context:
invitation to a party.

SECTION C — ($3 \times 10 = 30$ marks)

Answer any THREE questions.

16. Write a conversation in the following context:
persuading someone to do some work
17. Write a conversation in the following context:
complaining about the poor service rendered by
the executives.
18. Write a conversation in the following context:
asking for information about a new product.
19. Write a conversation in the following context:
enquiry about the train schedule and seat
availability in a railway station.
20. Write a conversation in the following context:
seeking admission in a school.