

Acharya Nagarjuna University
English Praxis Course-III
A Course in Conversational Skills
Model Question Paper

Time: 3Hrs

Max.Marks:75

- I. **Answer any Three of the following questions** **3x5=15 M**
- a. What was the pledge that Jawaharlal Nehru wanted every citizen of India to take?
 - b. What does Barack Obama say about his victory in the American presidential election?
 - c. How did Steve Jobs keep himself going after getting fired from Apple?
 - d. Why do you think did Jawaharlal Nehru describe the achievement of freedom as a fateful moment for India and for the world?
 - e. What was the message given by Steve Jobs in his speech “You’ve Got to Find What You Love”
- II. **Answer any Three of the following questions** **3x5=15M**
- a. What was the lesson about leadership that Abdul Kalam learnt from Prof. Satish Dhawan?
 - b. Why did Nelson Mandela say that prison was not a waste and he used the time?
 - c. What were the major changes in Indian business that were noticed by J.R.D. Tata?
 - d. How does Dr. A.P.J. Abdul Kalam plan for an energy independent India?
 - e. What was J.R.D. Tata’s opinion about G.D. Birla?
- III. Imagine a situation where you have met a popular Sports Star. Construct a dialogue of greeting each other. **3M**
- IV. How do you introduce your best friend to your brother? (Write a dialogue) **2M**
- V. You have some difficulty with English grammar. Make a request to your English teacher asking him/her to help you. (Use Polite forms to find his/her convenience of time and place) **5M**
- VI. Seek information from the Online Help Desk about the Academic programmes /courses offered in your college. Be sure to ask about the fee structure, hostel facility and scholarship. (Write FIVE questions) **5M**
- VII. Agree with your friend, Ashok who is discussing the merits of Government Colleges
- Ashok: I think it’s good to join Degree in a Government College.
- You : -----
- Ashok: We can have highly qualified and experienced faculty there
- You: -----
- Ashok: Don’t you think we can have time for games and other hobbies?

You: -----

Ashok: What a pity! Parents are more interested in admitting their children in Corporate Colleges.

You: -----

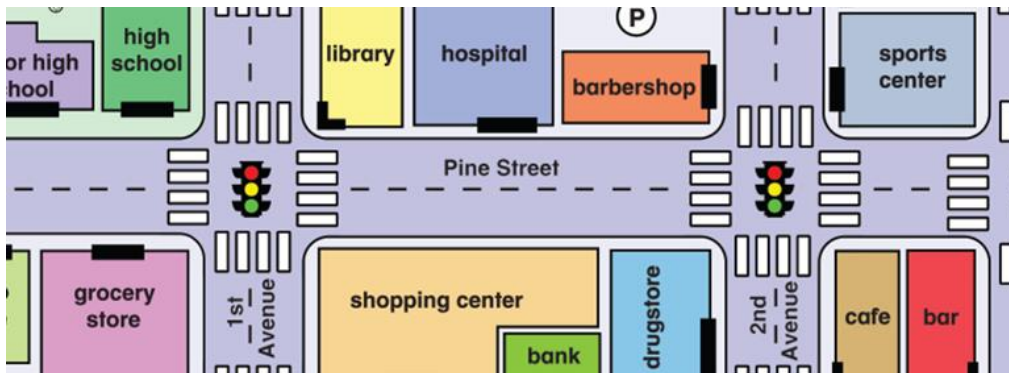
Shall we meet Principal of the Government College?

You: -----

5M

VIII. Construct a dialogue between two friends discussing their evening program. 5M

IX. With the help of the diagram given below direct a foreigner who is at the grocery store to reach the 2nd Avenue. 5M



X. List any **four Debate points** to support the topic given below
“Plastic covers should be banned by the Government”.

5M

XI. With the help of the hints given below, describe a family function you have attended.

5M

An important Occasion-meeting friends and relatives- great joy-decoration- putting on one's best clothes- dance-

XII. Plan a role-play between a Principal and a Parent asking him/her to take care of his child's attendance.

5M
