

PSG COLLEGE OF ARTS & SCIENCE
(AUTONOMOUS)
BA DEGREE EXAMINATION DECEMBER 2024
(Fifth Semester)
Branch – **ENGLISH**

ENGLISH LANGUAGE TEACHING

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 50 Marks

SECTION-A (5 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** marks (5 x 1 = 5)

1. Which teaching methodology emphasises student-centered learning and authentic materials?
i) Grammar-Translation Method ii) Communicative Language Teaching
iii) Audio-Lingual Method iv) Task-Based Learning
2. Which approach involves presenting students with examples and having them infer rules?
i) Deductive ii) Inductive iii) Analytic iv) Synthetic
3. Which technique involves teaching vocabulary in context?
i) Definition matching ii) Word lists
iii) Semantic mapping iv) Reading comprehension
4. What is the primary benefit of using videos in ELT?
i) Improved reading skills ii) Enhanced vocabulary
iii) Increased cultural awareness iv) Better listening comprehension
5. Which characteristic ensures consistent test results?
i) Validity ii) Reliability
iii) Authenticity iv) Practicality

SECTION - B (15 Marks)

Answer **ALL** Questions

ALL Questions Carry **EQUAL** Marks (5 x 3 = 15)

6. a) Elaborate - "Language is skill oriented".
OR
b) Write a short note on the utilitarian value of English in the modern context.
7. a) Bring out the features of the Direct Method.
OR
b) Distinguish the merits and demerits of Inductive and Deductive Methods.
8. a) What is the aim of Intensive and Extensive readers?
OR
b) Explain the techniques in teaching a new vocabulary.
9. a) What is modern teaching aid and how does it help to learn a language?
OR
b) List out some social media and its uses.
10. a) Discuss the types of questions.
OR
b) Enumerate the criteria of preparing a good lesson plan.

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SECTION -C (30 Marks)

Answer **ALL** questions

ALL questions carry **EQUAL** Marks

(5 x 6 = 30)

11. a) Write an essay on the differences between learning a mother tongue and a foreign language.

OR

- b) Explain the principles of language learning and teaching.

12. a) Define Grammar- Translation method and explain its merits and demerits.

OR

- b) Illustrate the features of structural and situational approach.

13. a) Enumerate the abilities of a skilled reader.

OR

- b) Describe the objectives behind and techniques of teaching poetry.

14. a) Explain the features of Audio-visual aids in language learning.

OR

- b) Discuss the uses of online and digital applications in language teaching.

15. a) Explicate the merits and demerits of objective questions.

OR

- b) Bring out the importance and characteristics of a good test.

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