

**B.Tech. Civil (Construction Management) /
(BTCLEVI)**

Term-End Examination

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December, 2016

**ET-521(A) : PLANNING AND CONSTRUCTION OF
BUILDINGS**

Time : 3 hours

Maximum Marks : 70

*Note : Attempt any **five** questions. All questions carry equal marks. Use of calculator is allowed.*

1. A plot of land measuring 12 m × 24 m has the front road 8.50 m wide facing North. Service lane is on the rear, measuring 4.50 m.
Prepare a suitable plan of a 2-bedroom residential building as per local municipality bye-laws as maximum covered area to be 70% of the total plot area with minimum set back of 3 m in front and 3 m on the rear of the house. 14

2. (a) Describe briefly the various steps involved in the planning process of a building. 7
(b) Explain the different classifications of materials with regard to their resistance to fire. 7

3. (a) A stair is to be located for an office building in a staircase hall measuring 4.55×5.2 m. The vertical distance between the floors is 4 m. Draw a dimensioned plan of the proposed stair. Explain the design principles also. 10
- (b) Draw typical sketches, with dimension and labelling, for a column footing. 4
4. (a) Describe the purpose of providing bonds in brick-work. 6
- (b) Explain various points considered for deciding the locations of doors in a room. Draw a neat sketch of a door frame. 8
5. (a) Explain the importance of ventilation in a building. What are the different types of ventilators? 7
- (b) Explain the different types of pavings used in a courtyard. Support your answer with neat sketches. 7
6. (a) Describe briefly the Rural Sanitary Latrine giving a neat sketch. 6
- (b) Explain the different materials used to clad the external walls of any building. What are the components of oil based paints? 8

7. (a) Discuss the influence of orientation of a building on thermal comfort. What are the different kinds of thermal insulation ? 8
- (b) Explain Acoustic Insulation. What are various acoustic materials used and how are they painted ? 6
8. Write short notes on any *four* of the following : $4 \times 3 \frac{1}{2} = 14$
- (a) English and Flemish Bond
 - (b) Battened and Ledged Doors
 - (c) Reinforced Brick Masonry
 - (d) Raft Foundation
 - (e) Hinged and Pivoted Window
 - (f) Classification of Buildings
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