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**BACHELOR'S DEGREE PROGRAMME**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2012**

**ELECTIVE COURSE : ENGLISH**

**EEG-03 : COMMUNICATION SKILLS IN ENGLISH**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

*Note : Answer any five of the following questions in your own words as far as practicable.*

1. You and your family are planning a holiday in a city of your choice. Write a letter to the Information Officer , Tourism Department in the state seeking information on : 20
  - (a) the particular places you want to visit
  - (b) booking of accommodation
  - (c) tariffs
  - (d) convenient mode of travel, etc.
  
2. State the difference in the styles of epideictic, deliberative and forensic rhetoric. Write a brief speech introducing and welcoming *one* of the following before a public gathering : 7+13
  - (a) Sh. Anna Hazare
  - (b) Swami Agnivesh
  - (c) Ms. Medha Patkar
  - (d) Ms. Arundhati Roy

3. (a) Identify the fallacies in the following statements : 10
- (i) Globalization is nothing but a plan for colonization.
  - (ii) If you don't do well in this examination your life will be ruined.
  - (iii) SG is a star cricketer. He drinks Finka. So Finka must be the best drink.
  - (iv) Thanks to all your prayers, our child recovered from her brief illness.
  - (v) You are either with us or against us in our battle against our enemy.
- (b) Restate the argument in one of the above statements more convincingly and, develop it in a short paragraph of your own. 10
4. Compare and contrast the transmission of news on the television with reports in the newspapers. Which one satisfies you more ? Give reasons for your preference. 20
5. What visual and aural resources can documentaries and features depend on ? How does a feature differ from a documentary? 20
6. Describe some techniques of lateral thinking (random stimulation , etc.) 20
7. Write a piece of conversation between yourself and a friend who has invited you for dinner tonight. 20