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B.Ed. DEGREE EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2010

(For the candidates admitted during the academic year
2009–2010)

Optional Course : ENGLISH PAPER – II

Time : 3 hours

Maximum marks : 80

PART A — (10 × 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions.

Each answer should not exceed 50 words.

Each answer carries 2 marks.

1. Define vowel glide.
2. Differentiate vowels from consonants.
3. What are fricatives?
4. What are nasal sounds?
5. Define allophones.
6. Differentiate role play from dramatisation.
7. Illustrate noun phrase.
8. Define intonation.
9. Define skimming.
10. What is eye span?
11. Illustrate question forms.
12. How will you express "probability" in English?

Each answer should not exceed 200 words.

Each answer carries 5 marks.

13. Differentiate "controlled" composition from "guided" composition.
14. What are reference and study skills?
15. Illustrate any two language games.
16. Illustrate prepositional phrase.
17. What is cohesion?
18. Differentiate active vocabulary from passive vocabulary.
19. Differentiate phoneme from allophone.
20. Differentiate word stress from sentence stress.

PART C — (2 × 15 = 30 marks)

Answer BOTH the questions.

Each answer should not exceed 600 words.

Each answer carries 15 marks.

21. (a) Write an essay on teaching composition.

Or

- (b) Classify the vowels according to their manner of articulation.

22. (a) Discuss word formation in English.

Or

- (b) How are the various concepts expressed in English?