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# **B A DEGREE (CBCS)EXAMINATION, DECEMBER 2018**

### **First Semester**

B.A Mass Communication and Journalism Model I

# Complementary Course - MC1CMT05 - FOUNDATIONS OF MASS MEDIA

2017 Admission (Reappearance)

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Maximum Marks: 80 Time: 3 Hours

### Part A

Answer any ten questions.

Each question carries 2 marks.

- 1. Identify the role of gatekeeper in communication.
- 2. List the elements of communication process.
- 3. Define 'credibility' in journalism.
- 4. Define mass media.
- 5. Define the role of Prasar Bharati.
- 6. Define digital divide.
- 7. Define media audience.
- 8. Define 'sahridhaya bhava'.
- 9. Define catharsis.
- 10. Define the role of gate keepers in information flow.
- 11. Define freedom of press.
- 12. Explain linguistic barrier in comunication.

 $(10 \times 2 = 20)$ 

## Part B

Answer any **six** questions.

Each question carries 5 marks.

- 13. Discuss the various non verbal means of communication.
- 14. Explain the Lassewell's model of communication.
- 15. Describe the concept of paid news affecting the objectivity in reporting.



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- 16. List any four FM radio channels operating in India.
- 17. Describe the core concept of cultivation theory.
- 18. Discuss aggressive cues theory.
- 19. Discuss the impact of globalization.
- 20. Make a note on the Authoritarian theory.
- 21. Discuss the functions of language.

 $(6 \times 5 = 30)$ 

### Part C

Answer any **two** questions.

Each question carries 15 marks.

- 22. Discuss the concept of framing with respect to Indian TV channels.
- 23. List the techological updations in media industry especially new media.
- 24. Make a critical account on the status of mass media in India.
- 25. Discuss the normative theories of press.

(2×15=30)

