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Course	: Effective Technical Communication	Code	: ENG 1004
Faculty	: Dr. Vinod Bhatt	Slot/Class No.	: A23/0195
Time	: 1½ hours	Max. Marks	: 50

Answer all the Questions

Q. No.	Question Description	Marks
1	<p>Do as directed-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. Savoury- Synonymsb. Tranquil- Synonymsc. Hotbox- Synonymsd. Tumultuous- Synonymse. Mediocre- Antonymsf. Prudent- Antonymsg. Lethargic- Antonymsh. A series of stars- One word substitutei. Spoken or done without preparation- One word substitutej. A thing that is fit to be eaten- One word substitute	10
2	<p>Using the words in parentheses, complete the text below with the appropriate tenses</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">a. In the last hundred years, traveling (become) much easier and very comfortable. In the 19th century, it (take)..... two or three months to cross North America by covered wagon. The trip (be)very rough and often dangerous. Things (change)a great deal in the last hundred and fifty years. Now you can fly from New York to Los Angeles in a matter of hours.b. Joseph's English (improve, really), isn't it? He (watch)American television programs and (study) his grammar every day since he first arrived in San Diego. Soon he will be totally fluent.c. I (have)the same car for more than ten years. I'm thinking about buying a new one.d. They (call)librarians.	10

	e. You look really great! (you, work)out at the fitness centre recently?	
3	<p>Complete the following exercise with a / an or the articles. Put "x" where no article is needed.</p> <p>a. I bought pair of shoes.</p> <p>b. India is one of ___ most industrial countries in Asia.</p> <p>c. He is ____ honour to this profession.</p> <p>d. I sawmovie last night.</p> <p>e. They are staying athotel.</p> <p>f. Do you see ____ blue sky?</p> <p>g. If you see him, give him ____ message.</p> <p>h. The guide knows ____ way.</p> <p>i. Let us discuss ___ matter seriously.</p> <p>j. Man, thou art ____ wonderful animal.</p>	10
4	<p>“Nonverbal communication is important because it gives us valuable information about a situation including how a person might be feeling, how someone receives information and how to approach a person or group of people.” Describe the significance of non-verbal communication with reference to the above given sentence.</p>	10
5	<p>“While some people may use the words hearing and listening as synonyms, there’s nuance between hearing vs. listening.” Elaborate the difference between listening and hearing.</p>	10