LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.SC. & B.Com. DEGREE EXAMINATION - VISUAL COMMUN. & COMMERCE

FOURTH SEMESTER - APRIL 2016

EL 4203 - BUSINESS COMMUNICATION

Date: 27-04-2016	Dept. No.	Max.: 100 Marks
Time: 09:00-12:00	_	

SECTION-A

I. Answer any FIVE of the following questions in about 75 words each:

 $5 \times 6 = 30$

- 1. Highlight the qualities of Conventional and Lateral Leaders.
- 2. 'The rules of good manners are the traffic lights of human interaction'. Comment.
- 3. What's your best ice breaker when meeting someone new?
- 4. How to improve communication between Superiors & Subordinates?
- 5. Why is proofreading so important? What do you look for when you proofread your work?
- 6. Bring out the difference between Stress and Intonation.
- 7. Prepare a notice to be displayed to the students to explain the importance of voting.
- 8. Describe the features of signposting with examples.

SECTION-B

II. Attempt any FOUR of the following in 150 words each:

4x 10 = 40

- 9. Explain the importance of 7cs of communication in business contexts.
- 10. Describe different types of interviews and its Do's and Don'ts, before, during and after an interview.
- 11. Draft the memo to your boss addressing on Workplace Stress.
- 12. Loyola College, Chennai is organizing a Cultural Exchange Trip to Spain during winter break in order to exchange student's exposure to the culture and heritage of Spain. 20 % of the travel and food expenses will be done by college on behalf of principal of your college. Draft a circular to be sent to the parents giving the information or details about the exchange trip. Invent other details.
- 13. Elaborate the principles of clear and effective of four major formal communicative skills in Business Communication in English.
- 14. Illustrate the significance of Telephone Etiquettes and different phone call situations with examples.

SECTION-C

III. Answer any TWO of the following application-oriented questions (Word limit :250 words or 2 pages):

 $2 \times 15 = 30$

- 15. What are the steps required for Report Writing? Imagine you are the social writer. Write a report on the biggest challenges to reduce influence of money power on voting in forthcoming elections.
- 16. Elucidate the comprehend information about an interview, its types and methods of success.
- 17. Construct a Group Discussion among five interviewees on 'what makes 2016 State General Elections different from previous electoral battles'? (Write it in a dialogue format).
- 18. Prepare your effective resume with a cover letter to apply for the post of wildlife photographer in IFAW (NTERNATIONAL FUND FOR ANIMAL WELFARE).
