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U.G.DEGREE EXAMINATION - ALLIED

FIRST SEMESTER - APRIL 2019

16/17/18UEL1AL02/ EL 2101 - WRITING FOR MEDIA

Date: 05 01 2015 Dept. 110.	Date: 09-04-2019	Dept. No.	Max. : 100 Mark
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Time: 01:00-04:00

PART A

I. Answer any SIX questions in about 75 words:

(6x5=30)

- 1. What are advertisements? Mention any two of your favourite advertisements.
- 2. Define USP. Why is it important for marketing a product?
- 3. Write a note on Body copy.
- 4. What is AIDA principle.
- 5. How is an advertorial different from an Editorial?
- 6. How will you write good headlines? Mention three rules for writing them.
- 7. What is a feature story? Mention two examples.
- 8. Define proofreading using examples. Why is it important?

PART B

II. Answer any FOUR of the following in about 150 words:

(4x10=40)

- 9. Explain product/service advertising with examples.
- 10. Describe the importance of media in the contemporary society
- 11. Discuss the different types of advertising with examples.
- 12. Explain the Inverted Pyramid Structure of News Writing with the help of a diagram.
- 13. Discuss hard news and soft news. Give examples of news that you have read, heard or seen.
- 14. What do you understand by 'leads' and 'snippets' in news stories? Write 'a snippet' and 'a lead' of a news article and supply it with a suitable title.

PART C

III. Answer any TWO of the following questions:

(2x15=30)

- 15. Create an advertisement for a brand of mobile phone with a winning headline, catchy logo, precise body copy and memorable by line.
- 16. Analyse a film using the Syd Field paradigm.
- 17. Attempt a film review of a recent film.
- 18. Imagine you are a journalist for a reputed newspaper. Write a feature story of a soldier who lost his life in the Pulwama Attack.
 - 19. Write a letter to the Editor and share your views about the Gaja Cyclone in Tamil Nadu.

