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**Pedagogic Course: EMERGING TRENDS IN ENGLISH
EDUCATION**

Course code: BED4PC013

Time: 3 Hours

Maximum Marks: 70

SECTION A (10 x 1 = 10 marks)

Answer ALL the questions by selecting the appropriate answers.

1. The primary purpose of ICT-enabled techniques in English teaching is
 - a) Reducing teaching hours
 - b) Enhancing interaction and engagement
 - c) Replacing traditional teaching methods
 - d) Eliminating textbooks
2. Identify from the following that is not an example of techno-pedagogy
 - a) Mobile learning
 - b) Virtual learning
 - c) Blended learning
 - d) Traditional chalkboard teaching
3. The primary aim of teaching literature in schools is
 - a) To develop analytical and creative skills
 - b) To improve handwriting
 - c) To memorize facts
 - d) To avoid using technology
4. Virtual learning refers to:
 - a) Memorization-based learning
 - b) Physical classroom learning
 - c) Learning through digital platforms
 - d) Traditional teaching methods
5. NLP is associated with
 - a) Georgi Lozanov
 - b) Richard Bandler
 - c) May Dillon
 - d) Sam Fevert
6. An incorrect assumption in language teaching is
 - a) Language teaching should give importance to writing rather than speaking.
 - b) Learners' first language plays an important role in learning.
 - c) Learners acquire knowledge by trying to use in real situations.
 - d) Language teaching should have a focus in communicative activities.
7. The role of a teacher that has become outdated today is
 - a) Lecturer
 - b) Mentor
 - c) Facilitator
 - d) Scaffolder

8. Magazines are considered valuable resources in English language classrooms because
 - a) They contain only complex texts suitable for advanced learners
 - b) They provide colorful visuals and diverse topics that engage learners and enhance language skills
 - c) They focus exclusively on outdated content, limiting relevance to current events
 - d) They are primarily used for teaching mathematical concepts
9. An example of a Vocabulary game is
 - a) Roll a Sentence
 - b) Funny Flips
 - c) Hangman
 - d) Simon Says
10. The film which is an adaption of a literary text
 - a) Jane Eyre
 - b) Titanic
 - c) Daffodils
 - d) Emily Bronte

SECTION B (10 x 2 = 20 marks)

Answer any TEN questions in about 50 words each.

11. List any four sites that provide English teaching resources for free use.
12. State any four qualities of an English teacher.
13. How do newspapers and radio transform the way of teaching and learning English?
14. 'Online grammar games not only make learning enjoyable but enhance understanding, retention, and application of grammatical concepts, leading to improved language proficiency'-Justify.
15. Does the radio still have significance in the language learning process? Why?
16. Enumerate the benefits of audio podcasts in enhancing learning experiences.
17. How does techno-pedagogic knowledge empower English teachers?
18. Examine how mobile learning ensures continuous and flexible learning?
19. How does blogging aid in language acquisition?
20. What is copywriting and what are the skills required for it?
21. Identify the role of discussion forums like Quora in English learning.
22. List the soft skills that an English teacher would require today?

SECTION C (4 x 5 = 20 marks)

Answer any FOUR questions in about 200 words each.

23. Differentiate among descriptive, narrative and expository text types.
24. What is Neuro-Linguistic Programming (NLP) and how does it work?
25. Analyse translation as a creative activity.

26. How does blended learning enhance English language teaching?
27. How can language be utilized as a creative tool?
28. State the benefits of content curation networks in education.

SECTION D (2 x 10 = 20 marks)

Answer BOTH the questions in about 500 words each.

29. a) Examine the necessity and significance of including literature in the school curriculum

(or)

b) Explain in detail the inter-relationship between content, pedagogic, and technological knowledge in English teaching and discuss its implications on effective classroom practice.

30. a) Critically analyze the impact of social media on English language teaching and discuss the challenges and advantages of integrating it into English language teaching.

(or)

b) Evaluate the role of professional development for English teachers. What essential skills are to be prioritized in a professional development programme for English teachers?

