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SECOND SEMESTER INTEGRATED M.C.A DEGREE EXAMINATION (S), SEPT 2022**(2020 SCHEME)****Course Code: 20IMCAT102****Course Name: Technical Communication****Max. Marks: 60****Duration: 3 Hours****PART A***(Answer all questions. Each question carries 3 marks)*

1. What is a narrative paragraph?
2. What is the SQ3R method?
3. Convert the following sentences into indirect speech
 - a) "I am writing a test paper now."
 - b) "I took a leave yesterday."
 - c) "We will go to Canada next year"
4. Explain acronyms with examples.
5. Frame question sentences to get the following answers.
 - a) Nobody called you.
 - b) It is raining right now.
 - c) It is a cat, not a dog!
6. Match appropriate words from List A with List B to form compound words
 - a) Match, Book, Shop, flash, head, light
 - b) Mark, Box, phone, Keeper, card, weight
7. What is Received Pronunciation?
8. Minimising subvocalization improves reading speed, but worsens comprehension. Argue for or against this statement.
9. Use the correct homophones in the following sentences
 - a) The cat sits in the window and _____(stairs/stares) at the squirrel
 - b) The man had four _____ (heirs/hairs)
 - c) You need to take a _____ (break/brake)
10. What is critical reading ?

PART B*(Answer one full question from each module, each question carries 6 marks)***MODULE I**

11. Explain the various sources of information in the text that helps in reading. (6)

OR

12. Prepare a role play between a teacher and a habitual latecomer to class. (6)

MODULE II

13. What are the characteristics of an inefficient reader? (6)

OR

14 Write out a telephone conversation between a doctor and an elderly patient. (6)

MODULE III

15 What are the barriers to effective speaking? (6)

OR

16 Write a review of a movie you disliked. (6)

MODULE IV

17 Showcase the similarities between Critical Listening and Critical Reading methods. (6)

OR

18 Write a report on the carelessness among people while following Covid Protocols in public places. (6)

MODULE V

19 Draft a professional email introducing a newly joined employee to the rest of the company. (6)

OR

20 What are three basic listening models? (6)
