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## SECOND SEMESTER B.A. DEGREE (SUPPLEMENTARY/ IMPROVEMENT) EXAMINATION, APRIL/MAY 2015

(UG-CCSS)

Core Course - Mass Communication

MC II B 02 – FUNDAMENTALS OF MASS COMMUNICATION

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

## Part A

Answer any twelve questions not exceeding 50 words.

Each question carries 1 weightage.

- 1. Denotation.
- 3. Folk media.
- 5. Semiotics.
- 7. Form.
- 9. Agenda setting.
- 11. Genre.
- 13. Media literacy.
- 15. Hero workship.

- 2. Empathy.
- 4. Elite culture.
- 6. Channel Noise.
- 8. Hegemony.
- 10. Reflex effect.
- 12. Sub culture.
- 14. Bourgeoisie.
- 16. Opinion leaders.

 $(12 \times 1 = 12 \text{ weightage})$ 

## Part B

Answer any **five** questions not exceeding 150 words.

Each question carries 2 weightage.

- 17. "Language is an effective means of communication" Explain.
- 18. What are the different forms of communication?
- 19. Brief the history of radio broadcasting in India.
- 20. Brief about 'audience as market'.
- 21. Explain Aristotle's model of communication.
- 22. What do you mean by media convergence?
- 23. What do you mean by popular culture?
- 24. What do you mean by interactive media?

 $(5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ weightage})$ 

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## Part C

Answer any two questions not exceeding 450 words.

Each question carries 4 weightage.

- 25. Examine how new communication technologies prove the concept of 'Global Village'.
- 26. Enumerate on the impact of mass media in our daily lives.
- 27. Discuss the communication models of Wilbur Schramm and Shannon Weaver.
- 28. Internet is both a medium of interpersonal and mass communication. How?

 $(2 \times 4 = 8 \text{ weightage})$