Syllabus for the post of Lecturer in English Government Polytechnics, Group - A

Steps of Exam: Written Exam - 200 Marks Interview - 50 Marks

Level: - Degree No. of Questions: - 100

Medium: English No. of Marks: - 200

Nature of Paper - Objective Type Duration: - 1 hour

Final merit list will be prepared by considering the marks obtained in Written test & Interview.

SYLLABUS

I) Common Vocabulary

- 1 Synonymous
- 2 Antonyms
- 3 One word for a phrase
- 4 A Phrase for one word
- 5 One word having different meaning (Polysemy)
- 6 Word Formation
- Words which are pronounced alike but have different meanings (Homonyms)
- 8 Words which are written alike but pronounced differently (Homographs)
- 9 Use of common (active) vocabulary in sentences
- 10 Words commonly mis-spelt

II) Sentence structure

- 1 Types of sentences
- 2 Types of clauses
- 3 Transformation of sentences
- A clause to be replaced by a phrase; and a phrase to be replaced by a clause
- 5 Comparisons
- 6 Conditional sentences
- 7 Direct / Indirect speech
- 8 The uses of cohesive devices / sentence connectors.
- 9 Types of question
- 10 Ordering/Meaningful sequencing of words in sentences

III) Grammar

- 1 A detailed study of parts of speech
- 2 The use of modal auxiliaries
- 3 The use of Tense forms
- 4 Mood
- 5 Agreement of subject, pronoun, verb
- 6 Sentence corrections / spotting (detecting) common grammatical errors.
- 7 Punctuation

IV) Idioms and phrases

- 1 Meaning
- 2 Appropriate contextual use.

V) Comprehension of passage
