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Date: 13-04-2018 (9am)

**ST. JOSEPH’S COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), BENGALURU – 27**

**BVOC (Filmmaking & Animation) – II SEMESTER**

**SEMESTER EXAMINATION – APRIL 2018**

**VO 2216: Communication Skills II**

**Time 2 1/2 hrs                                              Marks: 70**

 (For supplementary candidates)

Do not write the register number on the question paper

Please attach the question paper along with the answer script.

*The question paper has two sections and two pages. Both have to be answered*

**Section A.**

1. **Answer all the four questions. Marks: 60**
2. Shrinking water resources and rapid increase in demand is triggering water conflicts across India. Discuss these conflicts while highlighting at least two major disputes over river water sharing involving Karnataka. **(Words: 350, Marks: 15)**
3. According to wildlife officials the recent heat wave in Australia, where the temperature shot up to 45 degrees, saw thousands of bats falling off the trees as their brains fried. Similarly, scientists found that more number of female sea turtles were being hatched across Australia, leading to a disproportionate population growth.

Environmentalists attribute these developments to climate change which, they say, is proving dangerous for animals and humans.

With the above information discuss what climate change is all about. **(Words 350 Marks: 15)**

1. **Answer any one in 350 words  Marks: 15**
2. Bio-diversity: why does it matter?
3. Why are birds, frogs and ants crucial for the survival of humans?

1. **Write notes on any three in 100 words each. (Marks : 5 x 3 = 15)**
2. Bhopal gas tragedy
3. Save Silent Valley agitation
4. Narmada Bachao Andolan
5. Swatch Bharat

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**Section B**

Answer **any one** question **(IV or V)** (Marks: 10)

1. **Answer any two in 50 words each.**
2. Should India cut emissions from agriculture and livestock
3. Global negotiations on environmental pollution are loaded against the developing countries
4. Carbon credits are a good experiment
5. Air pollution is a major environmental threat

**OR**

1. **Answer any ten with a Yes or No only**
2. The National Green Tribunal Act is a failure
3. The National Renewable Energy Act promotes use of  non renewable energy
4. India does not face any  e-waste problem
5. Bengaluru and Delhi have no air pollution problems
6. Bangaloreans want steel flyovers to ease traffic  , even at the cost of trees
7. Translocating trees is not a possible option
8. The conflict between environment and development  is over exaggerated
9. Tribals have no right to forest land
10. Animators and film makers do not play any role  in environmental protection
11. Mobile towers are hazardous for humans and birds
12. Family planning for wild animals is a must to protect humans
13. Global warming could lead to rise in sea levels

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