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# CHRISTIAN SERVICE UNIVERSITY COLLEGE KUMASI

# FACULTY OF HUMANITIES DEPARTMENT OF COMMUNICATION STUDIES

## BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNICATION

End of Second Semester Examination, 2018/2019 Academic Year

Level 100 : BAC/BATA/NURSING/BSCIT/BS COMP/PLANNING/SCH. OF BUS.

CSUC 102: WRITING SKILLS 2

MAY, 2019.

[70marks]

TIME: 2hrs 30 minutes

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Provide all answer in the booklet provided

Answer two questions from SECTION A and attempt all questions in SECTION B

Note: Marks will be awarded for clarity of expression (grammar) and logical presentation of facts.

Write your index number clearly in the space provided and sign.

Examiner: Adade -Yeboah

### SECTION A [40 MARKS]

### Answer any 2 questions from this section all questions carry equal marks

- 1. (a) What is a Sentence?
- (b) Discuss 8 errors that must be avoided in a Sentence Structure. Give examples to illustrate your answer.
- 2. (a) What is a non-finite verb?
  - (b) Discuss the 3distinct parts of the non-finite verbs. Give examples to clarify your answer.
- 3. "Capitalization is purely a convenience in reading- a clue to the reader that words have a special importance." Discuss 8 areas where the principles of capitalization are applicable. Illustrate your answer with examples.
- 4. (a) Briefly distinguish difference between the main clause and the subordinate clause.
  - (b) Discuss the grammatical functions of the Noun clause, giving examples in each case for clarity.

#### SECTION B [30 MARKS]

#### Attempt all questions in this section

- 1. What is the difference between Co-ordination and subordination? (2marks)
- 2. State three importance of subordination. (3 marks)
- 3. Mention 3 ways a Sentence can be ineffective and awkward. (3marks)
- 4. In what 3 ways can we have a variety in a Sentence? (3marks)
- 5. State the principles behind the spelling of a noun that ends with a 'y'. (2marks)
- 6. Mention 3 possible ways of wrong omissions. (3marks)
- 7. Faulty parallelism is as a result of illogical construction. Mention 2 ways of such constructions. (2marks)

### Put the following descriptions into their proper genitive cases (4marks)

- 8. A ward belonging to Children
- 9. A letter written by the fathers of Akua and Ama
- 10. A fellowship for women
- 11. A house belonging to your mothers- in- law.

#### Re-write the following sentences correctly. (10 marks)

- 12. Kofi did not recieived his certificate because had gone to abroad.
- 13. The chieves of the two towns are tight friendship.
- 14. One of the men who comes here everyday is pensioner at Kumasi
- 15. As regards to his contribution, Kofi was having a point.
- 16. The television set including the recorder are serious damaged
- 17. The garden boy was told to loss the soil for irigation.
- 18. The students complained that his questions were trickish and so was difficult to answer.
- 19. The interschools athaletics competitions were held at Kumasi and Accra Stdium
- 20. Your mother and my has likness for rice and stew.
- 21. Kofi does undersands the principal of proximity concord in english.