



# SHRIMATI INDIRA GANDHI COLLEGE

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## Department of English

### Question Bank

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### SECTION A

#### I. Fill in the Blanks.

1. The \_\_\_\_\_ Method emphasizes the translation of texts and learning grammar rules.
2. English as a Foreign Language is taught in countries where English is not the \_\_\_\_\_ language.
3. The \_\_\_\_\_ approach promotes real-life communication in the classroom.
4. The four LSRW skills are Listening, Speaking, \_\_\_\_\_ and Writing.
5. \_\_\_\_\_ is a method where learners mimic dialogues and drills.
6. A good test should be \_\_\_\_\_ and valid.
7. The \_\_\_\_\_ method focuses on the natural acquisition of language.
8. \_\_\_\_\_ teaching is used when learners need English for specific fields like science or law.
9. In \_\_\_\_\_ based instruction, language is taught through academic content.
10. \_\_\_\_\_ is a form of visual media used in English Language Teaching.
11. The \_\_\_\_\_ era has increased the use of digital tools in ELT.
12. \_\_\_\_\_ skills are crucial in developing speaking fluency.
13. \_\_\_\_\_ is the study of language sounds and pronunciation.
14. In task-based learning, students learn language by completing \_\_\_\_\_.
15. A language lab is a form of \_\_\_\_\_ aid.
16. The \_\_\_\_\_ method encourages learners to communicate meaningfully.

17. Prose, poetry, and drama are forms of \_\_\_\_\_ texts used in ELT.
18. \_\_\_\_\_ tests measure what has been taught in a particular syllabus.
19. \_\_\_\_\_ acquisition refers to learning a language other than the first one.
20. The \_\_\_\_\_ method uses structural patterns for language drills.
21. An example of online platform used in ELT is \_\_\_\_\_.
22. Teaching grammar is essential for building strong \_\_\_\_\_ skills.
23. \_\_\_\_\_ evaluation helps teachers continuously assess learners' progress.
24. \_\_\_\_\_ learning uses real-time video and multimedia in teaching.
25. \_\_\_\_\_ is the method of teaching using learners' native language for explanation.

## **SECTION B**

### **II. Answer the following in 50 Words.**

1. Define English as a second language.
2. What is the role of English in India today?
3. State any two features of the Grammar Translation Method.
4. What is the purpose of teaching English for Specific Purposes (ESP)?
5. Mention two advantages of using audio-visual aids in ELT.
6. Define the Communicative Approach.
7. What is the significance of LSRW skills?
8. Name any two recent trends in ELT.
9. What is content-based instruction?
10. Why is grammar important in ELT?
11. What do you mean by task-based language teaching?
12. How does the natural approach differ from the audio-lingual method?
13. Mention two functions of a language lab.
14. Define a good language test.
15. What is the importance of writing skills?
16. How is English as a global language different from English as a native language?
17. What are the components of a language test?
18. Why is digital learning important in ELT?

19. Mention two benefits of online platforms in ELT.
20. What is formative assessment?

## **SECTION C**

### **III. Answer the following in 250 Words.**

1. Discuss the place and importance of English in India.
2. Compare and contrast English as a Foreign Language and English as a Second Language.
3. Describe the Grammar Translation Method with examples.
4. Explain the Audio-Lingual Method and its limitations.
5. Discuss the major principles of the Communicative Approach.
6. Elaborate on the Natural Approach and its relevance in today's classroom.
7. What are the advantages of using content-based instruction in ELT?
8. Explain task-based language teaching with examples.
9. How can prose and poetry be effectively taught in ELT?
10. Write a short note on teaching drama in English classrooms.
11. What are LSRW skills and how are they taught in ELT?
12. Describe the various types of tests used in ELT.
13. Explain the characteristics of a good language test.
14. How are model exercises useful in test preparation?
15. Discuss the use of television and multimedia in English teaching.
16. What is the role of a language lab in improving spoken English?
17. Describe recent trends in English Language Teaching.
18. What is the role of online platforms in modern language classrooms?
19. Discuss the process of second language acquisition.
20. What are the digital tools that aid English language teaching?

## **SECTION D**

### **IV. Answer the following in 500 Words.**

1. Trace the development and status of English in India and its impact on ELT.
2. Critically evaluate various approaches and methods in ELT.
3. Compare the Grammar Translation Method and the Communicative Approach.

4. Discuss how English is taught for Specific Purposes (ESP) with practical examples.
5. Explain in detail the teaching of LSRW skills and their integration in the curriculum.
6. Analyze the different types of language tests and their importance in ELT.
7. Describe how audio-visual aids enhance English language learning in the classroom.
8. Examine the impact of digital technology and online platforms in ELT.
9. Discuss how English is evolving as a global language and the pedagogical challenges it poses.
10. Evaluate the role of continuous assessment in English language teaching.

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