



FINAL SEMESTER EXAMINATION

Student NRIC : _____

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Programme	:	DIPLOMA IN COMPUTER SCIENCE (MQA/ PA 13808);
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Course	:	BUSINESS COMMUNICATION
Course Code	:	DCS 1233
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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. Please read the instructions given in the question paper **CAREFULLY**.
2. This question paper consists of **FOUR (4)** questions
3. Answer **ALL** questions in the question paper.
4. Answers to the questions are to be written into the examination booklet.
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QUESTION NO.	MARKS
1	/ 25
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Total	/ 100

Answer **ALL** questions on the separate sheet provided.

[100 marks]

1. a) List **FIVE (5)** advantage of holding a meeting. (10 marks)
- b) List **FIVE (5)** disadvantage of holding a meeting. (10 marks)
- c) Explain **TWO (2)** importance of writing minutes during meeting. (5 marks)
Total: [25 marks]

2. a) Discuss **FIVE (5)** strategies to improve communication with team members. (10 marks)
- b) Describe in detail any **THREE (3)** purpose of Interpersonal Communication. (15 marks)
Total: [25 marks]

3. a) Using example in workplace, explain the following technological terms:
 - i) Video Conference (3 marks)
 - ii) Social Media (3 marks)
 - iii) Tele Conference (3 marks)
- b) In daily business life each situation is different and will require you to respond and communicate in a way that is appropriate for each situation. Describe **FOUR (4)** difficult situations that you are not able to avoid and how do you use good communication skills to allow you to handle them in a better way. (16 marks)
Total: [25 marks]

4. a) Distinguish the **FIVE (5)** Steps of Conflict Resolution by John Dewey (1910) for small group problem solution for a business. (10 marks)
- b) Using example in workplace, explain the following EQ terms :
 - i) Self – Aware (5 marks)
 - ii) Empathic (5 marks)

iii) Self – Regulate

(5 marks)

Total: [25 marks]

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