

WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.A. Honours 3rd Semester Examination, 2021-22

JORACOR06T-JOURNALISM AND MASS COMMUNICATION (CC6)

HISTORY OF THE MEDIA

Time Allotted: 2 Hours Full Marks: 50

The figures in the margin indicate full marks.

Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.

1. Answer any *five* questions from the following:

 $2 \times 5 = 10$

- (a) Name two newspapers edited by Gandhiji.
- (b) When was Prasar Bharati established? Write the structure of Prasar Bharati Board.
- (c) What is Camera Obscura?
- (d) Write a brief note on Vivid Bharati.
- (e) Name the first talkie film in India. When was it released? Who was the director of the film?
- (f) Who is Joseph-Nicephore Niepce?
- (g) When was AIR established? Who was the first Director General of AIR?
- (h) What is KCP?
- 2. Answer any *four* questions from the following:

 $10 \times 4 = 40$

- (a) Discuss the role of television as a medium of development in India.
- (b) What is Morse Code? Describe the history of the Telegraph.

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- (c) What effect did the Emergency have on the Press in India? Who declared the emergency?
- (d) Trace the history of film in India from the silent era to the talkies.
- (e) Serampore Baptist Church Missionaries had huge contribution in Indian Journalism. Explain.
- (f) Write short notes on any *two* of the following:

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- (i) Amrita Bazar Patrika
- (ii) Raja Rammohan Roy as the journalist
- (iii) DTH
- (iv) FM Channel.
- **N.B.:** Students have to complete submission of their Answer Scripts through E-mail / Whatsapp to their own respective colleges on the same day / date of examination within 1 hour after end of exam. University / College authorities will not be held responsible for wrong submission (at in proper address). Students are strongly advised not to submit multiple copies of the same answer script.

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