

**TERM END EXAMINATION - DECEMBER, 2018**  
**CERTIFICATE IN COMMUNICATION SKILLS**  
**(CCS)**  
**CCS-01: LISTENING AND ORAL COMMUNICATION SKILLS**  
**PRACTICE COMPONENT**

**Total Marks: 25**

**Time: 1 Hour**

*(Instructions: Answer all the five questions containing five marks each)*

1. Listen to the video text "Steve Jobs' 2005 Stanford Commencement Address" (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UF8uR6Z6KLc&t=690s>) and say whether following sentences are true or false. Write 'T' for the true sentences and 'F' for the false statements.

- a. Steve Jobs is a graduate.
- b. Steve was put for adoption during birth.
- c. He went to a less expensive college.
- d. Dropping out of college was the best decision.
- e. Calligraphy classes helped him make Windows.
- f. You can only connect dots looking forward.
- g. When he turned 30, Macintosh was released.
- h. He was fired from a company he didn't start.
- i. Remembering death will help make choices.
- j. Steve had cancer which was curable.

2. Pronounce the following words with proper stress.

kilohertz, frustrate, efficacious, Sinhalese, meteorite, incubator, condiment, beleaguer, patriarch, reincarnation

3. Pronounce the following sentences with proper stress and intonation.

- a. Mahatma Gandhi preached non violence.
- b. He watched the ship sink.
- c. Why did he laugh suddenly ?
- d. This policy is against the poor.
- e. Any option is feasible.
- f. Have a cup of tea, won't you ?
- g. Every girl is a princess.
- h. Fortune favors the brave.
- i. I don't believe him to be honest.
- j. He said, "Let's sing together."

**4. Speak extempore on for two minutes any one of the following topics.**

- a. Conservation is survival
- b. To err is human
- c. If I ruled the world
- d. Laughter, the best medicine
- e. Art is life.

**5. Watch the video given in the link and make notes of the important points.**

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dKzl\\_82PbU4](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dKzl_82PbU4)