

**INDIAN MARITIME UNIVERSITY**  
(A Central University, Government of India)

**June 2016 End Semester Examinations**  
**B.Sc. (Nautical Science) - 2013 batch onwards**  
**Semester I**

**ENGLISH & COMMUNICATION SKILLS**

(UG21T2101)

**Date :09.06.2016/A.N**

**Time: 3 Hrs**

**Maximum Marks: 70**

**Pass Marks : 35**

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NOTE: Attempt any SEVEN questions. All questions carry equal marks    **7x10=70**

1. Explain in your own words the reasons for having an official language onboard ship:
2. Define communication and explain common barriers to communication?
3. Explain various parts of speech with an example
4. Change the voice of the following :
  - (a) The master addressed the crew
  - (b) South African team prevailed over the Indian cricket team.
  - (c) The host gave a bouquet of flowers to the lady guests
  - (d) The Priest spoke to the gathering about probity
  - (e) The car was driven well by the driver
5. What do you understand by the following punctuation marks and give an example of each in a sentence of your own :
  - (a) Single quotation mark
  - (b) Exclamation mark
  - (c) Semicolon
  - (d) Apostrophe
  - (e) Hyphen
6. Write a letter to Bengal Sea Training Institute for inclusion in tanker familiarisation training programme starting in July 2016 also seeking

details of course fees, duration etc.

7. Write a letter to your parent (father/mother) about the life on boardship as a trainee indicating your routine, food, fellow members and the work.
8. Write the duties and responsibilities of Deck Cadet.
9. Write an essay about your life in the college hostel.