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## B. Tech. EXAMINATION, 2023

(Second Semester)

CIVIL ENGINEERING

Human Value and Soft Skills

*Time* : 3 *Hours* *Maximum Marks* : 70

Before answering the question-paper candidates should ensure that they have been supplied to correct and complete question-paper. No complaint, in this regard, will be entertained after the examination.

**Note** : There are seven questions in all. Each question is of 14 marks. Unit I has one compulsory question with seven parts of 2 marks each. Unit II has six questions of 14 marks each. Attempt any *four* questions from Unit II.

## Unit I

1. (a) What do you understand by Values ?

   (b) Discuss the difference between Summary and Precis.

   (c) What do you understand by Peer pressure ?

   (d) Describe the significance of Time management.

   (e) Explain the concept of Preconditioning.

   (f) What is a statement of purpose ?

   (g) Differentiate between a centralized and decentralized system. 7×2=14

## Unit II

2. What are the basic human aspirations and what are the requirements to fulfil them ? Support your answer with examples. 14

3. What is the content for Value Education ? Discuss the need for it in the technical and other professional courses. 14

4. What are nine universal values in human beings ? How are they important for the society ? 14

5. Discuss the Do's and Don'ts of a PowerPoint Presentation. Why should one be aware of these points ? 14

6. Write a Precis of the following passage and mention the Title :

Religion is based I think, primarily and mainly on fear. It is partly the terror of the unknown and the wish to feel that you have a kind of elder brother who will stand by in all your troubles and disputes. Fear is the basis of the whole thing-fear of the mysterious, fear of defeat, fear of death. Fear is the parent of cruelty and therefore, it is no wonder if cruelty and religion go hand in hand.

It is because fear is at the basis of those two things in this world that we can now be a little to understand things and master them with the help of Science, which has forced its

ways step by step against the Christian religion: against the churches, and against the opposition of all the old precepts. Science can help us to get over this grave fear in which mankind has lived for so many generations. Science can teach us no longer to invent allies in the sky, but rather to look to our own efforts here below to make this world a fit place to live in. (186 words). 14

7. Write a paragraph of 100 words each on the following topics : 14

(a) AI and future of mankind

(b) Climate Change.