

WEST BENGAL STATE UNIVERSITY

B.Com. Honours 5th Semester Examination, 2020, held in 2021

FACADSE03T-B.Com. (DSE1/2)

CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR AND SALES MANAGEMENT

Time Allotted: 2 Hours

Full Marks: 50

The figures in the margin indicate marks of question. Candidates should answer in their own words and adhere to the word limit as practicable.

GROUP-A

Answer any *five* questions from the following

- 1. Define the term Consumer Behavior.
- 2. What is Consumer Life Style?
- 3. What is Organizational Buying Behavior?
- 4. What is Reference Group?
- 5. What is Personality?
- 6. Define the term Dissonance.
- 7. Define Social Class.
- 8. Differentiate between Consumer and Customer.
- 9. Who is an opinion leader?
- 10. What is Relationship Management?
- 11. Mention the characteristics of a Good Prospect.
- 12. What do you mean by Family Life Cycle?
- 13. What do you mean by Qualifying a Prospect?
- 14. What do you mean by Negotiations?
- 15. Mention the qualities of an Effective Sales Executive.

GROUP-B

Answer any *four* questions from the following

 $5 \times 4 = 20$

- 16. What is the significance of Consumer Behavior to Marketers?
- 17. Explain briefly the various elements of Consumer Learning.
- 18. State the differences between the Individual and Organizational Buying Behavior.

 $2 \times 5 = 10$

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- 19. "Sales Management is considered to be an important function". Explain.
- 20. Discuss the Post-Purchase behavior of a Consumer.
- 21. Elaborate the different stages of a Selling Process.
- 22. State the various sources of recruitment of sales force.
- 23. Explain the various techniques of closing a Sale.
- 24. Illustrate the effective Negotiation Skills required by sales person.
- 25. "Companies give more importance for training of Sales Force". Explain.
- 26. "Success of Sales Department largely depends on the Motivation Level". Elaborate this statement.
- 27. Explain the essentials of product knowledge to the Sales Person.

GROUP-C

Answer any *two* questions from the following

 $10 \times 2 = 20$

- 28. Define Consumer Behaviour. Discuss the various factors influencing Consumer Behavior.
- 29. What is Consumer Involvement? Discuss the various models of Consumer Involvement.
- 30. Describe the different methods of compensating the sales force.
- 31. Discuss the different types of selling approaches.
- 32. What is Consumer decision making? Discuss the steps in Consumer purchase decision process.
- 33. Discuss the various types of customer objections and ways to handle them.
 - **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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