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M. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - NOVEMBER 2018
SEMESTER 1 : MASTER OF COMMUNICATION AND JOURNALISM
COURSE : 15P1MCJT04 : NEWS REPORTING
(For Regular - 2018 Admission & Supplementary - 2017 /2016 /2015 Admissions)

Time : Two Hours

Max. Marks: 50

Section A**Answer any 5 (2 marks each)**

1. Write notes on: Parliamentary correspondent
2. Write briefly on the contributions of journalist Kuldeep Nayyar. .
3. Write notes on: Byline and dateline
4. Write notes on: Freelancer and cub
5. Write notes on: Crime Reporter
6. Write notes on: Columnist
7. What is disaster reporting?
8. Write notes on: Cheque book journalism.

(2 x 5 = 10)**Section B****Answer any 4 (5 marks each)**

9. Write briefly on the contributions of journalist B. G. Varghese.
10. 'News is what the Newsperson writes'. – Comment with examples.
11. Briefly explain the pre-requisites of covering elections.
12. Explain the duties of a Bureau Chief.
13. What are the skills needed for a reporter for legislative reporting?
14. What is sports reporting? Mention any two sports magazines in India
15. Does the end justify the means? Elucidate the question in the context of sting journalism?

(5 x 4 = 20)**Section C****Answer any 2 (10 marks each)**

16. What are the various kinds of news sources? What care a reporter has to take while dealing with source?
17. Explain the nature, scope and areas of freelancing in journalism. How can one become a good freelancer?
18. Analyse the need and importance of development reporting in the present times, citing suitable examples.
19. Explain the challenges of investigative journalism with examples.

(10 x 2 = 20)