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Name of the Paper

: Reporting and Editing for

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Name of the Course

: B.A. (H) Journalism CBCS

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Semester

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Duration: 3 hours 30 minutes

Maximum Marks: 75

Instructions for Candidates

1. Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.

- 2. Attempt 3 questions each out of 5 from Part A and Part B.
- 3. All questions carry equal marks.

PART A

Write short notes on any **THREE** of the following: (10 marks each)

- 1. Crime beat reporting.
- 2. Coverage of press conference.
- 3. Importance of lead in a news story.

- 4. Functions of the editorial department of a newspaper.
- 5. Write short notes on any two:

 $(5 \times 2 = 10)$

- (a) Letters to Editor
- (b) Attribution
- (c) Backgrounder
- (d) Neutrality and bias in news

PART B

(15 marks each)

- 6. "Interviewing skills are a mandatory part of beat reporting." Illustrate this with an explanation of the three stages of interviews.
- 7. "A picture is worth a thousand words." Elaborate the importance of pictures in print media with examples.
- 8. Comment on the issue of sensationalism in news media with examples from the contemporary scenario.
- 9. Explain the factors that affect news treatment in a newspaper. Do you think it has changed over the years and how?
- 10. What is fake news? What do you think is the social impact of fake news?