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2020 Admission Onwards

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Time: 3 Hours

Part A (Short Answer Questions)

Answer any **eight** questions. Weight **1** each.

- 1. What does the Canon of Independence refer to in journalism ethics?
- 2. Define the term "sports news agency."
- 3. Describe any three prominent new agencies in India.
- 4. Breiflty expalin the key components of jouranlism.
- 5. Elaborate the functions, duties and qualities of reporters.
- 6. List down four types adverstising medias.
- 7. What are the three main types of interviews?
- 8. What are some strategies for maintaining and updating a sports news clippings portfolio?
- 9. Explain the three key elements of a strong sports lead.
- 10. What are some ethical considerations for sports journalists?

(8×1=8 weightage)

Part B (Short Essay/Problems)

Answer any **six** questions. Weight **2** each.

- 11. How do sports journalists contribute to discussions on gender equality and diversity in sports?
- 12. Analyze the impact of doping on sports ethics. How does it undermine the principles of fair competition and sportsmanship?

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Weightage: 30



- 13. What forms of media do you use in our daily life? Explain why?
- 14. What is cropping in picture editing?
- 15. Explain the key aspects in the development of editorials in sports journalism.
- 16. Explain how editing can be used to enhance the storytelling and engagement of a sports report.
- 17. Compare and contrast the ways in which traditional media and new media outlets report sports news.
- 18. In what situations might a direct address lead be a powerful choice for a sports report?

(6×2=12 weightage)

Part C (Essay Type Questions)

Answer any two questions.

Weight 5 each.

- 19. Explore the multifaceted role of a sports journalist during a live sports event. Discuss the challenges they may face in providing accurate and timely updates while maintaining journalistic integrity.
- 20. Explore the effectiveness of TV advertising in attracting wide audience.
- 21. Compare and contrast the challenges and opportunities of sports journalism in the digital age.
- 22. Examine the role of social media in the lives of athletes and its influence on sports reporting.

(2×5=10 weightage)