# 7229 <br> BOARD DIPLOMA EXAMINATION, (C-20) <br> OCTOBER/NOVEMBER-2023 <br> DCE - THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION <br> CONSTRUCTION PRACTICE 

Time : 3 hours ]
[ Total Marks : 80

PART—A
$3 \times 10=30$
Instructions : (1) Answer all questions.
(2) Each question carries three marks.
(3) Answers should be brief and straight to the point and shall not exceed five simple sentences.

1. List any six components of building.
$1 / 2 \times 6=3$
2. State any three objectives of soil investigations.
$1 \times 3=3$
3. Define the terms (a) stretcher and (b) course.
4. Define the terms (a) jamb, (b) mullion and (c) horn.
5. Define the terms (a) tread, (b) landing and (c) going.
6. List any three requirements of a good floor.
7. State the advantages of tubular scaffolding.
8. State the requirement of good formwork.
9. List any three objectives of plastering.
10. Explain the process of spray painting.

Instructions: (1) Answer all questions.
(2) Each question carries eight marks.
(3) Answers should be comprehensive and criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
11. (a) Explain briefly about the classification of piles.

## (OR)

(b) What are the effects of dampness in the building?
12. (a) Explain with neat sketches about (i) ashlar and (ii) random rubble masonry.

## (OR)

(b) Explain general principles to be observed in stone masonry.
13. (a) (i) State any four factors to be considered in deciding location of doors in a building.
(ii) Explain about revolving door with a sketch.

## (OR)

(b) Classify the lintels according to types of material. Explain about any two types.
$2+3+3=8$
14. (a) Explain method of fixing (i) plaster of paris ceiling and (ii) fibre glass ceiling.
$4+4=8$
(OR)
(b) Explain about (i) preparation of sub-base for cement plaster flooring and (ii) laying cement plaster flooring.
15. (a) State any eight types of paints with their suitability.
(OR)
(b) Explain the various stages in the process of distempering.

Instructions : (1) Answer the following question.
(2) The question carries ten marks.
(3) Answer should be comprehensive and the criterion for valuation is the content but not the length of the answer.
16. Write short notes on the following :
$2+2+2+2+2=10$
(a) Panelled door
(b) Glazed and sash door
(c) Revolving door
(d) Sliding door
(e) Swing door

