SOC – Communication

Communication simply means sending and receiving of messages or information. For example, if you speak to your friend and he or she replies you, you both just communicated.

Forms of Communication

There are both traditional and modern forms of communication.

- Traditional form: the traditional form of communication are the communication patterns that used symbolic material signal to communicate over short distance. They are the town crier, beating drums, bonfire, using bells or trumpets. These form of communication help peoples in a community to get an information, although, it takes longer time to pass across and some persons may not get the message.
- Modern form: the modern form are the communication patterns that particularly uses electricity to transmit messages. Although letters, posters, and art are modern communication methods. Electronic mail (e-mail), telex, telephone, fax machine, radio, television, and internet are major examples of modern communication techniques. This form of communication is usually fast and wide in circulation. It communicates over large distance. Although, these methods are more expensive and require electricity.