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NE-138

November -2021

M.A., Sem.-III

505 : English

(EA : Introduction to linguistics)

(English Literature)

Time : 2 Hours]

[Max. Marks : 50

Instructions :

- (1) The question paper contains **TWO** Sections : Section – I and Section – II.
- (2) It is **compulsory** to attend **both** the Sections.
- (3) Read carefully the instructions given for each section.
- (4) Please mention clearly the questions you attempt.
- (5) Figures to the right indicate marks.

Section – I

Attempt ANY **THREE** of the following :

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1. Explain what linguistics is with the help of various definitions.
2. Discuss at length about various branches of linguistics.
3. Critically evaluate semantics.
4. Explain in detail about morphology with the help of various definitions and also explain difference between free and bound morphemes.
5. Write note on any **two** of the following :
 - (a) Fused Morpheme
 - (b) Lexical words
 - (c) Grammatical words
 - (d) Affixes
6. Discuss in detail about traditional grammar and structural grammar and state the difference between these two.
7. Critically evaluate Chomsky's Transformational Generative Grammar.
8. Write note on any **two** of the following :
 - (a) Dialects
 - (b) Registers
 - (c) Child Language Acquisition
 - (d) Culture and Language

Section – II

9. Attempt ANY **FOUR** of the following :

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- (1) The smallest semantic unit in a language is known as _____.
 - (a) Concoction
 - (b) Morpheme
 - (c) Association
 - (d) Disassociation
 - (2) Which work by Panini is considered as the pre-modern text dealing with the study of syntax ?
 - (a) Adhyayi
 - (b) Navadhyayi
 - (c) Astadhyayi
 - (d) Raghuvansham
 - (3) Collocation does mean a sequence of words or terms that _____.
 - (a) Never occur
 - (b) Co-occur
 - (c) Conquer
 - (d) Re-occur
 - (4) Which of the following describes the modification of a word to express different grammatical categories ?
 - (a) Intonation
 - (b) Inflexion
 - (c) Perfection
 - (d) Infection
 - (5) Famous linguist Noam Chomsky published which of the following books in 1957 which studies structure ?
 - (a) Language structures
 - (b) Super structure
 - (c) Syntactic structures
 - (d) Traditional structures
 - (6) _____ is the process of forming a new word on the basis of existing word.
 - (a) Punctuation
 - (b) Observation
 - (c) Diffusion
 - (d) Derivation
 - (7) Cultural or emotional association that some word or phrase carries is called by which name ?
 - (a) Allocation
 - (b) Denotation
 - (c) Distinction
 - (d) Connotation
 - (8) Which linguist used the word 'register' for the first time in 1956 ?
 - (a) Thomas Reid
 - (b) Bruce Reid
 - (c) James Reid
 - (d) Brown Reid
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Attempt any **FIVE** of the following :

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1. Define 'Communication'. Discuss the process of communication referring to the role of each element. 10
2. What are the functions of communication? 10
3. Define Verbal Communication. What are the advantages and disadvantages of verbal communication ? 10
4. Define Non-Verbal Communication. Explain Non-Verbal Communication in detail. 10
5. What are the objectives of Communication ? Discuss. 10
6. Define Functional English. Is it different than General English? Explain. 10
7. Write a comprehensive note on the objectives of Functional English. 10
8. What is ESP ? What are the objectives of ESP ? 10
9. Discuss the importance of English for Academic Purpose. 10
10. Write any **ONE** short note of the following : 10
 - (i) Difference between General English and ESP.
 - (ii) Business English Communication.
 - (iii) English for Vocational Purpose.

