

M. A. DEGREE END SEMESTER EXAMINATION - JULY 2021**SEMESTER 2 : ENGLISH****COURSE : 16P2ENGT09 ; LANGUAGE AND LINGUISTICS***(For Regular - 2020 Admission & Supplementary - 2019/2018/2017/2016 Admissions)*

Time : Three Hours

Max. Marks: 75

PART A**Write notes on any 6 (3 marks each)**

1. Fricatives
2. Allomorph
3. Infixes
4. Class changing affixes
5. Difference' in language.
6. Hyponomy
7. Narrowing
8. Idiolect
9. Wernicke's aphasia

(3 x 6 = 18)**PART B****Answer any 5 (6 marks each)**

10. Transcribe the following and mark the stress pattern:
things, tripped, Wednesday, human, asthma, clothes.
11. Intonation and rhythm
12. Class changing and class maintaining affixes.
13. Make IC cuts for the following sentence: "A young girl with an umbrella chased the boy".
14. What is a speech event?
15. Write a short note on pragmatics.
16. What are slips of the tongue?
17. What is meant by overextension during the acquisition of semantics?

(6 x 5 = 30)**PART C****Answer any 1 (12 marks each)**

18. Give a detailed description of the consonant sounds in RP
19. Explain the various kinds of syntax constituency tests. Illustrate with examples.
20. Write an essay on the contributions of Saussure in the development of structural linguistics.

(12 x 1 = 12)**PART D****Answer any 1 (15 marks each)**

21. Write an essay on the significance of English phonology in the globalised world.
22. Write an essay on the significance of phonetics for non-native speakers of English.
23. Compare and contrast the approaches of traditional grammar and modern structuralist grammar towards the notion of syntax.

(15 x 1 = 15)