

P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JUNE 2021**LINGUISTICS****FIRST YEAR****INTRODUCTION TO LINGUISTICS****Time : 3 Hours****Maximum Marks : 75****PART — A****(3 × 5 = 15 marks)****Answer any THREE questions in 50 words.**

1. What are the aims of Linguistics?
2. Write briefly on Morph and Allomorph.
3. Write briefly on Phonemes.
4. Describe the Bow-Vow theory.
5. What are the branches of linguistics?

PART — B**(3 × 10 = 30 marks)****Answer any THREE questions in 150 words.**

6. Write briefly on dialect.
7. Write a paragraph on Allomorphs.
8. Write on 'Consonant clusters'.
9. Write briefly on the classification of Morphemes.
10. Write about 'Loan Words'.

PART — C

(2 × 15 = 30 marks)

Answer any TWO questions in 250 words.

11. Write an essay on Semantics with examples.
12. Is Linguistics a scientific study of Languages? Explain.
13. Write an essay on Immediate Constituent Analysis (IC analysis).

P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JUNE 2021**LINGUISTICS****FIRST YEAR****INTRODUCTION TO LINGUISTICS****Time : 3 Hours****Maximum Marks : 70****PART - A****(5 × 5 = 25 marks)****Answer any FIVE questions in about 300 words.**

1. Write a note on the classification of vowel sounds.
2. Write a note on the strong and weak forms in Old English.
3. Define word formation.
4. Write about Free morphemes and its characteristics with example.
5. Write a note on the West Germanic Group of languages.
6. Write a note on the place of articulation.
7. Write about the phrase structure rules.
8. Write a note on Speech acts.

PART - B**(3 × 15 = 45 marks)****Answer any THREE questions in about 1000 words.**

9. Write an essay on the performative sentences in Pragmatics.
10. Explain the production of Consonant sounds with example.
11. Write an essay on syllable and its varieties.
12. Write an essay on Conversational maxims in Pragmatics.
13. Write an essay on Consonant clusters and their classification.

P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JUNE 2021**LINGUISTICS****FIRST YEAR****PHONETICS AND PHONOLOGY****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 75****PART — A****(3 × 5 = 15 Marks)****Answer any THREE questions.**

1. Write briefly on Sound systems.
2. What is phonology?
3. Write briefly on the state of the 'Glottis'.
4. Which sound is the nucleus of a syllable?
5. What are the four main components of language?

PART — B**(3 × 10 = 30 Marks)****Answer any THREE questions.**

6. Write briefly on the 'articulation of the plosives'.
7. Write briefly on pure vowels.
8. Write on 'Consonant clusters'.
9. Give a brief description of 'Diphthongs'.
10. Write on the Allophonic variants of the consonant sound /b/.

PART — C

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

Answer any TWO questions.

11. Write an essay on place of articulation.

12. Write an essay on the concept of phonemic definition.

13. Elaborate on the Phonetic Transcription and Transliteration with examples.

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1. Write a note on the articulatory system.
2. Write a note on Functional load.
3. Write a note on broad transcription.
4. Define Intonation and its types.
5. What is IPA and what are its purposes?
6. What is contrast and what is its relevance in transcription?
7. What is Neutralization? Explain the process with an example .
8. Define transliteration.

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P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JUNE 2021**LINGUISTICS****FIRST YEAR****MORPHOLOGY AND SYNTAX****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 70****PART - A****(5 × 5 = 25 marks)****Answer any FIVE questions.**

1. Define Phrase.
2. Explain different types of Nouns and its functions.
3. Explain the transformational patterns.
4. What are IP morphemes? Give example.
5. Define Adjunct.
6. Write on the nature of compound word and its formation.
7. Write about the models in morphological analysis.
8. Write about the components of Predicate with an example.

PART - B**(3 × 15 = 45 marks)****Answer any THREE questions.**

9. Write an essay on the traditional structure patterns of sentences.
10. What are the rules for a declarative sentence? Explain.
11. Explain the Phrases and its types.

12. Explain IC analysis with example.

13. Explain the function of grammatical categories with example.

P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JUNE 2021**LINGUISTICS****SECOND YEAR****SEMANTICS AND PRAMATICS****Time : 3 Hours****Maximum Marks : 75****PART - A****(3 × 5 = 15 marks)****Answer any THREE questions.**

1. What is meant by semantics?
2. Write a note on grammatical meaning.
3. Write a note on Computational semantics.
4. What is meant by Pragmatics?
5. Discuss briefly on the social meaning of utterances.

PART - B**(4 × 15 = 60 marks)****Answer any FOUR questions.**

6. Write an essay on the nature and scope of semantics and pragmatics.
7. Discuss in details on Leech's seven types of meaning.
8. Write an essay on Synonymy, Antonymy, Polysemy, Hyponymy and Homonymy.
9. Enumerate the role semantics in Linguistics and Philosophy.
10. Give a detail account on componential analysis.
11. Write an essay on components and use of pragmatics.
12. Write a detail essay on the relationship between semantics and pragmatics.

P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JUNE 2021**LINGUISTICS****SECOND YEAR****STYLISTICS AND DISCOURSE ANALYSIS****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 75****PART - A****(3 × 5 = 15 Marks)****Answer any THREE questions .**

1. What does Stylistics mean?
2. What is Discourse Analysis?
3. Write about Russian Formalism.
4. What are Adjacency pairs?
5. What is Exophoric Reference?
6. What is Linguistic Philosophy?

PART - B**(3 × 10 = 30 Marks)****Answer any THREE questions.**

7. Describe how Tradition notion differs from Linguistic notion of Style.
8. Write about Form and Function in Discourse Analysis.
9. Discuss the influence of Hallidayan linguistics on Stylistics.
10. What is the relationship between the Reader and Discourse?
11. Explain the units of Written Discourse.

PART - C**(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)**

Answer any TWO questions.

12. Analyze the Historical perspectives of Stylistics.

13. Write an essay on the units of Spoken Discourse with examples.

14. Discuss Conversational Analysis as a form of Literary Stylistics.

P.G. DEGREE EXAMINATION – JUNE 2021**LINGUISTICS****SECOND YEAR****HISTORICAL AND COMPARATIVE LINGUISTICS****Time: 3 Hours****Maximum Marks: 75****PART - A****(3 × 5 = 15 Marks)****Answer any THREE questions.**

1. Define Historical and Comparative Linguistics.
2. How do Words get borrowed?
3. Define Acronyms with examples.
4. What is meant by Backformation?
5. What is Lexical diffusion?

PART - B**(3 × 10 = 30 Marks)****Answer any THREE questions.**

6. Explain the Associated terms and Basic assumptions of Comparative Method?
7. What are the types of Sound Changes?
8. Explain Relative Chronology and Chain Shifts.
9. Describe the Analogical Changes.
10. How does Semantic Change take place?

PART - C

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)

Answer any TWO questions.

11. Elaborate on the uses of Historical and Comparative Linguistics.
12. Describe Linguistic Borrowing with illustrations.
13. Explain the Linguistic Classifications and Models.