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M.A. ENGLISH

Paper - V

LINGUISTICS-1

Time : 3 Hrs.

Max. Marks : 80

- Part A and B of each question in each unit consist of very short answer type questions which are to be answered in one or two sentences.
Part C (Short answer type) of each question will be answered in 200-250 words.
- Part D (Long answer type) of each question should be answered within the word limit 400-450.

Unit - I

Q.1 A. What do you mean by the statement that language is species-specific? (2)

Q.1 B. What is the difference between a polyglot and a linguist? (2)

Q.1 C. What is comparative linguistics? (4)

OR

What is meant by the statement that language is a system of systems?

Q.1 D. Define language. List the various characteristics of language. Explain any four of them. (12)

OR

What scientific procedures do linguists employ in the study of language?

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Unit - II

- Q.2 A. What does semantics deal with in language? (2)
- Q.2 B. What is Pragmatics? (2)
- Q.2 C. Show the inter-relatedness of Linguistic and Anthropology. (4)

OR

Explain the dichotomy between competence and performance.

- Q.2 D. Discuss the different levels of linguistics. (12)

OR

Discuss the various branches of linguistics.

Unit - III

- Q.3 A. Define Psycholinguistics. (2)
- Q.3 B. What is isogloss? (2)
- Q.3 C. Differentiate between code mixing and code shifting. (4)

OR

Define Register and illustrate with examples.

- Q.3 D. How does the study of Sociolinguistics help us in understanding language? What aspects of language are emphasized by this branch of linguistics? (12)

OR

Distinguish between the empirical and rationalistic approach to language acquisition.

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Unit - IV

- Q.4 A. What are zero morphemes? (2)
- Q.4 B. Define Morph. (2)
- Q.4 C. What are free and bound morphemes? (4)

OR

What is a noun phrase? What are its important constituents?

- Q.4 D. Write a note on IC analysis. What are its limitations? (12)

OR

What is morphology? What are inflectional and derivational affixes? Explain with examples.

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