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B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – **ENGLISH**

FIFTH SEMESTER - APRIL 2022

16/17/18UEL5MC01 - LINGUISTICS

Date: 15-06-2022	Dept. No.	Max.: 100 Marks
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PART - A

Answer any FIVE of the following in about 75 words each.

(5 X 4 = 20)

- 1. What is Sociolect and dialect? Explain.
- 2. Write a note on Phonetics and Phonology
- 3. How is linguistics important for language professionals?
- 4. Differentiate Pidgin and Creole.
- 5. Why is linguistics a science and not an art?
- 6. Explain Morphemes with examples.
- 7. What is the minimal pair test? Illustrate.
- 8. Explain Clipping with examples.

PART - B

Answer any FOUR of the following in about 200 words:

(4X10 = 40)

- 9. What is the relevance and scope of linguistics to the students of English Literature?
- 10. Distinguish Dialect and Accent.
- 11. How are English consonants classified? Explain.
- 12. Present the merits and demerits of diction in the literary texts.
- 13.Explain monophthongs with illustration.
- 14. Write an essay on the seven types of meaning.

PART - C

Answer any TWO of the following in about 300 words:

 $(2X\ 20=40)$

15. a) Attempt an essay on the characteristics and functions of Language.

Or

- b) Explain in detail the classification of vowels and consonants.
- 16. a) With illustration explain the various organs of speech.

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b) Write an essay on Saussure's structuralism and Chomsky's syntactic structures.

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