BA ENGLISH

SECOND SEMESTER [SPECIAL REPEAT] HISTORY OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE & LINGUISTICS **BEN-202**

[USE OMR SHEET FOR OBJECTIVE PART]

Duration: 3 hrs.

Full Marks: 70 (PART-A: Objective)

Time: 30 min.

Marks: 20

Choose the correct answer from the following:

 $1 \times 20 = 20$

- 's'- in the English word 'players' represent a/an:
- b. Derivational suffix
- a. Inflectional suffixc. Inflectional prefix
- d. Derivational prefix
- The IPA symbol [ε] stands for:
 - a. Unrounded central close vowel
- b. Unrounded front close vowel d. Unrounded front open vowel
- Unrounded front open-mid vowel
- The English word 'sunglass' is an example of:
- a. Blending
- b. Backformation d. Acronym
- c. Compounding
 - The branch which deals with the transmission of sound is known as:
- a. Articulatory phonetics
- b. Auditory phonetics
- Transmitory phonetics C.
- d. Acoustic phonetics
- 5. Assertion I: The term labiodental refers to an obstruction caused by the movement of the lower lip towards the upper teeth.

Assertion II: The production of $/\theta$ / involves a vibration of the vocal cords.

- a. I is true, but II is false
- b. Both I and II are true
- C. Both Land II are false
- d. I is false, but II is true
- 'net' is an example of:
 - a. Back clipping

- b. Fore Clipping
- Middle clipping C.
- d. Apocopation
- The number of syllables in the word 'bureaucratic' is:
 - a. One

c. Three

- b. Twod. Four
- IC Analysis was proposed by:
 - a. Zelling Harris
- b. Leonard Bloomfield

Rulon Wells

- d. Ferdinand De Saussure
- In Structural Linguistics, the procedure of grammatical analysis involving the major division within a syntactic construction at any level and analyzing into immediate constituents and further continuing the process until irreducible constituents are reached is called:
 - a. Tagmemic analysis
- b. Systematic analysis

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10. le		d. IC analysis
,,,	dentify the preposition in the following sent 'The police beat the thief with a stick."	.ence:
	•	b. beat
	c. with	d. stick
	The verb in "Monica went to New York with	
	a. with	b. to
	c. went	d. her
	"Zero morphemes have function but no form	n." The statement is: b. False
	a. True c. Neither true nor false	d. Partially true and partially false
	Great (adjective) → Greatly (adverb) is an ex	ample of: b. Circumfix
	a. Inflectional affixc. Clitic	d. Derivational affix
	The process in which there is loss of medial	
	a. Anaptyxis	b. Syncope
	c. Prothesis	d. Metathesis
	A Loan word is	
	a. A word permanently adopted from	 A word permanently adopted from one language and incorporated into another
	one language and incorporated into another language without	language with translation
	translation.	
	c. A word temporarily adopted from	d. A word temporarily adopted from one
	one language and incorporated into	language and incorporated into another
	another language without translation	language with translation
16.	The history of the Anglo-Saxon period dates	s back to
	a. 550BC-1055BC	b. 400AD-1100AD
	c. 610BC-1066AD	d. 410AD-1066AD
		ng invaders and their invasion to the land of
	Britain? a. Latin-Greek-French-Scandinavian	b. Greek-Latin-Scandinavian-French
	c. Scandinavian-French-Latin-Greek	d. French-Latin-Greek-Scandinavian
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18.	Which among the following is not a Latin	word: b. Kitchen
	a. Cook c. Mill	d. Buffet
19.	The origin of the word 'husband' is:	b. French loan words
	a. Greekc. Scandinavian	d. None of the above
20.	The word 'Philosophy' is an example of	influence in English language.
	a. Greek	b. Latin
	c. Scandinavian	d. French
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(Part-B : Descriptive)

Time: 2 hrs. 30 min.		Marks: 50	
[Answer question no.1 & any four (4) from the rest]			
1.	What is a syllable? Explain its important elements and draw structures of the following words: a) Horrible b) Exercise c) Fearsome	2+2+6=10	
2.	 Make IC analysis of the following sentences: a) The father asked his son to pick up the bundle of sticks. b) The girl with long hair was using phone in the class. c) The lion is the king of animals. d) She took the file yesterday. e) The grey monkey quickly chased the brown weasel around the mulberry bush. 	2x5=10	
3.	Discuss the criteria required for describing Vowel Sounds in English. OR Examine the airstream mechanisms involved in the production of human speech sounds.	10	
4.	Transcribe the following: a) Calamity b) Childhood c) Nationality d) Wanted e) Experience	2x5=10	
5.	What is a Loan word? Discuss the various loan words that English has adopted from Greek and Scandinavian languages.	4+6=10	
6.	In spite of claiming the status of 'Lingua Franca' across the world, more than 90% vocabulary of English language is originally either borrowed or formed from other languages. Elucidate the line mentioned above in light of the influence of the four languages as prescribed in your syllabus.	10	
7.	a) What is Norman Conquest?b) Describe any four categories under which we can study the influence of French language in English.	2+8=10	
8.	 Write short notes on <u>any two</u> of the following: a) Anglo Saxon Period b) The Scandinavian invasion in Britain c) Vocabulary of Latin and its contribution to English d) Greek Vs Scandinavian language 	5×2=10	

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