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LINGUISTICS DISCIPLINE - Paper I

(Introductory Linguistics)

(Admissions of 2004 to 2010)

Time: 3 hours

Maximum Marks: 75

(Write your Roll No. on the top immediately on receipt of this question paper.)

Attempt all questions.

 What do you mean by language communication system? Explain four factors of human and non-human communication systems with examples.

Or

What is meant by writing systems? Describe any three writing systems with suitable examples.

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List three morpho-syntactic primes and explain them with appropriate examples.

Or

How will you explain word formation processes?

Discuss at least four processes of word formation with examples.

3. What do you mean by "Morphology"? Explain the

concept of morph, morpheme and allomorph giving suitable examples.

Or

What are the grammatical categories? Discuss the grammatical categories with suitable examples. 15

4. Distinguish between any two of the following pairs:

(a) Synchronic study : Diachronic study

(b) Phoneme : Allophone

(c) Speech : Writing

(d) Standard : Dialect 15

5. Discuss genealogical classification with suitable examples.

Or

Explain the phonetic and morphological changes with suitable examples.

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