

PG Odd Semester (CBCS) Exam., December—2017

LINGUISTICS

(1st Semester)

Course No. : LNGCC-102

(Introduction to General Linguistics)

Full Marks : 70

Pass Marks : 28

Time : 3 hours

The questions are of equal value

1. What do you mean by linguistics? Is linguistics a science? Discuss.

OR

2. Discuss synchronic and diachronic approach.
3. What do you mean by syntagmatic and paradigmatic relations? Discuss in detail.

OR

4. Write short notes on the following :

(a) Langue and Parole

(b) Etic and Emic

5. Discuss with suitable examples the grammatical categories—gender, person and number.

OR

6. Write in detail about word formation processes.

7. Write in detail about genetic or geneological classification of languages.

OR

8. Discuss internal reconstruction in detail.

9. Discuss bilingualism with examples.

OR

10. Discuss diglossia with suitable examples.
