

LOYOLA COLLEGE (AUTONOMOUS), CHENNAI – 600 034



B.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION – ENGLISH

FIFTH SEMESTER – APRIL 2022

UEL 5501 – LINGUISTICS

Date: 27-06-2022

Dept. No.

Max. : 100 Marks

Time: 09:00 AM - 12:00 NOON

PART – A

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

(5 X 4 = 20)

1. What are the four branches of Linguistics?
2. Explain Phonetics and Phonology.
3. How is linguistics important for language and literature students?
4. Differentiate homonyms and homophones.
5. Why is linguistics a science and not an art?
6. Differentiate Syntax and Pragmatics.
7. Explain minimal pairs with examples.
8. Write a note on any four figures of speech with examples.

PART - B

Answer any FOUR of the following in about 200 words:

(4X10 =40)

9. Explain the relevance and scope of linguistics to the students of English Literature.
10. Explain the seven types of meaning with examples.
11. How are English consonants classified? Explain.
12. Present the merits and demerits of diction in the literary texts.
13. Explain diphthongs with illustrations.
14. Differentiate between Syntax and Semantics.

PART - C

Answer any TWO of the following in about 300 words:

(2X 20= 40)

15. a) Explain Phrase Structure Rule with examples.
Or
b) What are the different word formation processes? Explain in detail.
16. a) Write an essay on the various organs of speech with illustration.
Or
b) Attempt a semantic and syntactic analysis of the following

