

MAEG 2005

M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, JANUARY 2022.

Second Year – Non-Semester

English

LINGUISTICS AND STYLISTICS

Time : Three hours

Maximum : 100 marks

PART A — (5 × 8 = 40 marks)

Answer any FIVE out of Eight of the following questions.

1. Define phonemes with examples.
2. Why is morphology important in linguistics?
3. What is Connotation and Collocation?
4. What are the types of Semantics?
5. What is IC analysis?
6. Syntax is important in a piece of writing - Define.
7. Define the term Morphology as used in linguistics.
8. What are the five elements of style in literature?

PART B — (5 × 12 = 60 marks)

Answer any FIVE out of Eight of the following questions.

9. What are speech sounds? How do we classify vowels and consonants?
10. What are Morphemes? Explain the difference between free and bound morphemes with examples.
11. Give a historical survey of modern linguistics.
12. What are the salient features of the phoneme, syllable and accentual patterns in English?
13. Discuss the purpose of stylistic analysis.
14. Explain the difference between inflection and derivation with examples.
15. What is the difference between Semantics and Pragmatics?
16. Write a note on Ferdinand de Saussure.