

ENG502: Quiz No. 1

Question # 6 of 10 (Start time: 08:58:16 AM, 06 November 2019)

In linguistics, the process of coining new words into a language is called _____.

Select the correct option



neologism



sylllogism



dogma



ideology

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Question # 5 of 10 (**Start time: 08:58:06 AM, 06 November 2019**)

In linguistics, Chomsky believes that language learning is _____.

Select the correct option

☐	biological
☐	environmental
☐	natural
☒	innate



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Question # 4 of 10 (**Start time: 08:57:49 AM, 06 November 2019**)

Behaviorists usually define language as a _____ behavior that involves a stimulus and a response.

Select the correct option

☐	taught
☒	learned
☐	cultured
☐	studied

Question # 3 of 10 (Start time: 08:57:32 AM, 06 November 2019)

Primitive words could have been _____ of the natural sounds.

Select the correct option

☒	imitation 
☐	opposite
☐	reproduction
☐	parody

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Question # 2 of 10 (Start time: 08:57:20 AM, 06 November 2019)

Animals can only talk about their _____.

Select the correct option

☐	remote past
☐	past state of mind
☒	immediate environment
☐	future experiences



Question # 1 of 10 (Start time: 08:56:17 AM, 06 November 2019)

Human beings are born with some kind of _____ to acquire language.

Select the correct option

☐	liking
☐	preference
☐	predisposition 
☐	vulnerability

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Question # 9 of 10 (Start time: 09:19:22 AM, 06 November 2019)

Sapir and Hall treat language as a purely _____ institution.

Select the correct option

☒	human
☐	instinctive
☐	natural
☐	complex

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Question # 9 of 10 (Start time: 09:00:22 AM, 06 November 2019)

According to Behaviourists, _____ refers to language-utterances or words or phrases of which they are composed.

Select the correct option

☐	sign
☒	symbol
☐	character
☐	None of the given options

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Question # 8 of 10 (Start time: 08:59:53 AM, 06 November 2019)

In legal contexts, _____ language can be a means of control.

Ⓔ

Select the correct option

☐	dynamic
☐	courteous
☐	considerate
☒	performative



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Question # 3 of 10 (Start time: 09:03:56 AM, 06 November 2019)

Linguistics is the scientific study of _____.

Select the correct option

☒	language
☐	a language
☐	the language
☐	some language

Question # 1 of 10 (Start time: 09:02:27 AM, 06 November 2019)

Human beings can talk about _____ which is a unique characteristic of human language.

Select the correct option

☐	talking
☐	walking
☐	telling
☒	informing 

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Question # 10 of 10 (Start time: 09:00:33 AM, 06 November 2019)

Most religions appear to be a _____ source which provides humans with languages.

Select the correct option

☐	scientific
☒	divine 
☐	meticulous
☐	ultra-careful

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Question # 7 of 10 (Start time: 08:59:15 AM, 06 November 2019)

Three general classes of script include logographic, syllabic and _____.

Select the correct option

☒	alphabetic
☐	sequential
☐	serial
☐	consecutive

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Question # 10 of 10 (Start time: 09:06:40 AM, 06 November 2019)

In Phrygian language, the word bekos means_____

Select the correct option

☐	rice
☐	oat
☐	bread
☒	grain

Question # 9 of 10 (Start time: 09:06:31 AM, 06 November 2019)

Factors like _____ are going to influence languages of the future.

Select the correct option

☐	economic cycle
☐	people's migration
☐	one corporate language
☒	All of the given options



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Question # 7 of 10 (Start time: 09:05:55 AM, 06 November 2019)

Apes and other primates live in social groups and use grunts and social calls, but they do not seem to have developed the capacity for_____.

Select the correct option

☒	speech
☐	language
☐	voicing
☐	All of the above given options

Question # 5 of 10 (Start time: 09:05:10 AM, 06 November 2019)

An adverb inflects_____.

Select the correct option

☐	case
☐	tense
☒	Neither case nor tense
☐	Either case or tense

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Question # 4 of 10 (Start time: 09:04:56 AM, 06 November 2019)

Old English is derived from the West Germanic family of language and Modern English is derived from _____ Germanic family of language.

Select the correct option

☐	South
☐	East
☒	West
☐	North

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Question # 8 of 10 (Start time: 09:19:10 AM, 06 November 2019)

According to Bloch and Trager, a language is a system of _____ vocal symbols by means of which a social group co-operates.

Select the correct option

☒	arbitrary
☐	logical
☐	systematic
☐	learnt

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Question # 7 of 10 (Start time: 09:18:52 AM, 06 November 2019)

The pre-existing natural languages are named as _____.

Select the correct option

☒	esperanto
☐	langage
☐	langue
☐	lingua

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Question # 5 of 10 (Start time: 09:18:15 AM, 06 November 2019)

Three general classes of script include logographic, syllabic and _____.

Select the correct option

☒	alphabetic
☐	sequential
☐	serial
☐	consecutive

Question # 4 of 10 (Start time: 09:17:31 AM, 06 November 2019)

Linguistics is the scientific study of _____.

Select the correct option

☒	language
☐	a language
☐	the language
☐	some language

In linguistics, the _____ of language does not change but the lexical items are inclined to change.

Select the correct option

☐

structure

☐

constitution

☐

stuff

☐

arrangement

Primitive words could have been_____ of the natural sounds.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------|
| ☒ | imitation |
| ☐ | opposite |
| ☐ | reproduction |
| ☐ | parody |

Physical effort and interaction among the people could be source of early language learning experience. This statement refers to_____ theory.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--|
| ☐ | bow-wow |
| ☒ | yo-he-ho  |
| ☐ | pooh-pooh |
| ☐ | ding-dong |

Question # 3 of 10 (Start time: 03:36:39 PM, 16 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

The human quality of being able to communicate at two levels is called _____ or double articulation.

Select the correct option

☐

duality

☐

division

☐

complement

☐

conflict

Question # 5 of 10 (Start time: 03:37:54 PM, 16 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

Teeth, lips, mouth, larynx, and pharynx are the examples of_____.

Select the correct option

☐

physical adaptation sources

☐

artificial adaptation sources

☐

instrumental adaptation sources

☐

None of the above given options

Linguistics is the scientific study of _____.

Select the correct option

- | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|--|
| ☐ | language |  |
| ☒ | a language | |
| ☐ | the language | |
| ☐ | some language | |

In linguistics, chemo communication refers to the fact that animals emit certain _____ from their bodies in order to communicate.

Select the correct option

☒ chemicals

☐ elements

☐ materials

☐ components

After thousands of years of development, human have honed this message-building. The term 'honed' means_____.

Select the correct option

- | | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|--|
| ☒ | improved |  |
| ☐ | blunt | |
| ☐ | tapered | |
| ☐ | None of the given options | |

Factors like _____ are going to influence languages of the future.

Select the correct option

☐

economic cycle

☐

people's migration

☐

one corporate language

☐

All of the given options



Three general classes of script include logographic, syllabic and _____.

Select the correct option

- | | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|---|
| ☒ | alphabetic | ✓ |
| ☐ | sequential | |
| ☐ | serial | |
| ☐ | consecutive | |

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Select the correct option

☐ South

☐ East

☒ West

☐ North

An adverb inflects_____.

Select the correct option

☐

case

☐

tense

☒

Neither case nor tense



☐

Either case or tense

Panini, the first known grammarian of the world, was from_____.

Select the correct option

☐

India



☐

Rome

☐

Greece

☐

Germany

All languages require the organizing and combining of sounds of _____ in specific arrangements.

Select the correct option

☐

signs



☐

symptoms

☐

trails

☐

signposts

Factors like _____ are going to influence languages of the future.

Select the correct option

- ☐ economic cycle
- ☐ people's migration
- ☐ one corporate language
- ☒ All of the given options



According to Bloch and Trager, a language is a system of _____ vocal symbols by means of which a social group co-operates.

Select the correct option

- | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|--|
| ☒ | arbitrary |  |
| ☐ | logical | |
| ☐ | systematic | |
| ☐ | learnt | |

The connection between the word 'dog' and the creature it refers to is not natural. It seems quite _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---|
| ☐ | lucid |
| ☒ | arbitrary  |
| ☐ | logical |
| ☐ | rational |

Sapir and Hall treat language as a purely _____ institution.

Select the correct option



human



instinctive



natural



complex

Behaviorists usually define language as a _____ behavior that involves a stimulus and a response.

Select the correct option

- ☐ taught
- ☒ learned 
- ☐ cultured
- ☐ studied

The quality of productivity in human beings can also be termed as open-endedness or _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--|
| ☐ | objectivity |
| ☐ | subjectivity |
| ☒ | creativity  |
| ☐ | intelligence |

The pre-existing natural languages are named as _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| ☒ | esperanto |
| ☐ | langage |
| ☐ | langue |
| ☐ | lingua |

Genetically, with the passage of time, the brain develops and larynx_____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--|
| ☐ | ascends |
| ☐ | widen |
| ☒ | descends  |
| ☐ | soars |

In linguistics, chemo communication refers to the fact that animals emit certain _____ from their bodies in order to communicate.

Select the correct option

☒	chemicals	
☐	elements	
☐	materials	
☐	components	

In linguistics, Chomsky believes that language learning is _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------|
| ☐ | biological |
| ☐ | environmental |
| ☐ | natural |
| ☒ | innate |
- 

Dravidian language family contains _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------|
| ☐ | Chinese & Mandarin |
| ☐ | Turkic & Turkish |
| ☐ | Semitic & Arabic |
| ☒ | Tamil & Kanada |
- 

Animals can only talk about their _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| ☐ | remote past |
| ☐ | past state of mind |
| ☒ | immediate environment |
| ☐ | future experiences |
- 

The human history begins with the _____ pathway of great apes.

Select the correct option

- ☒ neural
- ☐ environmental
- ☐ physical
- ☐ material

Question # 4 of 10 (Start time: 05:07:21 PM, 17 May 2019)

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According to Behaviourists, _____ refers to language utterances or words or phrases of which they are composed.

Select the correct option

☐

sign

☒

symbol

☐

character

☐

None of the given options

Segments or forms that cannot normally stand alone and are typically attached to another form are called _____ Morphemes.

Select the correct option:

- | | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|---------|
| ☒ | Bound | correct |
| ☐ | Free | |
| ☐ | Regular | |
| ☐ | Preferred | |

Juncture, in linguistics, is the manner of moving (transition) or mode of relationship between two _____ sounds.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------|
| ☐ | broken |
| ☐ | logical |
| ☒ | consecutive |
| ☐ | index |
- correct

The sounds /l/, /r/, /n/ stand as the _____ syllables.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| ☐ | strong |
| ☐ | loud |
| ☒ | weak |
| ☐ | potent |
- correct

In morphology, a minimal unit of meaning or grammatical function is called a _____.

Select the correct option

☐

sememe

☒

morpheme

correct

☐

phoneme

☐

Both sememe and morpheme

Question # 4 of 10 (Start time: 11:33:14 PM, 31 May 2019)

English is a _____ language.

Select the correct option

☐

syllable timed

☒

stress timed

correct

☐

Both of the given options

☐

None of the given options

A segment is "any _____ unit that can be identified, either physically or auditorily, in the stream of speech".

Select the correct option

☐

similar

☒

discrete

correct

☐

connected

☐

solid

In phonology, the two types of stress include primary and _____ stress.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|
| ☐ | firstly |
| ☒ | secondary |
| ☐ | mixed |
| ☐ | tertiary |

correct

Question # 3 of 10 (Start time: 11:32:57 PM, 31 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

Lexical morphemes are longer and, with the exception of 'ox' and American English's 'ax,' are spelt with a minimum of _____graphemes.

Select the correct option

- ☐ one
- ☐ two
- ☒ three **correct**
- ☐ four

Question # 1 of 10 (Start time: 11:32:32 PM, 31 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

If the second syllable is strong, it is stressed in _____ such as arrive or apply.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| ☐ | nouns |
| ☐ | pronouns |
| ☒ | verbs |
| ☐ | adjectives |
- correct

Question # 10 of 10 (Start time: 11:34:57 PM, 31 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

Consonants like /m/ and /b/ occurring together in a word but belonging to two different syllables are called _____ consonants.

Select the correct option

☐

initial

☐

final

☐

post-final

☒

abutting

correct

Lexical morphemes are _____ class words.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|
| ☐ | close |
| ☒ | open |
| ☐ | Both of the above given options |
| ☐ | None of the above given options |

correct

In phonology, the words such as in, of and at are the examples of _____ syllables.

Select the correct option

☐

open

☒

closed

correct

☐

Both of the above given options

☐

None of the above given options

A phoneme is a basic unit of phonology. It is the _____ unit which causes a change in meaning.

Select the correct option

☐ largest



☐ shortest



☒ smallest

correct



☐ nearest



Question # 4 of 10 (Start time: 10:10:18 PM, 31 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

In the word 'helped' the sound 'p' is _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------|
| ☐ | pre-final |
| ☒ | final correct |
| ☐ | post-final |
| ☐ | Both final and post-final |

Question # 3 of 10 (Start time: 10:10:04 PM, 31 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

In phonology, _____ is relative emphasis or prominence given to a certain syllable in a word.

Select the correct option

- | | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|---------|
| ☒ | stress | correct |
| ☐ | intonation | |
| ☐ | production | |
| ☐ | perception | |

The morpheme that can stand alone as a single word by itself is called _____ Morpheme.

Select the correct option

☐

single

☒

free

correct

☐

restricted

☐

bound

Question # 9 of 10 (Start time: 10:11:25 PM, 31 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

In morphology, the difference between dog and dogs is that of _____ form.

Select the correct option

☒	word	correct
☐	lexeme	
☐	phrase	
☐	verb	

The words 'female' and 'frozen' have _____ syllables.

Select the correct option

- | | | |
|----------------------------------|----------------|---------|
| ☒ | open | correct |
| ☐ | r-controlled | |
| ☐ | silent | |
| ☐ | c-le syllables | |

In phonology, a minimum syllable is a syllable which has no onset and no _____.

Select the correct option

☐

rhyme

☒

coda

correct

☐

nucleus

☐

None of the given options

Question # 1 of 10 (Start time: 10:13:52 PM, 31 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

New functional morphemes cannot normally be _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| ☐ | created |
| ☐ | devised |
| ☒ | coined correct |
| ☐ | All of the given options |

Segmental phonology is not interested in the production, the physical properties, or the perception of these sounds, but in the _____ and possible combinations of sounds within the sound system.

Select the correct option

☐

task

☐

form

☒

function

correct

☐

None of the given options

In phonology, no word ends with more than_____ consonants.

Select the correct option

☐	two
☐	three
☒	four correct
☐	five

Question # 1 of 10 (Start time: 06:52:15 PM, 31 May 2019)

Total Marks: 1

In phonology, accent on certain words within a sentence is called _____ stress.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| ☐ | word |
| ☒ | sentence correct |
| ☐ | primary |
| ☐ | secondary |

In syllable timed languages, there is _____ in stress.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|---------------------|
| ☐ | excessive variation |
| ☐ | great variation |
| ☐ | some variation |
| ☒ | little variation |
- correct

Choose the word with two syllables.

Select the correct option

☐	Stopped
☐	Dropped
☒	Painted correct
☐	Chopped

Phonology is the study of the sound system of languages. It studies how _

Select the correct option

☐	concrete
☐	abstract
☐	quantifying
☐	None of the given options

correct

Instrumental phonetics is a _____ approach.

Select the correct option

- ☐ qualitative
- ☐ partial qualitative
- ☐ quantitative
- ☐ All of the given options

correct

In oral cavity, after teeth and alveolar ridge, comes the_____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| ☐ | velum |
| ☐ | uvula |
| ☐ | palate |
| ☐ | None of the given options |

correct

The terms such as "adjective" and "noun" are used to label forms in the language as the _____ or parts of speech.

Select the correct option

☐ function words

☐ structure words

☐ content words

☐ word classes

correct

The scientific study of language is that linguistics is _____ rather than speculative or intuitive.

Select the correct option

☐ diagrammatical

correct

☐ graphological

☐ empirical

☐ identical

In phonology, no word ends with more than _____ consonants.

Select the correct option

☐ two

☐ three

☐ four

☐ five

correct

Sound waves can be described in terms of _____ properties such as cycle, period, frequency, and amplitude.

Select the correct option

☐ physical

☐ abstract

☐ chemical

☐ electronic

correct

Segmental phonology is not interested in the production, the physical properties, or the perception of these sounds, but in the _____ and possible combinations of sounds within the sound system.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| ☐ | task |
| ☐ | form |
| ☐ | function |
| ☐ | None of the given options |
- correct

The truth of a proposition is determined by _____
sense reference to experience.

Select the correct option

☐ sophisticated

☐ superior

☐ common

correct

☐ All of the given options

The branch of linguistics that relies heavily on biology and also on anatomy and physiology, is named as _____ phonetics.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------------|
| ☐ | acoustic |
| ☐ | auditory |
| ☐ | instrumental |
| ☐ | None of the given options |
- correct

Question # 10 of 10 (Start time: 01:09:32 PM, 27 November 2020)

Except only in certain educational contexts, modern linguists utterly rejects _____.

Select the correct option

☒	descriptivism
☐	prescriptivism
☐	formalism
☐	progressivism

correct

Question # 9 of 10 (Start time: 01:09:10 PM, 27 November 2019)

Total

A segment is "any _____ unit that can be identified, either physically or auditorily, in stream of speech".

Select the correct option

☐	similar
☐	discrete
☐	connected
☐	solid

correct

Question # 6 of 10 (Start time: 01:06:29 PM, 27 November 2019)

A phoneme is a basic unit of phonology. It is the _____ unit which causes a change in meaning.

Select the correct option

☐	largest
☐	shortest
☒	smallest
☐	nearest

correct

Question # 8 of 10 (Start time: 01:07:15 PM, 27 November 2019)

Instrumental phonetics is a _____ approach.

Select the correct option

☐	qualitative
☐	partial qualitative
☐	quantitative
☐	All of the given options

correct

Question # 4 of 10 (Start time: 01:05:34 PM, 27 November 2019)

Juncture, in linguistics, is the manner of moving (transition) or mode of relationship between two _____

Select the correct option

☐	broken
☐	logical
☐	consecutive
☐	index

correct

Question # 3 of 10 (Start time: 01:05:22 PM, 27 November 2019)

Phonetics is concerned with describing the _____ speech sounds that occur in the lang

Select the correct option

☒	human
☐	animals
☐	Both of the given options
☐	None of the given options

correct

Question # 8 of 10 (Start time: 01:02:38 PM, 27 November 2019)

The main three branches of phonetics are articulatory, _____ and auditory.

Select the correct option

☐	visual
☐	acoustic
☐	trendy
☐	None of the given options

correct

Question # 1 of 10 (Start time: 12:59:21 PM, 27 November 2019)

The pronoun must be in nominative case after comparative adjective is the subject matter

Select the correct option

☐	descriptivism
☐	prescriptivism
☐	Both of the given options
☐	None of the given options

correct

Question # 5 of 10 (Start time: 01:01:23 PM, 27 November 2019)

Objectivity demands that _____ beliefs should be challenged and terms like pure and primitive

Select the correct option

☒	formal
☐	prescriptive
☐	descriptive
☐	All of the given options

correct

Question # 4 of 10 (Start time: 01:01:01 PM, 27 November 2019)

Speech is an innate human capability, and written language is a _____ invention

Select the correct option

☒	cultural
☐	scientific
☐	lineage
☐	gentility

correct

Speech is an innate human capability, and written language is a _____ invention.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|------------|
| ☐ | cultural |
| ☒ | scientific |
| ☐ | lineage |
| ☐ | gentility |

correct

Segmental phonology is not interested in the production, the physical properties, or the perception of these sounds, but in the _____ and possible combinations of sounds within the sound system.

Select the correct option

☐	task
☐	form
☒	function
☐	None of the given options

correct

Question # 8 of 10 (Start time: 01:47:36 PM, 27 November 2019)

Frequency is the number of cycles in _____ seconds, expressed in hertz (Hz)

Select the correct option

☐	five
☐	six
☐	seven
☒	None of the given options

correct

Question # 7 of 10 (Start time: 01:47:08 PM, 27 November 2019)

Linguistics can be defined as the _____ study of language.

Select the correct option

☐	instinctive
☒	scientific
☐	precise
☐	methodical

correct

Question # 5 of 10 (Start time: 01:46:15 PM, 27 November 2019)

The truth of a proposition is determined by _____ sense reference to experience.

Select the correct option

☐	sophisticated
☐	superior
☒	common
☐	All of the given options

correct