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SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER (2020/2021)

ENG 411: ADVANCED DESCRIPTION OF MODERN ENGLISH

DATE **TIME: 2 HOURS**

INSTRUCTIONS: ***Answer Questions 1 And Any Other 2 Questions In This Paper***

SECTION A

QUESTION 1 (30 MARKS)

1. a) Define the following words and phrases

i. Sentence (1 mark)

ii. Clause (1 mark)

b) With examples illustrate 6 types of clauses (12 marks)

c) Clearly explain eight types of phrases with clear examples (16 marks)

SECTION B

Questions 2

a) Differentiate between the subject and a predicate (4 marks)

b) Differentiate between direct object and an indirect object in a sentence (4 marks)

c) Illustrate how sentence are different in terms of their structure (12 marks)

QUESTION 3

Explain the different definitions of a sentence in terms of their purpose use and approach (20 marks)

QUESTION 4

Illustrate the following mechanics of structural organizations and change

i. Coordination (5 marks)
ii. Subordination (5 marks)
iii. Apposition (5 marks)
iv. Substitution (5 marks)

QUESTION 5

a) Illustrate the following mechanics of the structural organization and change
    i. Ellipsis (5marks)
    ii. Binding (5 marks)
b) Differentiate between the following structures as used in a language
    i. The sentence as an abstract unit of language (4 marks)
    ii. Syntactic versus semantic criteria for the definition of the sentence (6 marks)