## SECTION C — $(3 \times 10 = 30 \text{ marks})$

Answer the questions in about 300 words each.

20. (a) List out the difference between British and American English

Or

- (b) Paraphrase the following poem:
  My little son, who looked from thoughtful eyes
  And mored and spoke is quite grown-up wise,
  Having my law the seventh time disobeyed,
  I struck him, and dismissed
  With hard words and unkissed,
  His mother, who was patient, being deed.
  Then, fearing lest his grief should hinder sleep,
  I visited his bed,
  But found him slumbering deep,
  Wit darkened eyelids, and their lashes yet
  from his late sobbing wet.
- 21. (a) Explain Grammar and list out the misconception regarding grammar.

Or

- (b) Write a review of a film that you have seen recently.
- 22. (a) Bring out the difference between coherence and cohesion with suitable examples.

Or

(b) Write an essay on the authenticity of digital sources.

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Time: Three hours

Maximum: 75 marks

SECTION A —  $(10 \times 1 = 10 \text{ marks})$ 

Answer ALL questions

Choose the correct answer:

- 1. Which is not the characteristic of language?
  - (a) Instinctive (b) Acquired (c) Modifiable
  - (d) Systematic
- 2. Who says that 'le langage consists of two aspects 'langue' and 'Parole'?
  - (a) Henry Sweet
- (b) Noam Chomsky
- (c) Ferdinand de Saussure (d) Bloomfield
- 3. are "stylistic-functional varieties of a dialect or language".
  - (a) Registers (b) Idiolect (c) Boundaries
  - (d) Isoglosses
- 4. ———— is known as an identifiable pattern of speech characteristic of an individual.
  - (a) Dialectology (b) Bidialectal (c) Register
  - (d) Idiolect

- 5. Pidgin borrows words from indigenous languages and ————.
  - (a) French (b) Spanish (c) English (d) Greek.
- 6. Who coined the term jargon?
  - (a) Shakespeare (b) Johnson (c) Geoffrey Chaucer
  - (d) Spenser
- 7. The way in which people in a particular area pronounce words is called ————.
  - (a) Intonation (b) Rhythm (c) Stress (d) Accent
- 8. What is 'notice-board' called in American English?
  - (a) Notice-table
- (b) Bulletin board
- (c) Information board (d) Message board
- 9. Which word is not originated from India?
  - (a) Shampoo (b) Catamaran (c) Bandana
  - (d) Candle
- 10. What does the Latin word 'Protos' mean?
  - (a) First (b) Basic (c) Structure (d) Origin.

## SECTION B — (35 marks)

Answer any FIVE of the following:

- $(5 \times 5 = 25)$
- 11. Bring out the characteristics of language.
- 12. Discuss the difference between form and substance.
- 13. Distinguish the following pairs: Slang and Jargon and Pidgin and Creole.

- 14. Explain Latinate fallacy and Logical fallacy with suitable examples.
- 15. Describe the functions of transitional phrases with atleast five examples.
- 16. The state government has banned the use of plastic bags. You are Naveen, a reporter of the Hindu. Write a report in about 200 words on how the ban is being ignored and what damage the indiscriminate use of plastic bags in causing in the environment.
- 17. Discuss the impact of the Internet on plagiarism.
- 18. Explain the term I.C.Analysis and analyse with suitable examples. (5)
- 19. Disambiguate the following sentences. (5)
  - (a) An old advocate's name plate
  - (b) There is a bird in a cage that can talk.
  - (c) She promised to meet him at the bank.
  - (d) The old man and women left the room.
  - (e) Farmer Bill dies in house.