

**MASTER'S DEGREE PROGRAMME  
IN ENGLISH**

**Term-End Examination**

**June, 2022**

**MEG-04 : ASPECTS OF LANGUAGE**

*Time : 3 hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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**Note :** Answer question no. 1 which is **compulsory** and any other **four** questions. All questions carry equal marks.

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1. Write short notes on any **two** of the following : 20
  - (a) Cardinal Vowels
  - (b) Bilingualism
  - (c) Co-operative Principle
  - (d) Blends
  
2. Discuss the differences between human and animal communication. Also elaborate how and why language originated. 20

3. Describe with examples the main categories of the consonant phonemes of English. 20
  4. Outline the history of changes in the English spelling system. 20
  5. Describe briefly the tests used in identifying a syntactic constituent. Illustrate any two. 20
  6. Discuss the major learner factors in language acquisition. 20
  7. Why is the language planning essential ? What are the different types of language planning ? 20
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