

BEGE 102

**Bachelor's Degree Programme
BDP**

ASSIGNMENT

(For July 2022 and January 2023 Sessions)

The Structure of Modern English

BEGE 102 / EEG 02



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ASSIGNMENT (BEGE 102/ EEG 02)
THE STRUCTURE OF MODERN ENGLISH

Programme: BDP
Course Code: BEGE-102/ EEG-02 2022-23

Dear Student,

You are required to do **one** assignment for the course ‘The Structure of Modern English’ (BEGE 102 / EEG 02). It is a Tutor Marked Assignment (TMA) and carries 100 marks. It covers all blocks of the course. The TMA is concerned mainly with assessing your application and your understanding of the course material. It aims to teach as well as to assess your performance

Instructions: Before attempting the assignment please read the following instructions carefully.

1. Read the detailed instructions about the assignments given in the Programme Guide.
2. Write your Roll Number, Name, Full Address and Date on the top right corner of the first page of your response sheet(s).
3. Write the Course Title, Assignment Number and the Name of the Study Centre you are attached to in the centre of the first page of your response sheet(s).
4. Do not plan to take the terminal examination for the course if you have not done the assignment set for it first. You will not be permitted to do so.

The top of the first page of your response sheet should look like this:

Roll No.
Name:
Address.....
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 Course Title:
 Assignment No:
Study Centre Date :.....

5. Use only foolscap size paper for your response sheets and tag all the pages carefully.
6. Write the relevant question number with each answer.
7. You should write in your own handwriting.
8. **Submission:** Remember to keep a copy of your assignment with you and to take a receipt from your Study Centre when you submit the assignment. The completed assignment should be sent to the Coordinator at the Study Centre allotted to you.

Please remember that it is compulsory to submit your assignment before you can take the Term End Examination. Also remember to keep a copy of your

assignment with you and to take a receipt from your Study Centre when you submit the assignment.

Last Date for Submission of Assignment:

For June Examination	31st March
For December Examination	30th September

Good Luck!

Note: *Remember the submission of assignment is a precondition for appearing in the examination. If you do not submit the assignment on time, you will not be allowed to appear in the examination.*

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Max. Marks: 100

Answer all questions in this assignment.

SECTION A

- I a. Write short notes on the following: **5x4=20**
- Countable and non-countable nouns.
 - The Diphthongs in English
 - The falling tone.
 - Free morphemes and bound morphemes
 - Irregular verbs
- I b. Write the phonetic transcription of the following words **5x2=10**
- Transplantation
 - Ant
 - Material
 - Confidential
 - Perpendicular
- I c. Mark the primary stress in the following words using the appropriate stress mark **5x2=10**
- examination
 - democracy
 - abundance
 - photography
 - authority

Section B

- II a. What are affixes? Describe the various types of affixes.
Give examples of each type. **10**
- II b. Based on their grammatical function, how are pronouns classified? Give examples of each class. **10**
- II c. What are restrictive and non-restrictive clauses? Explain with suitable examples. **10**
- II d. Explain the differences between explicit and implicit negation with suitable examples. **10**

Section C

III a. Fill in the blanks as directed.

5x2=10

- i. She will come tomorrow ----- she feels better. (use an appropriate subordinating conjunction).
- ii. The sportsman ----- impressed the judges most was Krishnan. (use a suitable relative pronoun).
- iii. I bought dozen apples. (use the correct article).
- iv. My friend (go) to the library before I reached the college. (use the correct form of the verb in brackets).
- v. The government (plan) to construct a new road to the village for the last two years. (use the correct form of the verb in brackets).

III b. Rewrite as indicated.

5x2=10

- i. John is the tallest of all the boys. (Rewrite using positive degree).
- ii. Neither of us were pleased to see his work. (correct the sentence and rewrite).
- iii. Mary is very hardworking, (add question tag).
- iv. She is very weak. She cannot walk fast. (Combine to form a single sentence).
- v. John said, "Mary, I will be going to London tomorrow." (Rewrite as indirect speech).