

BEGE 102

**Bachelor's Degree Programme
BDP**

ASSIGNMENT

(For July 2020 and January 2021 Sessions)

The Structure of Modern English

BEGE 102 / EEG 02



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THE STRUCTURE OF MODERN ENGLISH

Programme: BDP
Course Code: BEGE-102/ EEG-02 2020-21

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: 4x5=20

- i. The Diphthongs in English
- ii. Stress and rhythm in connected speech.
- iii. Free morphemes and bound morphemes
- iv. Types of prefixes

I b. Write the phonetic transcription of the following words 5x2=10

- i. Pitch ii. Ant iii. Aunt iv. Shoe v. clever

I c. Mark the primary stress in the following words using the appropriate stress mark 5x2=10

- i. perpendicular ii. idea iii. abundance iv. confidential v. demonstration

Section B

II a. What are dependent clauses? What are the different types of dependent clauses?

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 prepositional phrases? Explain with suitable examples. 10

II d. Describe the three classes of verbs in English. Write examples of sentences in which these classes of verbs are used.

10

Section C

III a. Fill in the blanks with suitable articles.

5x2=10

- i. ----- water in this city is very polluted.
- ii. He loves to go trekking in ----- Himalayas.
- iii. She is planning to settle in ----- U.S.A.
- iv. That is ----- exaggeration. I do not believe it completely.
- v. I bought ----- dozen oranges.

III b. Fill in the blanks as indicated.

5x2=10

- i. Each of the candidates ----- (correct form of 'be') interviewed by the Chairman.
- ii. The candidate ----- impressed me most was Ashok. (with a suitable relative pronoun)
- iii. Have you finished the book ? (with an adjective clause).
- iv. I work hard (with an adverb clause).
- v. Can you tell me ----? (with a noun clause).