

CERTIFICATE IN TEACHING OF ENGLISH

Term-End Examination

June, 2014

CTE-01 : THE LANGUAGE LEARNER

Time : 2 hours

Maximum Marks : 100

Note : Answer any five questions

1. Write short notes on any four of the following. **5x4=20**
 - a) Role of socialisation in language learning
 - b) Episodic and Semantic memory
 - c) Aphasia
 - d) Middle English
 - e) LAD
 - f) Variation due to social class.

2. What is Aptitude? How does MLAT predict a student's aptitude for learning a foreign language? **5+15=20**

3. State the main differences between the piagetian approach and Chomsky's approach to language learning? **20**

4. What is error analysis? How does it explain and justify errors committed in learning a second language? **5+15=20**

5. What is cognition? Discuss all the four cognitive styles of language learning in brief. Which according to you is the best style for second language learning? **5+10+5=20**
6. What is the difference between human language and other forms of communication? **20**
7. It is believed by some that there is a decline in language learning among adults. Do you agree? Give reasons for your answer. **8+12=20**

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