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DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH  
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COURSE CODE: ENG101 UNIT: 3 DURATION: 2½ HOURS

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE

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INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS.

Question No.		Total Mark
1	What is language? Mention and explain any six characteristics of human language.	20 mks
2	Define linguistics. Briefly discuss the subfields of linguistics.	20 mks
3	With relevant examples, discuss word formation processes in English.	20 mks
4	Using appropriate examples, briefly discuss any four of the following: (i) nominal group, (ii) verbal group, (iii) adjectival group, (iv) adverbial group, (v) prepositional group	20 mks
5	With appropriate exemplification, discuss the elements of the English clause structure and the items that realize each of them.	20 mks