4. Write short notes on : 7x2=14

(a) Agglutinating language

(b) Inflecting languages

Or

Write a note on family tree.

5. Discuss in detail Sapir-Whorf hypothesis. 14

Or

Write a note on language and educational failure.

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# PG Odd Semester Examination, 2022

## LINGUISTICS

(1st Semester)

Course No.: LINGCC-501

**(Introduction to Language)**

*Full Marks: 70*

*Pass Marks: 28*

*Time: 3 hours*

*The figures in the right margin indicate full marks for the question.*
*Answer any five questions.*

1. What is language ? Entically examine a for defintions of language. 14

Or

Write a detailed note on various theories of origin of language.

2. Write a comprehensive note on the differences between human language and animal system of communication. 14

Or

Write an explanatory note on first language acquisition.

3. Write a comperative note on speech and writing. 14

Or

What are the complications found in the writing systems of language?