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**GARISSA UNIVERSITY**

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION 2020/2021 ACADEMIC YEAR THREE**

**SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)**

**COURSE CODE: ENG 314**

**COURSE TITLE: ENGLISH SEMANTICS AND PRAGMANTICS**

**EXAMINATION DURATION: 2 HOURS**

**DATE: 10/10/2021 TIME: 09.00-11.00 AM**

**INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES**

* **The examination has FIVE (5) questions**
* **Question ONE (1) is COMPULSORY**
* **Choose any other TWO (2) questions from the remaining FOUR (4) questions**
* **Use sketch diagrams to illustrate your answer whenever necessary**
* **Do not carry mobile phones or any other written materials in examination room**
* **Do not write on this paper**

**This paper consists of TWO (2) printed pages *please turn over***

**QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)**

1. Differentiate (**10mark**s)
2. Semantics and pragmatics
3. Patient and instrument
4. Intended and interpreted meaning
5. Show the relationship between semantics and science (4marks)
6. Highlight the levels of linguistic analysis (10marks)
7. Explain “Linguistic relativity theory and its weaknesses (10marks**)**

**QUESTION TWO**

1. Semantically the clause is regarded as a process, with agent, action and patient. Make ten sentences each depicting that. (10marks)
2. Speech Act Theory uses technical terms for the structures beneath the surface of discourse. Explain your understanding of; (10marks)
3. Locution
4. Illocution
5. Perlocution

**QUESTION THREE**

From the semantic point of view, the elements of a clause are supposed to perform specific roles. These roles include: -

1. Agent
2. Patient
3. Predicator
4. Instrument
5. Beneficiary
6. Locative

Explain each role with illustrations. (20 marks)

**QUESTION FOUR**

Show with examples any five types of meaning (20 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE**

1. Underline Rheme in the following sentences (10marks)
2. His first and best novel is extremely expensive
3. Last year, I received my certificate.
4. In my understanding, this exam is very simple.
5. Away it flew.
6. Kenya is a rich country
7. Show incidents when declaratives are used in an act (10marks)