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FIRST SEMESTER M.A. DEGREE EXAMINATION, NOVEMBER 2020

(CBCSS-PG)

(Regular/Supplementary/Improvement)

CC19P ENG1 C03 – HISTORY OF ENGLISH LANGUAGE

(English Language and Literature)

(2019 Admission onwards)

Time: Three Hours

Maximum: 30 Weightage

I. Write short essays on any *five* of the following in about 300 words each:

1. Write a note on William Caxton.
2. Explain The Great Vowel Shift.
3. Write a brief note on Grimm's Law.
4. Write a short note on Pidgin and Creoles.
5. Write a note on the rise of 'Englishes'.
6. Briefly explain Morphology.
7. Explain Standard English.

(5 x 2 = 10 Weightage)

II. Write essays on any *four* of the following in about 600 words each:

8. Explain in detail the Indo - European family of languages.
9. Explain the three main stages in the development of English language.
10. Write about the Greek and Latin loan words in English language.
11. What are the major contributions of poets to the development of English language?
12. What are the important word formation processes? Explain.
13. Write in detail about the impact of science and technology on English language.

(4 x 5 = 20 Weightage)
