

PARUL UNIVERSITY
FACULTY OF ARTS
B.Arts Winter 2019 – 20 Examination

Semester: 1

Subject Code: 15193205

Subject Name: History and Structure of Language-I

Date: 22/11/2019

Time: 10:30 am to 01:00 pm

Total Marks: 60

Instructions:

1. All questions are compulsory.
2. Figures to the right indicate full marks.
3. Make suitable assumptions wherever necessary.
4. Start new question on new page.

Q.1. Do as directed.**(08)****A. Multiple choice type questions. (Each of 0.5 mark)**

1. Which of the following is a Celtic river name
A. Aegean B. Cibola C. Thames D. Nile
2. The English Dialectal dictionary contains how many simple words
A. 1153 B. 1152 C. 1154 D. 1155
3. In 1204 which king lost the territory of Normandy?
A. King John B. King Luke C. King Marc D. King Henry
4. The 100 years' war lasted occurred between?
A. 1337 to 1450 B. 1337-1459 C. 1337-1453 D. 1337-1400
5. The duration of re-establishment of English is?
A. 1200-1400 B. 1200- 1500 C. 1200-1600 D. 1200- 1700
6. The Norman conquest occurs in which period?
A. 1066-1485 B. 1066-1400 C. 1066-1421 D. 1066-1423
7. The Christianizing of Old English happened in?
A. 597 B. 592 C. 599 D. 593
8. Which of the following events affected the development Old English?
A. 100 years' war B. Scandinavian Conquest C. Norman War D. All of the Above
9. As per 2012 data how many people in world speak English?
A. 400 Million B. 500 Million C. 600 Million D. 700 Milion
10. Which of the following is not a language belonging to Indo European Family?
A. Arabic B. German C. Chinese D. German
11. The process by which Latin revolutionized old English is?
A. Renaissance B. Restoration C. Chritinatization D. Latinization
12. Which of the following are the major tribes of England in Old English?
A. Northumbrian B. Mercian C. West Saxonian D. All of the Above
13. Which of the following is not a part of English time line
A. Old English B. Middle English C. Modern English D. None
14. Old English had case-endings known as what?
A. Inflections B. inflections C. Inflectiions D. Inflections
15. Middle English period saw rise of which language?
A. German B. French C. English D. Celtic
16. English does not consist of which of the following family of languages?
A. Indo B. European C. Germanic D. Scottish

B. Answer the following in short. (Each of 01 mark)**(07)**

1. What is the time period of old English period?
2. What are the positive consequences of English becoming a world language?
3. What was the importance of English language in middle class?
4. What is the importance of English at global level?
5. List out the languages spoken in England before English?
6. Define Latinization?
7. Which was the first language that was spoken in England during Old English?

Q.2. Answer the following.

- A. Explain in brief the importance of language and English language? **(04)**
- B. Explain in brief the Future of English? **(04)**
- C. Discuss the reasons behind the disappearance of French in England? **(04)**

OR

- C. Write a brief note on languages in England before English and the names "English and England" **(04)**

Q.3. Answer the Following

- A. Short note: Old English (05)
- B. Short Note: English at present and future (05)
- C. Short note: Decay of inflectional English (05)

OR

- C. Short note: Rise of Middle Class and Middle English Literature? (05)

Q.4. Answer the Following

- A. Write a detailed note on reestablishment of English? (06)
- B. Discuss the growth of English language in 19th century and after in detail? (06)
- C. Discuss the Indo-European Family of Languages in Detail? (06)

OR

- C. Discuss in detail about the Norman conquest and the subjection of English in detail? (06)