



(Knowledge for Development)

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**2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR
SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

COURSE CODE: ENG 211.

**COURSE TITLE: THE DEVELOPMENT OF ENGLISH AS A SECOND
LANGUAGE**

DATE: 29TH AUGUST, 2022

TIME: 11.00AM - 1.00PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question **ONE** and any other **TWO** Questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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QUESTION ONE - COMPULSORY (30 MARKS)

- (a) What do you understand by the term language? (2 marks)
- (b) List three strategies of developing the learner's vocabulary in English as a Second Language. (4 marks)
- (c) Distinguish carefully between 'first language' and 'second language'. (4 marks)
- (d). Explain the terms foreign language, national language and official language. (6 marks)
- (e) Why is English the medium of instruction in Kenyan and Ugandan secondary schools? (4 marks)
- (f). Describe the language situation in Kenya, Uganda and Nigeria. (6 marks)
- (g). Illustrate clearly the cross-linguistic influence between English and the indigenous Kenyan Languages. (8 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- (a). Distinguish between foreign language and official language. (5 marks)
- (b) Identify the distinguishing features of a national language. (5 marks)
- (c). List the areas or domains where the English language is an official language in Kenya. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- (a). Determine whether or not English should be regarded as a global language. (5 marks)
- (b). Describe the geographical spread of the language within your county government area. (5 marks)
- (c) Make a list of interference problems you hear in the English speech of persons around you. (10 marks)
- (d) List at least, five (5) countries where English is used as a second Language (5 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- (a). What factors can be held responsible for the world-wide spread of English? (5 marks)
- (b). What do you understand by language implantation? (5 marks)
- (c). Discuss five factors that were responsible for the implantation of the English language in Kenya. (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- (a). Describe the status of indigenous languages in Kenya, Uganda and Nigeria. (10 marks)
- (b). Illustrate clearly the cross-linguistic influence between English and Kiswahili. (10 marks)