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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

MAIN EXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS (REGULAR)

COURSE CODE: ENG 414

COURSE TITLE: FUNCTIONAL VARIETIES OF ENGLISH

DATE: 26/01/2022

TIME: 2:00 – 4:00PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

Answer question one and any other two questions.

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1. Discuss the following concepts in relation to language use.
 - a) Standard versus non standard variety (10Marks)
 - b) Dialect versus idiolect (10 Marks)
 - c) Jargon versus register (10 Marks)
2. A teacher predisposed with more than one language employs code mixing and code switching. Explain the meaning and benefits of such acts to a classroom teacher (20 Marks)
3. The society and language influence each other in a bi-directional way. Discuss (20 Marks)
4. With the use of examples, discuss the following concepts in relation to the speech act theory
 - a) Locutionary act
 - b) Illocutionary act
 - c) Perlocutionary act (20 Marks)
5. English language has varieties based on different factors. Explain using examples of use from the English language (20 Marks)