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SECOND OPPORTUNITY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER	
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INSTRUCTIONS
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Answer ALL the questions.2. Read all the questions carefully before answering.3. Number the answers clearly

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Question 1

With relevant examples, distinguish between the following terms.

- a) Language and linguistics (6)
- b) Phonemes and allophones (6)
- c) Adverbs and intensifiers (6)

Question 2

Analyse the sentences below following the Immediate Constituent Analysis using a tree diagram.

- a) The lecturer marked the students' assignments. (10)
- b) Elizabeth asked an interesting question. (11)

Question 3

Explain the difference between phonetics and phonology? Illustrate by providing sufficient examples. (16)

Question 4

Deep and surface structure form part of Noam Chomsky's work on Transformational Grammar. Write a distinction between the two theories while using the examples. (20)

Question 5

Structural grammar emerged as traditional grammar was found to be insufficient in explaining some grammatical elements. Write an essay in which you compare traditional grammar with structural grammar. Give each grammar five different points. (25)

Total Marks (100)

End of question paper