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2025_2 EXAMINATIONS.

COURSE CODE: ENG351

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO APPLIED LINGUISTICS

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTION: Answer any 3 questions (credit will be given to correct use of language)

1. The principal concern of Applied Linguistics is the study of language in use as a goal for education and an instrument of social change. Discuss.
2. Clearly differentiate between language acquisition and language learning
3. (a) What is Corpus Linguistics?
(b) List and explain at least four (4) types of corpora.
4. List and explain the factors responsible for individual differences in language learning.
5. Write short notes on any three (3) of the followings:
 - (i) Discourse Analysis
 - (ii) Sociolinguistics
 - (iii) Critical Discourse Analysis
 - (iv) Pragmatics
 - (v) Computer-Assisted Language Learning