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**Third Semester B.A.LL.B. (Five Year Integrated)  
Degree Examination, October 2022**

**Paper I : BASICS OF COMMUNICATION AND STUDY OF LANGUAGE**

**(2020 Admission)**

Time : 3 Hours

Max. Marks : 80

1. Answer any **ten** of the following each in a sentence or two:

1. Define dialect.
2. What does the Bow-wow theory say about the origin of human language?
3. What is a pidgin?
4. Socio-cultural barriers in Communication.
5. Name any two characteristic features of human language.
6. Grapevine.
7. Information overload.
8. Conciseness.
9. Portmanteau word.
10. Name Milton's masterpiece work that has contributed many phrases to the English language.
11. Back-formation.
12. Define Semantics.

**(10 × 2 = 20 Marks)**

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II. Answer any **six** of the following, each in a paragraph of about **100** words:

13. The role of English in the digital age.
14. The contribution of the Bible translations to the growth of the English language.
15. What are the major barriers in Communication?
16. Briefly explain the seven C's of Communication.
17. Distinguish between the Synchronic and the Anachronic study of language.
18. Standard English.
19. Explain any two ways of word-formation.
20. Shakespeare's contribution to the English language.
21. Non-verbal Communication.

(6 × 5 = 30 Marks)

III. Write an essay on any **two** in about **300** words each:

22. Discuss the various theories related to the origin of human language.
23. Examine the various trends in English language.
24. What is the uniqueness of Human language? How is it different from Animal Language?
25. Evolution of English as a Global language.

(2 × 15 = 30 Marks)