

PGDELT Term End Examination 2020

Sample Questions Paper 1

1. What was the name of the oldest charity school in India?
2. When did the structural approach develop?
3. What are the four components of a “system” according to Littlejohn?
4. What is the age of the mission school?
5. On which commission was the National Policy on Education, 1968 based?
6. What is materials development in general terms?
7. Mention a claim of Cognitive Linguistics.
8. Why was Structural Linguistics out of focus from the late 1950s?
9. When did writing develop?
10. To which field does Functional Grammarians belong?

Sample Question Paper 2

1. Which is the phrase *free variation* related to ?
2. What is the structuralist perspective of phonology?
3. Which are the *only three sounds* aspirated in English when they occur initially in the stressed syllable.
4. What does the term *Received Pronunciation (RP)* designate?
5. “*Grammar is not a precise term, in the way that ‘phonology’ or ‘anatomy’ or ‘sodium chloride’ may be considered precise terms... ”*
Who is the author of this very significant remark?
6. Name three types of Grammar.
7. How would you look at descriptive grammar?
8. What is the status of English in modern urban India?
9. What is suggested by Teacher’s Grammar?
10. What do you think to be ideally a necessity for the teacher’s grammar?

Sample Questions Paper 3

1. Younger learners of a foreign language benefit relatively more than the older from a language-exchange trip to the concerned foreign country. Whose observation is this?
2. Name the attributes a learner loves to see in a tutor?
3. Name factors would you think as *prime* in facing and clearing a viva-voce or interview for your recruitment to teachership?
4. Why has the teacher development movement come up to catch up with the ELT courses in particular?
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6. While teaching the learners a foreign language how should be the teacher’s language?
7. What should be the attitude of a teacher if s/he notices a student yawning in a very interesting class on language?

8. What should a teacher do when s/he is given to teach a subject like summary or precis writing that does not often find favour with the students?
9. What is meant by the word ‘project’ when it is used as a noun in a special sense?
10. What is the number of stages that a project purports to pass through?

Sample Questions Paper 4

1. Language is primarily speech, not writing. Which school of linguistics subscribes to this view?
2. Name a linguist associated with the *Centre for Applied Linguistics, University of Edinburgh*.
3. Applied linguistics has a basis that cuts across theory and practice, and not simply a corpus of technical issues and practicalities. Whose view is this?
4. Who proposed Notional Functional Syllabus?
5. What does CAH stand for?
6. Which phrase approximates the idea of ‘interlanguage’?
7. ‘Errors are not random but they form a system’. Who posits this idea?
8. What is meant by ‘overgeneralization’?
9. What is signified by ‘semantics’?
10. Which field of linguistics is a funneled study on mental processes in the acquisition of a target language?

Sample Questions Paper 5

1. When did the Oral and Situational Language Teaching develop?
2. Name a method which provides accurate models for teaching dialogues and drills.
3. The objectives of which method includes Humanistic Techniques?
4. With which method is the Natural Approach similar?
5. Which language element is suitable for teaching with the Silent Way?
6. What is focused listening?
7. What is the Processing Problem?
8. Name the language skill for the sub-skill ‘Distinguish the main idea from supporting details’.
9. What is the function of the pre-writing stage?
10. Who suggested the ‘cognitive aspects’ in reading skills?

Sample Questions Paper 6

1. What is self evaluation?
2. What is teacher-based evaluation?
3. What are the tools for conducting a needs analysis?
4. Explain layout in a questionnaire.
5. What are the criteria for a test?
6. What is ‘do-ability’ in test preparation?
7. Who is assessed in Teaching Practice?
8. What does the teacher activity in a Lesson Plan include?
9. Name two major areas of Lesson Planning.
10. Why is a ‘Cloze’ mode of testing used?