

**CERTIFICATE IN TEACHING OF  
ENGLISH (CTE) (REVISED)**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2024**

**CTE-102 : THE STRUCTURE OF ENGLISH**

*Time : 2 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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**Note :** (i) *Question No. 1 is compulsory.*

(ii) *Answer any **four** questions from question nos. 2 to 7.*

(iii) *Answer **five** questions in all.*

(iv) *All questions carry equal marks.*

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1. Write short notes on any **four** of the following :

$4 \times 5 = 20$

- (a) Skimming
- (b) Speech Act
- (c) Semantics
- (d) Types of Verbs
- (e) Word-loans
- (f) Affixing

2. What is the discourse perspective and what is the role of context in discourse studies ? 20
  
3. (a) What is the importance of feedback or backchannel cues and repair in communication ? 10
  
- (b) Fill in the blanks with a/an/the or no article : 10

.....(i)..... total of eight cheetahs were released in the Kuno Palpur National Park last September as .....(ii)..... part of .....(iii)..... ambitious plan to reintroduce cheetahs in India. ....(iv)..... five female and three male cheetahs were imported from .....(v)..... Africa as founder stock for five year initially. ....(vi)..... last recorded cheetah was hunted down in 1952. Kuno was home to .....(vii)..... Asian cheetahs hundred years ago. ....(viii)..... team of experts, veterinarians, and officials monitors their health and routine to ensure .....(ix)..... all around well-being of the big cats. There is .....(x)..... palpable air of excitement in the country to see cheetahs in the wild.

4. Write a detailed note on word compounding in English. 20
5. (a) What are the *four* types of sentences ?  
Explain using relevant examples. 10
- (b) Identify the root, prefix and suffix in the following words : 5
- (i) Unacceptable
  - (ii) Undoing
  - (iii) Malnourished
  - (iv) Irregularity
  - (v) Discontentment
- (c) Add prefixes to the following words : 5
- (i) Calculation
  - (ii) Social
  - (iii) Regular
  - (iv) Classify
  - (v) Safe
6. (a) What are the word building processes in English ? 10
- (b) Fill in the blanks with suitable prepositions : 5
- (i) She is married ..... my cousin.
  - (ii) He is dependent ..... his parents.

- (iii) He has been absent ..... Tuesday.
  - (iv) He is innocent ..... this crime.
  - (v) The cat has been hiding ..... the bed all this while.
- (c) What is the gender of the following nouns ?

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- (i) Stone
- (ii) Teacher
- (iii) Bull
- (iv) Peahen
- (v) Friend

7. What are the types of cohesive relations in English ? Use appropriate examples to explain.

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OR

Discuss the difference between consonants and vowels. Give relevant examples.

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