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**BEGG-172**

**BACHELOR OF ARTS (GENERAL)**

**(BAG)**

**Term-End Examination**

**December, 2025**

**BEGG-172 : LANGUAGE AND LINGUISTICS**

*Time : 3 Hours*

*Maximum Marks : 100*

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*Note : (i) This question paper consists of two  
Sections—Section A and Section B.*

*(ii) Both Sections are compulsory.*

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**Section—A**

*Note : Attempt any two questions in about  
150-200 words each. 2×10=20*

1. Elaborate on the foundation principles of structural-functional linguistics.

2. Discuss deviational suffixes with suitable examples.
3. Explain the inflectional morphology of English adverbs.
4. Differentiate finite and infinite verb phrases.

### Section—B

*Note : Attempt any **four** questions in about  
400-450 words each. 4×20=80*

5. Elaborate in detail the reason why mentalists highlighted the competence and performance aspects of universal grammar.
6. List out the features of multilingualism in India and substantiate how it can be used as a resource.
7. Differentiate and explain in detail about sound and spelling in English.
8. Present the phonetic symbols of the sounds in English with examples.

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9. What are inflectional affixes ? Give adequate explanation with suitable examples.
10. Differentiate between functional and formal labelling.
11. Explain in detail the features, structure and types of noun phrases.

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