

Bago University
Department of English
Second Semester Examination, September 2019

Third Year (B.A)
(English Specialization)

Eng 3110
English Language Studies - 4
Time Allowed: (3) Hours

Answer **FIVE** questions. (Attempt question **No.1** and other **FOUR** questions.)

- I. Add notes on any **TWO** of the following:
 - a) Phrasal categories and word level categories
 - b) Syntactic theory and traditional grammar
 - c) Draw five types of tree diagrams

- II. Discuss the two major goals of syntactic theory.

- III. Explain how syntactic theory is related to traditional grammar, focusing on the importance of syntactic theory.

- IV. How can you investigate “the constituent structure of a sentence”?

- V. Explain “The representation of constituent structure”.

- VI. What are phrase structure rules which were assumed to be an important component of a grammar until the 1980’s?
