

國立臺北教育大學 98 學年度碩士班招生入學考試

兒童英語教育學系英語教育碩士班 語言學概論 科試題

Instructions: All the following questions must be answered in English, except in some cases where examples from other languages might be cited for illustration. Please write your answer on the answer sheet provided, and be sure to clearly mark the number of the test items.

I. For each of the following questions, choose the most appropriate answer from the following choices. (每題 3 分, 共 30 分)

1. Which of the following distinctive features can distinguish the English sounds [p] and [k]?
(A) voiceless (B) coronal (C) high (D) strident
2. Which of the following is an agglutinating language?
(A) Chinese (B) Turkish (C) English (D) Spanish
3. Which of the following examples contains a generalized conversational implicature?
(A) Person A : Did you call Mary and John?
Person B : I called Mary.
(B) Person A : Do you like hamburgers?
Person B : Does the bird have wings?
(C) Person A : What did you think of the film?
Person B : Well, the supporting actor was great.
(D) Person A : Would you like to go the cinema tonight?
Person B : I have to study for an exam.
4. Which of the following sentences contains a proform?
(A) The chicken is ready to eat.
(B) Mary passed the examination.
(C) John expects Mary to come at 11:00 a.m.
(D) I borrowed a book from her.
5. For the following group of sounds [p], [s], [z], [š], [ž], which sound does NOT belong to the natural class?
(A) [s] (B) [z] (C) [ž] (D) [p]
6. Speech sounds can be scaled according to their degree of sonority. Which of the following classes is the least sonorous?
(A) Nasals (B) Vowels (C) Voiceless stops (D) Liquids
7. Which of the following words starts with an alveolar, and ends with a voiceless fricative?
(A) derail (B) snuff (C) zodiac (D) garrulous

8. Which of the following pairs holds the semantic relationship of converse?
- (A) hot/cold
 (B) father/son
 (C) Jack is a bachelor./Jack is married.
 (D) John sold a car to Mary./Mary bought a car from John.
9. Which of the following italicized expressions in the following sentences are constituents?
- (A) She is *a very* clever girl.
 (B) My *little brother* works very hard.
 (C) The worker has painted furniture *in the house*.
 (D) John *gave Mary* the book.
10. Which of the following sound change involves the process of epenthesis?
- (A) /b ɪ d/ [b ɪ : d]
 (B) /f ɪ fθs/ [f ɪ fts]
 (C) /seɪ/ [seəɪ]
 (D) /hɪst ətɪ/ [hɪstrɪ]

II. Define each of the following linguistic terms with an illustrative example.

(每題 6 分，共 30 分)

1. cataphor
2. digloss
3. substratum
4. mental image
5. adjacency pairs

III. Answer the following questions. (共 40 分)

1. In English, allomorphs can be both phonologically and morphologically-conditioned. Explain each with an example. (8 分)
2. What is the basic lexical relation between the following pair of words? (8 分)
 - a. suite, sweet b. table, furniture c. move, run d. mature, ripe
3. a. Draw a tree diagram for the following sentence.
 “ They are checking accounts.” (4 分)
 b. Mark the sentence stresses with “ ’ ” on the sentence. (4 分)
 c. Explain the meaning of the sentence. (6 分)
4. Identify the word-formation processes involved in producing the italicized forms in these sentences and explain the processes. (10 分)
 - a. It’s a built-in *modem*.
 - b. John has a *blog*.
 - c. I *donate* 2 million dollars.