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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
(ARTS)**

ENGL 424: LINGUISTICS AND THE STUDY OF LITERATURE

STREAMS:

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 17/04/2018

8.30 A.M – 10.30 A.M

INSTRUCTION:

- **Answer question one and any other two questions from the choices given.**
- **Note all answers should be illustrated with relevant examples**

1. (a) With examples, identify five types of neologisms. [10marks]
(b) Explain the concept of the familiar and far-fetched word. [10marks]
(c) Show how we use circumlocution in everyday life. [10marks]
 2. Discuss six types of diction that a writer /speaker can employ. [20marks]
 3. Discuss five types of ambiguity resolution techniques. [20marks]
 4. Highlight six instances where the canonical word order is not followed in English. [20marks]
 5. Discuss five properties of the Kernel Clause. [20marks]
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