

Government General Degree College, Chapra

B.A. 6th Semester Internal Examination 2023

English (Programme)

Language and Linguistics (ENGH-G-GE-T-2)

Time: 1 hour

Full Marks: 15

1. Answer any two of the following:

5 X 2 = 10

- (a) Give three term description of all the phonemes in the words 'net' and 'car'.
- (b) What is plosive? Describe the articulatory features of the English plosives.
- (c) Define front vowels and back vowels.
- (d) Attempt phonemic transcription of the following words
Feel, love, breeze, wild, foot

2. Identify and explain the figures of speech from the following passage:

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Scatter, as from an unextinguished hearth
Ashes and sparks, my words among mankind!
Be through my lips to unawakened earth

The trumpet of a prophecy! O Wind,
If winter comes, can spring be far behind?