

BOWEN UNIVERSITY, IWO
COLLEGE OF LIBERAL STUDIES
ENGLISH PROGRAMME
2019/2020 FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO LANGUAGE AND COMMUNICATION
COURSE CODE: ENG 209
DATE: JANUARY/FEBRUARY, 2020 TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

Instruction: There are five questions. Answer three (3) questions, including Question 1.

1. Intonation is an important aspect of communication. Define intonation (2 marks), and explain four of its communicative functions (7 marks each).
2. How does each of the following enable you to explain the concept of *meaning*:
 - a. Experiential meaning (7 marks);
 - b. Interpersonal meaning (6 marks); and
 - c. Textual meaning (7 marks)?
3. Write short notes on the following approaches to grammar: (i) *generative* (10 marks) and (ii) *functional* (10 marks).
4. What is *social approach to language*? (20 marks)
5. What is *communication* (5 marks); and what are its types (5 marks), genres (5 marks) and channels (5 marks)?