

BOWEN UNIVERSITY IWO, OSUN STATE

COLLEGE OF LIBERAL STUDIES

ENGLISH PROGRAMME

2020/2021 FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION

COURSE TITLE: SPOKEN ENGLISH II

COURSE CODE: ENG 223

DATE: MARCH, 2021

TIME ALLOWED: 1 HOUR

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

1. Read out the following structures with emphasis on the stressed syllables:

Magnify	Possibility
Invasion	Shameful
Disloyalty	Standing
Illegality	Delicate
Contend	Telephone
Invasion	frantic
Blackboard	serpent
Disloyalty	intelligibility
Stylistic	humanitarian
powerful	vibrate

20 marks

2. Read out the utterances below with stress on the appropriate words according to the information in the brackets.

- a) Yesterday Sam gave a big blue book to Clara. (not a bag, or some other thing)
- b) Yesterday Sam gave a big blue book to Clara. (not a red or a green one)
- c) Yesterday Sam gave a big blue book to Clara (not a small one)
- d) Yesterday Sam gave a big blue book to Clara (He actually handed it to her; he didn't send it by post)
- e) Yesterday Sam gave a big blue book to Clara (Sam did it, not Steve)
- f) Yesterday Sam gave a big blue book to Clara (not this morning)
- g) The book is on the table (it is not the pen)
- h) The book is on the table (not inside it)
- i) The book is on the table (not on the shelf)
- j) The book is on the table (now)

20 marks

3. Read out the utterances below using the appropriate intonation pattern:

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| a) This is quite unbelievable | f) Is this your car? |
| b) We bought a pen, a book, a ruler and a bag | g) Come back here |
| c) She came, didn't she? | h) Shall I compare you to a gazelle? |
| d) How are you? | i) Get out of my office. |
| e) What a wonderful presentation! | j) You are coming to lunch with us, aren't you? |

20 marks