Q. 1. a) Which factors Cause Sender-related and receiver related barriers in communication? (20) OR  
   b) Explain any three functions of language.

Q. 2. a) Define a phoneme, an allophone, a syllable and a minimal pair with examples. (20) OR  
   b) What is meant by the ‘Morphology of English’?

Q. 3. a) What is pragmatics the study of? How is it related to speech–acts? (20) OR  
   b) ‘Weak forms and Intonation play an important role in English ‘– Elaborate.

Q. 4. a) Do you agree that British English, American English and English Indian are Varieties of the English language? Give reasons. (20)  
   b) What do you understand by the term i) Dialect ii) Sociolect iii) Idiolect iv) Register v) Style?

Q. 5. Answer in brief. (any Two) (20)  
   a. Language is arbitrary and a rule governed behaviour.
   b. ‘The Organs of Speech’- How do they function?
   c. The four maxims of Co-operative principle.
   d. Identify the errors in the following sentences and write the correct sentences –  
      i) Are you understanding the problem?  
      ii) Mary is going to Pune?  
      iii) She won’t do it, isn’t it?  
      iv) We prefers studying in the morning.  
      v) The villager had five sheeps.