

Question 8 10 of 10 (Start time: 12:02:21 AM, 02 June 2020)

Total Marks: 1

The process of creating one lexeme from another is called _____.

Select the correct option

☐

inflection

☒

derivation

☐

borrowing

☐

splitting

Primary affixes in English are often of Latin-Romance origin, while secondary affixes are often of native ——— origin.

Select the correct option

☐ French

☐ Spanish

☒ Germanic

☐ Latin

The phenomenon whereby a language becomes intolerant of useless elements and speakers reanalyze them as having a new role is called _____.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-------------------------|
| ☒ | linguistic exaptation |
| ☐ | language death |
| ☐ | language shift |
| ☐ | linguistic endangerment |

The process of creating a new word by truncation of an existing one is known as ———.

Select the correct option

☐	Blending
☐	Compounding
☒	Clipping
☐	Inflection

_____ deals with restrictions in a language on the permissible combinations of phonemes.

Select the correct option

- | | |
|----------------------------------|-----------------|
| ☒ | Phonotactics |
| ☐ | Phonetics |
| ☐ | Morphophonetics |
| ☐ | Semantics |

Which of the following words is logically compositional?

Select the correct option

☐	Behead
☒	Doghouse
☐	Scarecrow
☐	Befriend

Which of the following can be the subject of a sentence?

Select the correct option

☐	Verb
☒	Noun
☐	Adverb
☐	Determiner

According to English morphology, the word 'fish' will take ——— morpheme when becomes plural.

Select the correct option

☐	-s
☐	-es
☐	-ies
☒	no

The smallest linguistic unit with a grammatical function is known as a/ an ———.

Select the correct option

☒ morpheme

☐ grapheme

☐ phoneme

☐ lexeme

The process of creating one lexeme from another is called ———.

Select the correct option

- ☐ inflection
- ☒ derivation
- ☐ borrowing
- ☐ splitting

Which of the following linguists proposed that language is a system of signs?



Select the correct option



Ferdinand de Saussure



Noam Chomsky



David Crystal



Peter Trudgill

The phenomenon whereby a language becomes intolerant of useless elements and speakers reanalyze them as having a new role is called ————.

Select the correct option

- ☒ linguistic exaptation
- ☐ language death
- ☐ language shift
- ☐ linguistic endangerment

Which of the following is a function word?

Select the correct option

☐ Bargain

☒ Was

☐ Sleep

☐ Girl

Which of the following can be the subject of a sentence?

Select the correct option

☐	Verb
☒	Noun
☐	Adverb
☐	Determiner

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Items such as 'the' and 'for' which are phonologically dependent on adjacent words, are called ———.

Select the correct option

☒	clitics
☐	proclitics
☐	enclitics
☐	None of the given options

The two basic approaches to morphological analysis are 'analysis' and '————' .

Select the correct option

☒	synthesis
☐	application
☐	method
☐	reflection

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What is the origin of the word 'morphology'?

Select the correct option

☒	Greek
☐	Spanish
☐	French
☐	Russian

Question # 2 of 10 (Start time: 12:27:35 AM, 01 June 2020)

The two basic approaches to morphological analysis are 'analysis' and '————' .

Select the correct option

☒	synthesis
☐	application
☐	method
☐	reflection

Question # 3 of 10 (Start time: 12:27:55 AM, 01 June 2020)

The grammar that describes the interactions taking place between morphology and phonology is known as -----,

Select the correct option

☒	morphophonology
☐	phonetics
☐	lexicology
☐	prosodic morphology

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Which of the following is a function word?

Select the correct option

☐	Bargain
☒	Was
☐	Sleep
☐	Girl

Question # 5 of 10 (Start time: 12:28:35 AM, 01 June 2020)

Primary affixes in English are often of Latin-Romance origin, while secondary affixes are often of native ——— origin.

Select the correct option

☐	French
☐	Spanish
☒	Germanic
☐	Latin

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Linguists use the term —————in particular to refer to the mental dictionary.

Select the correct option

☒	lexicon
☐	lexeme
☐	vocabulary
☐	grapheme

Question # 8 of 10 (Start time: 12:29:39 AM, 01 June 2020)

What is the origin of the word 'morphology'?

Select the correct option

☒	Greek
☐	Spanish
☐	French
☐	Russian

Question # 7 of 10 (**Start time: 12:29:22 AM, 01 June 2020**)

The smallest linguistic unit with a grammatical function is known as a/ an ———.

Select the correct option

☒	morpheme
☐	grapheme
☐	phoneme
☐	lexeme

Question # 1 of 10 (**Start time: 12:27:00 AM, 01 June 2020**)

Linguists use the term ————-in particular to refer to the mental dictionary.

Select the correct option



lexicon



lexeme



vocabulary



grapheme

Zero-derivation changes the ——— category of a word without changing its phonological shape.

Select the correct option

☒ lexical

☐ semantic

☐ syntactic

☐ all the given options

Question # 9 of 10 (**Start time: 12:16:41 PM, 01 June 2020**)

Which of the following is a form of derivation?

Select the correct option

☐	Blending
☐	Compounding
☐	Clipping
☒	All the given options