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MAIN EXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR EDUCATION (ART)

COURSE CODE: ENG 310

COURSE TITLE: THE STRUCTURE OF MODERN ENGLISH SENTENCE I

DATE: 15th January 2015 TIME:3.00-5.00hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- Answer question one and any other two

1 (a) Illustrate and distinguish the following pairs of concepts

- i) Phrase and clause (5 marks)
- ii) Clause and sentence (5 marks)

(b) Identify the following elements using the data below

- i) Direct object
 - ii) Indirect object
 - iii) Subject complement
 - iv) Object complement
 - v) Adverbial (20 marks)
1. He teaches English
 2. She has gone to Eldoret
 3. He made her nervous
 4. She is the MP
 5. They shot the thief
 6. We gave them some food
 7. They made him their leader
 8. Prof Mazurui was a top intellectual
 9. The lady looks generous
 10. He is the chairman of the club

2. Explain and illustrate the concept of Nominalization (20 marks)

3. Distinguish and illustrate the following

- i) Auxiliary and main verbs (20 marks)
- ii) Participles and gerunds
- iii) Static and dynamic verbs

4. Explain and illustrate syntactic functions of Adjectives. (20 marks)

5. Using tree diagrams analyse the following sentences.

1. The lady is generous

2. He put the food on the floor

3. The man looks smart

4. The dog ate the meat

5. She took the boy away (20 marks)