SYLLABUS FOR PG ENTRANCE TEST IN LINGUISTICS

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Language and Grammar

Parts of speech: Noun, verb, adjective, adverb etc. A rough idea of levels of analysis: Phonetics & Phonology, Morphology, Syntax, Semantics etc. Units of analysis: Phonetics and Phonology: Phoneme, Syllable, identification of syllable, stress, accents. Morphology: root, stem, affix; types of affixation: prefix, infix, circumfix, suffix etc; morpheme, identification of morphemes, morphemic analysis. Syntax: word, phrase, sentence. complementizer. Semantics: meaning, types of meaning, relations. Basic idea about a dictionary entry. Outline idea about early Philology and paradigm shift after Saussure, Saussurean dichotomies, Semiotics, Language family, Languages of India (Scheduled / Non-Scheduled) Difference between language and a language. Object of study of Linguistics.

Basics of Computer

What is Computer, Basic Applications of Computer; Components of Computer System, Central Processing Unit (CPU), Keyboard and Mouse, Other input/output Devices, Computer Memory, Concepts of Hardware and Software; Concept of Computing, Data and Information; Connecting keyboard, mouse, monitor and printer to CPU and checking power supply, Projector, Internet ect.

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