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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF LINGUISTICS AND LANGUAGES

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DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION (ARTS)

**AEN 0104: MORPHOLOGY AND SYNTAX**

**DATE: 13/11/2020**

**TIME: 2:00 – 4:00 PM**

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## INSTRUCTIONS

**Answer Question One (Compulsory) and Any Other Two Questions**

### QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) (30 MARKS)

- a) Name the phrases in the following sentences (8 marks)
- i) The boy will have arrived in China by this time
  - ii) All the children seemed extremely happy.
- b) Use examples of five words to illustrate bound and free morphemes (10 marks)
- c) Discuss briefly **four** features of the VP in English. (12 marks)

### QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

Explain with examples inflectional and derivational morphemes

### QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

With examples illustrate four functions of a prepositional phrase.

### QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

With sentential illustrations discuss the structural and functional classification of sentences

### QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

With examples illustrate the 5 functions of noun phrase