

# SYLLABUS FOR PG ENTRANCE TEST IN LINGUISTICS

## 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.