

ADMISSION NUMBER											

## School of Liberal Education

Master of Arts in English  
Mid Term Examination - May 2024

Duration : 90 Minutes  
Max Marks : 50

### Sem II - K1PO204B - Advanced Grammar

General Instructions

Answer to the specific question asked

Draw neat, labelled diagrams wherever necessary

Approved data hand books are allowed subject to verification by the Invigilator

- 1) How does a solid understanding of grammar contribute to effective written and spoken communication? K2 (2)
- 2) Construct a sentence incorporating a noun phrase and a prepositional phrase. K1 (3)
- 3) In the context of teaching grammar, how can instructors balance the prescriptive and descriptive approaches to cater to diverse learning needs? K2 (4)
- 4) Discuss how understanding different types of phrases can enhance one's ability to analyze and craft more sophisticated sentences. K2 (6)
- 5) Dissect a sentence with multiple clauses. Identify the independent and dependent clauses and discuss how they work together. K3 (6)
- 6) Invent a sentence using an inverted word order (subject follows the verb). Discuss how this variation affects the sentence's emphasis or style. K3 (9)
- 7) Analyze the role of grammar in language acquisition. How does a teacher's approach to grammar instruction influence students' language development? K4 (8)
- 8) Explain the definition of a phrase in grammar. Provide examples of different types of phrases and discuss their functions in sentences. K4 (12)

**OR**

Compare and contrast prepositional phrases and verbal phrases. How do these types of phrases contribute to sentence structure? K4 (12)