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REGULAR PROGRAMME

ALT 503: SOCIOLINGUISTICS

Date: DECEMBER 2021

Duration: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any TWO Questions

- Q1. Describe five ways culture is manifested in your society **(15 marks)**
- Q2. Explain briefly five ways the social economic background of language learner can be manifested in sociolinguistic diversity **(15 marks)**
- Q3. Describe five ways by which language and identity are related **(15 marks)**
- Q4. Choose one language spoken in your society and discuss five of its major roles **(15 marks)**
- Q5. Discuss five ways the school influences language acquisition **(15 marks)**
- Q6. Explain briefly the five stages of the process of language planning in any society **(15 marks)**

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