## FORM FIVE WEEKLY TEST AUGUST, 2021 ENGLISH LANGUAGE

## TIME: 3 HOURS INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer all questions

## SECTION A INTRODUCTION TO LANGUAGE

- 1. (a) What is communication? Explain five steps that make communication effective process.
  - (b) Identify linguistic function fulfilled by the following sentences
    - (i) How wonderful it is! What a beauty!
    - (ii) Our president is giving a speech to night,
    - (iii) All languages serves communication, in fact, there is no primitive language
    - (iv) May God protect you!
    - (v) I, Rose, take thee George, to be my husband, to love, cherish......
- 2. (a) Write short notes on the following linguistic concepts:
  - (i) National language
  - (ii) Pidgin
  - (iii) Creole
  - (iv) Speech community
  - (v) Foreign language
  - (b) What is standard language? Explain four process for language standardization.
- 3. (a) Define the following linguistic terms;
  - (i) Vernicular language
  - (ii) Second language (L2)
  - (iii) First language (L1)
  - (iv) Register
  - (v) Error
  - (b) What is Dialect? Explain four factors for dialect formation.
- 4. (a) Contrast/Differentiate the following linguistic concepts
  - (i) Performance and Competence
  - (ii) Error and Mistake
  - (iii) A language and Language
  - (iv) Symbol and System
  - (v) Arbitrary and Vocal
  - (b) Comment on Diglossic situation in Tanzania since independence.
- (a) Explain five factors that led to expansion, development and Growth of Kiswahili since colonial regime in Tanganyika to Independent Tanzania.
  - (b) Comment and explain the Triglossic situation in Tanzania