**COM 200**

**End Semester Exam**

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**Full Marks: 20**

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***Instructions:***

* *Please fill in the answers in the space provided below each question.*
* *Email back the paper to your respective tutor for grading.*
* *Do not change the Microsoft words format. If you convert the paper into a pdf or any other format, it would not be graded.*
* *Do not exceed the stipulated word limit. No marks will be awarded if the word limit is exceeded.*
* *All the questions are compulsory.*

1. What is the most fundamental feature of FLN as defined by Chomsky and his colleagues? (2 marks, maximum 40 words)
2. What are the characteristic features of Johnsonese. (2 marks, maximum 40 words)
3. What argument was George Bernard Shaw trying to establish by pointing out that “No two British subjects speak exactly alike”? (2 marks, maximum 40 words)
4. How does Oxford English dictionary define communication? (2 marks, maximum 40 words)
5. Identify the smallest meaningful units that constitute the word “receivables”. (2 marks, maximum 40 words)
6. How many affixes does the word “greenhouses” have? Identify them. (2 marks, maximum 40 words)
7. Mention any two grammatical features associated with countable nouns. (4 marks, maximum 80 words)
8. When I feel cold in a winter morning and my friend sees me shivering, then that is considered an instance of communicative display. Yet when an actor on stage pretends to shiver in cold as part of his script it is considered to be a communicative signal. Why is that? (4 marks, maximum 80 words)