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SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

Course Code: ENG352

Course Title: Discourse Analysis

Time: 2 Hours

Instructions: Answer any three questions of your choice.

1. Distinguish clearly between text and context and discuss the role of context in the construction of a text.
2. Discourse Analysis examines "how addressers construct linguistic messages for addressees and how addressees work on linguistic messages in order to interpret them." Discuss this assertion using relevant examples.
3. Explain the connection between language and the social world.
4. Differentiate between, Implicature, Entailment and Presupposition using adequate examples.
5.
 - i) Explain how Philosophy is related to Discourse.
 - ii) How can discourse be used to resolve conflicts?