DECCAN COLLEGE POST-GRADUATE AND RESEARCH INSTITUTE DEEMED UNIVERSITY Pune-411 006

M.A. Entrance Examination – Linguistics

Time: 11am to 12.30pm Note: ALL sections are compulsory

Maximum marks 50 Date: 18th July 2022

SECTION A

Write an essay (500 words) on ANY TWO of the following (15 marks each) 30 Marks

1. What is the 'three language formula' in education in India?

2. Do you think languages like English, Hindi, Marathi, Tamil are threat to minority languages? Why?

3. What do you understand by 'language' and 'dialect'.

4. Write an essay on your interest in studying language and linguistics.

SECTION B

Write Short notes on ANY FOUR the following (5 marks each) 20 Marks

1. Scripts used for languages in India

2. Language used for messaging

3. Language and technology interface

4. Benefits of education through mother-tongue

5. Language of news reporting

6. Grammar