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COURSE TITLE:

GRAMMAR II CLAUSE COMBINING AND

TEXTCREATION

COURSE CODE : ENG 301

TIME ALLOWED: 2hrs

INSTRUCTIONS : ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS.

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QUESTION 1

Identify the noun clauses, Adjectival Clauses and Adverbial Clauses in the sentences below.

- (a) That Paul is in love with anthonia is an open secret.
- (b) I saw a man, who studied with me at the same University.
- (c) I put the vegetable which we got yesterday in the fridge.
- (d) That is the boy I was referring to.
- (e) He is the only person I know who can read Arabic.
- (f) Nobody knows what made him to come today.
- (g) It is time the baby was fed.
- (h) Ndlamini drives as if he is an experienced driver.
- (i) I will give him the message when I meet him.
- (j) If it rains, this road becomes impassable.

QUESTION 2

Define 'text' with reference to sentence connectivity and mention at least three linguistic and non-linguistic features that go into the making of 'text' out of sentences.

QUESTION 3

Distinguish between Cohesion and Coherence and with examples illustrate their respective function in the text.

QUESTION 4

Which of these sentences are complex and which all compound and, which compound complex. Analyze the sentences into main clause and subordinate clauses.

- (a) He must arrive here today otherwise I am lost.
- (b) Learning makes a man because it equips him in life.
- (c) Little did I remember you were present at the party.
- (d) As soon as it started raining, he came back home and never went out again.
- (e) I came, I saw, I conquered.