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INSTRUCTIONS

Read the following instructions carefully before answering the questions.

1. Read the questions carefully.
2. Answer all the questions.
3. Number your answers correctly.
4. Write clearly and legibly.
5. Write your surname and name and student number on all the answer books.

QUESTION 1 Sesotho nouns grammatical forms [21]

1. Define what a noun is and give four types of nouns in Sesotho and accompany them with examples.

(7)

2. "Nouns are made of : noun prefixes (sehlongwapele), and a stem (kutu)".
Give examples of nouns from the noun classes: 1, 3 and 5 and separate the words to show the prefix and the stem.

(6)

3. Explain the function of the following grammatical forms: pronouns, verbs, adjectives, relatives, and give an example for each.

(8)

QUESTION 2 Noun classes [54]

1. How many noun classes are there in Sesotho?

(2)

2. Which noun classes are not there in Sesotho?

(3)

3. Identify nouns from noun class 1 in the following list:

- Motse
- Molala
- Moruti
- Motse
- Mosebetsi
- Mosadi
- Moithuti
- Monwana
- Moshanyana
- Morui

(10)

4. Write the plural form of the following words:

4.1 monwana

4.2 letsatsi

4.3 sefahleho

4.4 nku

4.5 kamore

(5)

5. Complete the following table give explanations of the type of noun found in each class:

Class	Prefix	Subject/object morpheme
7	a)	a)
2	b)	b)
1a	c)	c)
15	d)	d)
9	e)	e)
4	f)	f)
18	g)	g)
6	h)	h)
1	i)	i)
8	j)	j)
3	k)	k)
17	l)	l)
14	m)	m)
2a	n)	n)
16	o)	o)
10	p)	p)
5	q)	q)

(34)

QUESTION 3 Morphemes and noun classes [25]

1. What are the four features that define a morphemes?

(8)

2. What is the indicative mood?

(2)

3. Give two types of morphemes, their position in a Sesotho sentence and their examples:

(10)

4. Which morphemes are used in conjunction with the nouns from the following noun classes:

- Class 1
- Class 2
- Class 3
- Class 4
- Class 5

TOTAL: 100

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