

FACULTY:	Humanities		
DEPARTMENT	LanCSAL (Linguistics)		
CAMPUS: MODULE	APK Language Practice 2B		
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DURATION:	3 HOURS	MARKS:	100

SECTION A Translation Theory 50 marks

1.1 In a Word document, write an essay on the translation problems relating to non-

equivalence at word level and the strategies used to resolve these problems outlined by Baker (2011). In your essay, discuss at least six problems and six related strategies. Support your discussion with relevant examples. (50)

SECTION B Translation Practical 50 marks

- 2.1 Translate the text below into your chosen target language.
- 2.2 While translating, add 5 entries to your glossary. These entries should consist of the ST word, corresponding TT word, a short definition that reflects the context of the text, as well as the source/s you consulted. (5x5 = 25)

(25)

SECTION C Submitting your work

3. Upload SECTION A (essay) and SECTION B (translation and glossary) under the assignment labelled *Supplementary Exam: 2020 Submission* on ULink.

Translation Source Text

My Current Read: The Hlomu Series Review

I am a lover of the written word. It is my second favourite thing after talking to cute boys. There is just a thrill and that comes from being sucked into a make-believe world and into the minds of interesting characters. I am a literature snob as well. I like reading well-known works by highly respected authors. I like being able to drop these said books and themes into conversations and leave the impression that I am oh so sophisticated and learned. All this was turned upside down recently when I happened upon a book by a little-known author Dudu Busani-Dube. Her book, *Hlomu the Wife* (which is now a part of a trilogy), changed my entire outlook on what constitutes good literature.

Strictly (and snootily) speaking, the writer does not display having a very wide range in terms of vocabulary and literary devices. She writes in a very simple yet inelegant way that would otherwise put me off completely, but I was GRIPPED. In my opinion, a book only needs to be effective and I could not put this one down, so mission accomplished. Busani-Dube is a plot-twist God. I got sucked into the story and came to the realisation that what actually makes a story amazing is far more than fancy words and tricks; it's the ability to pen something believable and create a world that the reader wants to be a part of. Reading as an exercise creates empathy in readers. The more you read, the better you are able to comprehend the emotions of people other than yourself, and a good book with well-developed characters is the perfect vehicle for that.