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**MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
(MMUST)**

SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAM

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR**

FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

**FOR THE DEGREE
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)**

COURSE CODE: ENG 413

COURSE TITLE: DISCOURSE ANALYSIS

DATE: MONDAY 1ST AUGUST 2022 TIME: 2:00-4:00PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

ANSWER THREE QUESTIONS. QUESTION 1 (ONE) IS COMPULSORY

TIME: 3 Hours

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating

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QUESTION ONE

- a) Describe the features of speech and those of writing at the levels of: Form, Manner of production, and Function. (15 marks)
- b) Illustrate four examples where flouting of Grice's (1975) maxims may occur and explain the reasons for their occurrence. (15 marks)

QUESTION TWO

Describe and illustrate Transactions, Exchanges, Moves, and Acts according to the Birmingham School approach. (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Define and give your own illustrations of the various Maxims of conversation according to Grice (1975). (20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Explain the features of context of situation in which a piece of discourse occurs according to Hymes (1972). (20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Using relevant examples, explain the major properties of discourse analysis. (20 marks)