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

SCHOOLBASED

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

COURSE CODE: ENG 411

COURSE TITLE: PRACTICAL ENGLISH STYLISTICS

DATE: FRIDAY 15TH DECEMBER, 2023. TIME: 2:00PM-4:00PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Question ONE (1) is compulsory

Answer THREE (3) questions

TIME: 2 Hours

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iv) She slept an azure lidded sleep. (2 marks)

C) Explain the three types of point of view. (6 marks)

Q3. With relevant examples, discuss any four schools of thought in the development of linguistic stylistics. (20 marks)

Q4. Read the following text and answer the questions that follow;

Here

Swerving east, from rich industrial shadows And traffic all night north; swerving through fields
Too thin and thistled to be called meadows, And now and then a harsh-named halt, that shields
Workmen at dawn; swerving to solitude Of skies and scarecrows, haystacks, hares and pheasants,
And the widening river's slow presence, The piled gold clouds, the shining gull-marked mud,

Gathers to the surprise of a large town: Here domes and statues, spires and cranes cluster Beside
grain-scattered streets, barge-crowded water, And residents from raw estates, brought down The
dead straight miles by stealing flat-faced trolleys, Push through plate-glass swing doors to their
desires - Cheap suits, red kitchen-ware, sharp shoes, iced lollies, Electric mixers, toasters, washers,
driers - 2 LANGUAGE IN LITERATURE

A cut-price crowd, urban yet simple, dwelling Where only salesmen and relations come Within a
terminate and fishy-smelling Pastoral of ships up streets, the slave museum, Tattoo-shops,
consulates, grim head-scarfed wives; And out beyond its mortgaged half-built edges Fast-
shadowed wheat fields, running high as hedges, Isolate villages, where removed lives

Loneliness clarifies. Here silence stands Like heat. Here leaves unnoticed thicken, Hidden weeds
flower, neglected waters quicken, Luminously-peopled air ascends; And past the poppies bluish