



# ABETIFI PRESBYTERIAN COLLEGE OF EDUCATION



## DEPARTMENT OF LANGUAGES

### ENGLISH UNIT

**COURSE TITLE: ENGLISH LANGUAGE STUDIES 1**

**COURSE CODE: EBS 135**

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### **ASSIGNMENT**

*Answer all questions.*

*Save your answer as MS Word doc. with your **Full Name** as the file name (e.g. John Kwame Ansah).*

1. With an example each, explain the following terms:
  - a. Rank Scale
  - b. Rank Shift
  - c. Grammatical Unit

**(2 marks each = 6 marks)**

2. With the use of the symbol '+', identify the morphemes (e.g. impossibility = im + possible + ity) in each of the following words.
  - a. displeasure
  - b. unfaithfulness
  - c. injustice

**(1 mark each = 3 marks)**

3. Identify the type of phrase underlined in the following sentences.
- The incorruptible commissioner of police has been assassinated.
  - All my efforts to persuade him to drop the charges have proved futile.
- (1 mark each = 2 marks)**
4. Identify the type of sentence structure (simple, compound, etc.) of each of the following sentences.
- Thieves broke into the office and made away with three laptops and a scanner.
  - She called off the meeting since it rained all day.
  - My sister in the United States of America has returned home last night.
- (1 mark each = 3 marks)**
5. Indicate the types of clause (e.g. noun, adjectival, etc.) underlined in the following sentences.
- The tutorial questions which the professor gave were extremely difficult.
  - I find it difficult to sleep early when my little sister is around.
  - The news, that the Prime Minister of Britain is visiting Ghana, is untrue.
- (1 mark each = 3 marks)**
6. Identify the function of the underlined clauses in **5a-c** above.
- .....
  - .....
  - .....
- (1 mark each = 3 mark)**

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