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COURSE CODE: NHSL 111

COURSE TITLE: ENGLISH AS A SECOND LANGUAGE 1

SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS

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DURATION: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Write your student number in the answer booklet.
2. Leave a space of two lines between your answers to each part of a question.
3. Answer ALL questions from Sections A, B, C, D in the answer booklet.
4. Write your answer to E, Academic Writing, in the answer booklet

Section A: Academic Writing. 30 points.

Write an essay, about 350 words, which discusses ONE of the following questions:

During the nineteenth century, many Sub-Saharan African countries were colonized by European countries.

Question 1

What has been the effect(s), either positive or negative, on the education system in a country that was colonized?

Question 2


What has been the effect(s), either positive or negative, on the political system in a country that was colonized?

Question 3

What has been the effect(s), either positive or negative, on the economy of a country that was colonized?

Note: Your essay should have an introduction, a discussion of the question, and a conclusion.

Section B: Course Review. 20 points.

1. What is the language learning theory of Stephen Krashen?
2. What does "cohesion" in a paragraph mean?
3. What does "syntax" mean?
4. What does this  proofreading mark mean?
5. What is the method of development for the following paragraph?

It may be possible for governments to prevent elephants from destroying the crops of farmers by using drones to run them off. Some drones apparently sound like bees to elephants. (Elephants are afraid of bees.) By using drones, it may be possible to protect farmers' fields from elephants. First, there are several different kinds of drones. Government officials need to buy drones that sound like bees. Second, after the correct drone is purchase, drone pilots need to be hired. Fourth, the pilots must be trained to operate the drones. Fifth, government officials need to survey local farmers to find out if elephants have been destroying their crops. Sixth, once the crops have been identified, the drone pilots need to go there and wait for the elephants to return. Seventh, if the elephants return to the farmer's crop, the pilots should fly the drone over them, frightening them off, to make the elephants aware that the area has bees. In this way, it is possible to reduce elephants' destruction of farmers' crops.

Section C: Language Learning/Vocabulary. 20 points. Write the correct "lexical chunk" for the following sentences in the exam answer book

1. South Africa was colonized and ... the British and Dutch.

a. a rebellion against	b. a rebel against	c. a rebellion by	d. the rebellion to
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2. The economy of Botswana benefited from the discovery of diamonds ... late twentieth century.

a. in a	b. before the	c. by the	d. during the
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3. Touts for buses are They are not employees of the bus company.

a. the contractor for	b. independent contractors	c. independently a contractor	d. a independent contractor
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4. The diamond company president does not fear that there will be ...

a. not financial return by	b. not the financial return on	c. no financial return on	d. not the financial return
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5. The cyclone's rains ... the coastal areas of Madagascar.

a. caused flooding in	b. causing flooding in	c. had caused flooding in	d. was causing flooding in
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6. In the aftermath of the cyclone, the United Nations started ...

a. a rescue operations	b. rescue operations	c. rescuing operations	d. the rescued operations
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7. The population of the continent of Africa has not ... population growth.

a. reached its peak	b. reaching a peak	c. reached a peak	d. reached its peak
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8. The growth in Rwanda's economy was ... a change in the government's policies.

a. primarily due to	b. primary due in	c. primary due	d. primary due on
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9. The amount of coffee produced by Kenya in 2017 ... less than the previous year.

a. is determining to be	b. was determined to be	c. was determining to be	d. is determined to be
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10. By the time the leak in the oil well in the Niger delta was discovered, ... five million barrels ... oil had polluted the delta.

a. a estimated ... of	b. an estimate ... of	c. an estimated ... of	d. a estimate ... of
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11. Though the number of white rhinos killed by poachers seems to be ..., the animal is still facing extinction.

a. tapering off	b. tapered off	c. taper off	d. tapper of
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12. Malaria in Sub Sahara Africa results in a high child ...

a. morality rate	b. morale rate	c. mortality rating	d. mortality rate
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13. Both the young and the elderly are particularly ... many diseases.

a. vulnerability to	b. vulnerable to	c. vulnerability	d. vulnerabling to
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14. A cleanup effort ... governments after the flooding from Cyclone Idai.

a. had been mounted by	b. had mounted by	c. was mounted by	d. was mounting by
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15. South Africa is There are blacks, whites, Indians, and Chinese.

a. multiculturalism	b. multiculture	c. multicultural	d. multiculturing
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16. The president said he has ... remaining in office.

a. not a intention of	b. no intention of	c. no intention in	d. not an intention of
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17. Tourism is ... many African countries, such as Kenya, Tanzania, Botswana, and Zimbabwe, where they go on safaris.

a. the major economy boos	b. a major economic boosting of	c. a major economic boost to	d. the major economic boost to
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18. The income ... people living in urban and rural areas is continuing to increase.

a. gap between	b. gap next to	c. gap beside	d. gap by
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19. The new economic policy by the government was ... the government to increase growth.

a. the attempted by	b. an attempt by	c. am attempted by	d. the attempt by
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20. Some academics have tried to explain the reasons for the economic slow down

... consumer demand is weak.

a. by cited the fact that	b. by having cite the fact that	c. by cited a fact that	d. by citing the fact that
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Section D: Reading Comprehension/Writing Analysis. 20 points. Answer the questions on the next page.

Culling to Conserve:

A Hard Truth for Lion Conservation

By

Michael Schwartz

Par. 1 The *National Post* recently reported that management from Zimbabwe's Buby Valley Conservancy was considering a controversial move to cull upwards of two hundred lions out of a rough population of five hundred. This is because an over population of lions 5.) threatens the biodiversity of the ecosystem there. A cull would help to ensure a reserve's wildlife diversity. This is because lions are an apex predator, and, as such, exert a level of top-down control on the rest of the ecosystem. Lions prey on a wide variety of species, which has resulted in declines in zebra, wildebeest, and even buffalo and giraffe. So the population of lions must be controlled in order to protect the populations of other animals.

Par. 2 Conservationists face many challenges when seeking solutions to managing animal populations. Culling and trophy hunting are contentious. There are arguments on both sides of this management policy. Dr. Byron du Preez, a Buby Valley Conservancy 5.) project leader, has proposed another solution, that, "the Conservancy . . . relocate many of the lions." But land, due to population increases, and the use of land for farming, has reduced the lions' habitat. It has even contributed to the decline in the population of lions, from 100,000 a hundred years ago to the present number of 20,000. So relocation is not always possible.

Par. 3 A cull is not a permanent solution to the problem either. It is only a temporary one. If the population of lions is too low, there will be a corresponding increase in other animals, the ones lions prey on. At best, a cull is only a temporary solution. It 5.) slows down the animal's growth until the population returns again to an unmanageable size.

Par. 4 Wildlife managers have an entire ecosystem of animals to conserve--not just lions.

Questions

1. What do you think "cull" means? (Par. 1, line 3)
2. What *does* "there" refer to? (Par. 1, line 5)
3. What does "this" refer to (Par. 1, line 6)
4. Explain what "top down control" means? (Par. 1, line 7)
5. Why do lions threaten the biodiversity of an ecosystem?
6. What do you think "contentious" means? (Par. 2, line 3)
7. What does "it" refer to? (Par. 2, line 8)
8. Why have the number of lions decreased over the past one hundred years?
9. Explain what an "unmanageable" number of lions is? (Par. 3)
10. What does "the problem" mean? (Par. 3. line 1)

Section E. Proofreading

1. Some of the verbs are the incorrect tense or form. Correct these verbs by writing the correct verb form ABOVE the error.
2. There are capitalization errors. Use proofreading marks to correct the errors, writing the correction ABOVE the error.

From about 1900 to 1940 the level of the lake Chad closely corresponds to the amount of rainfall. This amount is constant from about 1900 to 1940. Then during the Decade of the 1950s, there was an increase in the amount of rainfall. There was a corresponding rise in the level of the lake. But beginning in the early 1960s, the amount of rainfall was decreasing. the result of this was a decrease in the Size of the lake. The level of the lake continued to decrease until the 1990s, when the amount of rainfall increased. The level of the lake, however, remained below the level it was in the early 1900s. This Phenomena may indicate that if rainfall is does not increase the lake become completely dry.

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