

**FIRST SEMESTER EXAM (2018/2019)**

**Level:** 1<sup>st</sup> year      **Module:** Phonetics **Teacher:** Miss Imane Haouimi

**Date:** 06, 01, 2019 **Time:** 08.30 am – 10.00 am      **Duration:** 1.30 h

**FULL NAME:** ..... **GROUP:** .....

*Task 1 :* Explain the differences between the following terms briefly ( 6 pts )

**1. Vocal cords / pharynx**

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**2. Labio-dental / Dental**

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**3. Fricative/ Affricate**

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*Task 2 :* Filling in the gaps with the most appropriate terms ( 4 pts )

( airstream – vocal cords – oral cavity – larynx – lungs – trachea – nasal cavity – vibrate )

In the course of sound production , the ..... produced by the ..... goes into the ..... at top of which the .....

Is situated . Inside the former organs of speech , there are the ..... which may ..... or not . Finally, the airstream releases through the ..... or the .....

( 0.5 pts )for each correct answer

**Task 3 :** For the following symbols , given their description in terms of ( i ) voicing , place and manner of articulation (if consonants ) , or ( ii ) height , tongue advancement and lip rounding

( if a vowel ) . ( 3 pts )

1. / t / \_\_\_\_\_
2. / u : / \_\_\_\_\_

**Task 4 :** Write the correct symbol ( s ) for the sounds of the underlined letter or letters. ( 3 pts )

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| 1. <u>Sh</u> t  | / | / | 4. <u>Mon</u> th | / | / |
| 2. <u>Ter</u> m | / | / | 5. <u>Tha</u> t  | / | / |
| 3. <u>Lad</u> y | / | / | 6. <u>Slee</u> p | / | / |

**Task 5 :** Given the following description of a sound , give its corresponding phonetic symbol .

( 2 pts )

1. Voiced velar nasal / /
2. Voiceless dental fricative / /

**Task 6 :** Underline the voiceless stop in each word with stating the reason why it is aspirated or unaspirated ( 2 pts )

1. Tree \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_
2. School \_\_\_\_\_  
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