

- Q-01.

... is a regionally or socially distinctive variety of language, identified by a particular set of words and grammatical structures.

- a) dialect ['daɪəlekt];
- b) jargon /'dʒɑ:gən/;
- c) argot ['ɑ:gəʊ];
- d) slang [slæŋ];

Check yourself!

- Q-02.
- It is the process when a language becomes made up of elements of two or more other languages and used for contacts, esp trading contacts, between the speakers of other languages.
 - a) pidginization (,pɪdʒɪnaɪ'zeɪʃən);
 - b) koine ['kɔɪneɪ];
 - c) creolization [,kri : ʃəl aɪ 'zeɪʃ ə n - ,kreɪ-, \ -ə 'zeɪʃ-];
 - d) decreolization [,di : ,kri : ʃəl aɪ 'zeɪʃ ə n - ,kreɪ-, \ -ə 'zeɪʃ-];

Check yourself!

- Q-03. Fill in the blank, please.

... consists of words, expressions, and meanings that are informal and are used by people who know each other very well or who have the same interests.

Check yourself!

- Q-04. Fill in the blank, please.
... studies society and how it is impacted by language.

Check yourself!

- Q-05. Fill in the blank, please.

... .. are those varieties which are generally considered, by a society, to be the most "correct" or otherwise superior variety.

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- Q-06. Fill in the blank, please.
... differ between groups separated by certain social variables (e.g., ethnicity, religion, status, gender, level of education, age, etc.)

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- Q-07. Fill in the blank, please.

... means an auxiliary language used to enable routine communication to take place between groups of people who speak different native languages.

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- Q-08. Fill in the blank, please.
- _____ means a less prestigious dialect or variety of a particular language, contrasted with more prestigious.

Check yourself!

- Q-09. Fill in the blank, please.

The by Wallace Lambert is a sociolinguistic experimental technique used to determine the true feelings of an individual or community towards a specific language, dialect, or accent.

Check yourself!

- Q-10. Fill in the blank, please.

A _____ is a language used in teaching.

Check yourself!

- Q-11. Fill in the blank, please.

... .. is a concept in sociolinguistics that describes a distinct group of people who use language in a unique and mutually accepted way among themselves.

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- Q-12. Fill in the blank, please.

A is a group of people who share a craft or a profession.

Check yourself!

- Q-13. Fill in the blank, please.

... is the level of regard normally accorded with a specific language or dialect within a speech community, relative to other languages or dialects.

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- Q-14. Fill in the blank, please.
- When the two contact languages have equal power or prestige, they form _____, as exemplified by Old English and Norse, which shared elements with each other more or less equally.

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- Q-15. Fill in the blank, please.

If the speaker has the ability to use language in a way that is appropriate in the given situation, one has a good possession of

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- Q-16. Fill in the blank, please.
... organize signs into meaningful systems.

Check yourself!

- Q-17. Fill in the blank, please.

_____ is an adjective denoting or relating to a non-indigenous language that is used as an official or second language in a particular country or community.

Check yourself!

- Q-18. Write your own definitions, please.

What is Covert Prestige [prɛ'sti:ʒ]?

Check yourself!

- Q-19. Write your own definitions, please.

What is

hypercorrection [ˌhaɪpər kə'rekʃ(ə)n?

Check yourself!

- Q-20. Write your own definitions, please.

What is Decreolization?

Check yourself!