

## Correction of the Exam of Phonetics

Level: Second year

**Question One:** Classify the following word in the table below: detainee, politician, resourceful, psychology, crucify, demography, dramatic, cleanliness, anticipation, buffoon, appologize fluctuate . (06pts)

Neutral affix (no change of the stress)	Stress on the last syllable (suffix)	Stress on the penultimate	Stress on the antipenultimate
Resourceful, cleanliness  0.5 pt for each word	Detainee, buffoon	Politician, psychology,  Demography, dramatic	Crucify, anticipation,  appologize, fluctuate

**Question Two:** Transcribe the following words and justify stress placement:

(06pts)

Word	Trancription  0.75 pt for each one	Justification  0.75pt for each one
sustain	/ sə' stem/	Stress on the second (final syllable) because it contains a diphthong
		-The suffix 'tion' affects stress on the penultimate

purification	,pjʊrɪfɪ'keɪʃn	-Secondary stress is derivational
estimate (verb)	'estɪmeɪt	The suffix 'ate' affects stress on the antepenultimate
thunderstorm	'θʌndə ,stɔ:m	Stress on the first noun in compound noun composed of noun+ noun

**Question Three: Supply the missing words****(02pts)**

1. The prominence in the syllable is realized mainly by **pitch and energy of articulation**. **1 pt**
2. Secondary stress can be of two types: **Automatic** ..and **derivational**. **0.5 pt**
3. In the word / ,bæɪ'keɪd/, the secondary stress is **automatic** and in the word / ,sɪvəlaɪ'zeɪʃn , it is **derivational** **0.5 pt**

**Question four : Write this text orthographically.****(06pts)**

edʒʊ'keɪʃn ɪz ðə məʊst ɪm'pɔ:tnt 'fæktə fə 'hju:mən ,sɪvɪlaɪ'zeɪʃn | ɪt  
 prə'vaɪdz ðə 'neɪʃn wɪð mæn 'paʊəz | prə'məʊts 'næʃnəl 'ju:nɪti ənd  
 ,ʌp'lifts 'pʌblɪk ə'weənəs | ɪf 'pi:pəl ər 'edʒʊkeɪtɪd | 'ðeɪ kən ,ʌndə'stænd  
 ðeə 'dju:tɪz ənd raɪts | ɪn 'ɔ:də tu ,ʌp'lift 'hju:mən sə'saɪəti | ɪ:tʃʃəd bi  
 'keɪpəbəl tu ,ʌndə'stænd 'ʌðəz |

- **0.25 for each error**

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