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EKI 3101: INTRODUCTION TO THE STUDY OF LANGUAGE

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MUDA: MASAA MBILI

MAAGIZO: JIBU SWALI LA KWANZA KISHA UCHAGUE MENGINE MAWILI

SWALI LA KWANZA (ALAMA 30)

(a) Eleza maana ya istilahi zifuatazo:

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| (i) | Isimu | (alama 3) |
| (ii) | Lugha | (alama 3) |
| (iii) | Pijini | (alama 3) |
| (iv) | Krioli | (alama 3) |
| (v) | Pragmatiki | (alama 3) |

(b) Taaluma ya Isimu ni sayansi. Fafanua

(alama 7)

(c) Fafanua malengo manne ya Isimu

(Alama 8)

SWALI LA PILI (ALAMA 15)

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| (a) Fafanua sifa bainifu za lugha | (alama 10) |
| (b) Bainisha alomofu tano za mofimu ya wingi katika lugha ya Kiswahili | (alama 5). |

SWALI LA TATU (ALAMA 15)

(a) Tofautisha dhana zifuatazo:

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| (i) | Lugha ya taifa na Lugha rasmi | (alama 4) |
| (ii) | Umilisi na Utendaji | (alama 4) |
| (iii) | Lugha ya mama na lugha ya kwanza | (alama 4) |

(b) Tambua nadharia tatu zinazoelezea asili ya lugha (alama 3)

SWALI LA NNE (ALAMA 15)

(a) Fafanua viwango mbalimbali via Isimu (alama 10)

(b) Ni mambo gani yanayosababisha wingi-lugha katika jamii? (alama 5)

SWALI LA TANO (ALAMA 15)

(a) Lugha ina dhima gani katika jamii (alama 5)

(b) Pambanua sifabia zozote TANO za lugha. (alama 10)