

QUIZ

Main Topic: Linguistic

Sub-Topic: Social Variation in Language

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1. **What is a “social marker” in language?**
 - A) A mistake people make when speaking
 - B) A linguistic element that shows geographical origin, educational level, or cultural belonging
 - C) New words invented by young people
 - D) Technical vocabulary used by professionals
2. **Which of the following is an example of *taboo* mentioned in the presentation?**
 - A) Professional vocabulary
 - B) Legal expressions
 - C) Words that are considered socially unacceptable
 - D) Dialectal varieties

3. **Match each term with the correct definition:**

Term	Definition
Slang	i. Specialized language used by professionals
Register	ii. Informal language typical of certain groups
Social dialect	iii. A language variety linked to a region or social class
Taboo	iv. Words or expressions society avoids because they are considered inappropriate

4. **What is one reason why people adjust their way of speaking according to context?**
 - A) To sound more polite
 - B) To adapt to the group they are talking to
 - C) To use local expressions
 - D) All of the above
5. **Which of these examples best describes a “social dialect”?**
 - A) A person speaks differently with friends than with a teacher
 - B) A person uses technical words from their professional field
 - C) Offensive words that are avoided in formal contexts
 - D) A regional accent