- 1) linguistics.....
- is the academic discipline concerned with the study of language in general it is bound to represent an abstract idealization of language rather than the way it is experienced in the real world
- real world with one language
- 2) Introduced by in his view, the proper subject matter of linguistics should be the representation of language in the mind (competence), rather than the way in which people actually use language in everyday lif
- Dimond rose 1980s onward
- Noam Chomsky 1950s onward.
- 3) sociolinguistics...
- the focus is very much upon the relation between language and society
- the representation of language in the in mind
- 4) The concern is with language as a means of communication, the purpose it fulfils, and how people actually use their language
- sociolinguistics
- functional linguistics
- 5) vast databanks containing millions of words of actual language in use can be searched within seconds to yield extensive information about word frequencies and combinations which is not revealed by intuition
- corpus linguistics.
- functional linguistics.
- 6) these approaches to linguistic study seem much closer of the reality of experience than Chomsky's, and therefore more relevant to the concerns of applied linguistics .yet, they are that they detach language from the experience of its usesociolinguistics & functional linguistics & corpus linguistic
- Mind maps
- abstract in the sense.
- 7) linguistics concern is...... as an end in itself rather than with action based upon that

knowledge - knowledge test knowledge
8) Prescriptio an action and more - a social phenomenon.
9) 400 million or so first-language speakers and over a billion where it is(