Assignment 11 : 06/07: Typology and Language Change

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1. What does the typology of language change have to do with knowing when a language may or may not change? 
   a. the degree of innovation 
   b. the degree of similarity 
   c. the degree of stability 
   d. the degree of diversity 
   e. the degree of complexity

2. Which of the following is NOT true about language change? 
   a. It always happens at the individual level. 
   b. It can be caused by social factors. 
   c. It can be driven by language contact. 
   d. It is a gradual process. 
   e. It involves changes at various levels.

3. Which of the following is NOT an example of language change? 
   a. The evolution of English from Old English. 
   b. The spread of Romance languages in Europe. 
   c. The standardization of language in the 18th century. 
   d. The use of technology in language documentation. 
   e. The influence of globalization on language change.

4. What is the relationship between language change and language diversity? 
   a. Language change always leads to a decrease in diversity. 
   b. Language change can lead to a decrease or increase in diversity. 
   c. Language change always increases diversity. 
   d. Language change has no impact on diversity. 
   e. Language change only affects diversity in non-contact situations.