ABBREVIATIONS AND SYMBOLS USED IN THE PRESENT STUDY

AA       Austro-Asiatic
ABS      Absolute
AD       anno Domini in the year of the Lord
AGR      Agriculture
Approx   Approximately
Asp      Aspirated
aux      Auxiliaries
B Ed     Bachelor of Education
BA       Bachelor of Arts
BrE      British English
BSP      Boarding School Products
CA       Contrastive Analysis
CC       Computing Centre
CDC      Curriculum Development Centre
cf       Confer comapre (not 'see')
Cm       Centimetre
CTSDC    Curriculum Textbooks and Supervision Development Centre
D        Dravidian
DEO      District Education Officer
E        East
IA       Error Analysis
EDU      Education
EFL      English as a foreign language
EGD      Error Gravity Distribution
ILT      English Language Teaching
ENG      Engineering
ER       English Reader
ESL      English as a second language
et al.   and other people
e.t.c.   and so on
e.g.     for example
FL       Foreign language
FOR      Forestry
HMG      His Majesty's Government
HUM      Humanities and Social Sciences
IATEFL  International Association of Teaching English as a Foreign Language
ibid.    in the same book, article, passage, etc. (previously mentioned)
IE       Indo-European
IL       Interlanguage
l.e.     that is
Km       Kilometre
First language
Second language
Approximative Systems
Master of Education
Master of Arts
My English Book
Medicine
Management
North
National Education System Plan
Native Language
Non-Native Nepali Speaker
Non-native English Teacher
Number
Noun Phrase
Native Nepali Speaker
Native English Teacher
Overseas Development Agency
in the work already quoted
Oral Structural Situational
Page
Proficiency Certificate Level
Doctor of Philosophy
Public School Products
Science and Technology
Second language
School Leaving Certificate
Subject-verb
Tibeto-Burman
Teaching English to the Speakers of Other Languages
Target language
Tribhuvan University
University of Cambridge Local Examinations Syndicate
United Nations
Unaspirated
Voiced
namely
Voiceless
Percentage
incorrect word(s)/sentence(s)
deleted
omitted
deliberately omitted