



UNIVERSITY OF JOHANNESBURG
FACULTY OF EDUCATION
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PROGRAMME: B Ed
 MODULE: ENGLISH FOR TEACHING AND LEARNING
 CODE: EFT20B1
 TIME: 3 Hours
 MARKS: 100
 EXAMINER: Dr DE Robinson
 MODERATOR: Prof L Kajee
 (This paper consists of 2 pages)

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer all of the questions.

QUESTION 1

Write 1 – 1 ½ pages about the history of English in South Africa, and its significance in our society. Base your statements on the material covered in the work of Rajend Mesthrie and Jeanne Hromnik (20)

QUESTION 2

Consider the work of Neil Mercer with regard to workplace communication. Write 1 – 1 ½ pages about his ideas, including the notion of **language events, English in trading, language amongst co-workers, status and gender at work, and power and control in professional-client relationships**. It is not necessary to address all of these topics, but it is necessary to address several of them i.e. more than two (20)

QUESTION 3

Refer to the work of Scott Ober and write a 1 to 1 ½ pages about how to present Bad News in the workplace. (20)

QUESTION 4

Making use of the work of David Crystal, write 1 – 1 ½ pages about the differences between written and spoken English. (15)

QUESTION 5

Write a report to a school principal regarding the behavior and academic achievements of a child in your class. You will be required to use your imagination about some of the matters you present. The report should be approximately one (1) page long. (25)

TOTAL: 100

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