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Masa: [2 ½ jam]

THIS EXAMINATION PAPER CONTAINS SIX (6) QUESTIONS ON TWO (2) PAGES.

Answer THREE (3) questions, choosing at least ONE (1) question from Section A and ONE (1) from Section B. The third question can be from Section A or Section B.

Each question carries 100 marks.

SECTION A

1. Write short notes on any FOUR (4) of the following in relation to the speaking skill:
 - (a) Restructuring
 - (b) Tongue Twisters
 - (c) Dyads
 - (d) Minimal pairs
 - (e) Audience Preparation
 - (f) Search Talk
 - (g) Straight Talk
2. It is often recognized that greater emphasis should be placed on developing communication skills. How can an ESL teacher use socio-drama to attain this goal effectively?
3. Discuss the three techniques that can be used to overcome any conflict in a work situation.

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SECTION B

4. Explain why there has been a shift of focus—from the product of writing to the process of writing and the major changes involved.
5. Modelling can be exploited as an aid for learning. Discuss this in relation to genre analysis and writing.
6. Pre-writing tasks or activities can make an effective contribution in helping learners to become better writers. Discuss with examples.

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