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THIS EXAMINATION PAPER CONTAINS **FIVE [5]** QUESTIONS IN **TWO [2]** PAGES.

Answer **FOUR [4]** questions: answer all **THREE [3]** questions in **Section A**, and choose **ONE [1]** from **section B**.

SECTION A

1. Explain *five* of the following terms:

- [a] Wernicke's aphasia
- [b] Language acquisition device
- [c] Universal Grammar
- [d] Lexicon
- [e] Holophrastic stage
- [f] Garden path model

[25 marks]

2. Discuss what sorts of studies have been used to provide evidence for the lateralization of language in the brain.

[25 marks]

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3. Is language acquisition innate? Discuss your answer with reference to the available evidence on child language acquisition. [25 marks]

SECTION B

4. Discuss whether first and second language acquisition are different from each other. Give your opinion on the matter, using what you know about both types of acquisition. [25 marks]
5. How do psycholinguists describe the difference between speech perception and spoken word recognition? What stages/processes are involved in spoken word recognition? [25 marks]