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備 註：不可使用計算機

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1. **Term Definition.** Please define the following terms and provide at least one example for each. (30%)
 - (a) eponym (6%)
 - (b) prosodic bootstrapping (6%)
 - (c) euphemism treadmill (6%)
 - (d) natural class (6%)
 - (e) reference (6%)

2. **Short Essays.** (70%)
 - (a) What do you know about the *Great Vowel Shift of English*? Elaborate on how it relates to (i) the vowel difference in word pairs like “sere[i]ne” and “sere[e]nity” and (ii) the plural form of *goose* being *geese*. (35%)

 - (b) What are *lingua franca*, *pidgin*, and *creole*? Focus your answer on their definition, necessity, similarities, and differences. (20%)

 - (c) Define the term *constituent*, and demonstrate how the three common *constituency tests* help identify a constituent. (15%)