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**SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
**MARCH/APRIL 2015 EXAMINATION**

COURSE CODE: ENG411

COURSE TITLE: ENGLISH FOR SPECIFIC PURPOSES

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTION: Answer any 3 questions of your choice.

1. Using relevant examples, discuss the characteristics of ESP. (23 marks)
2. Why do you think a language course should be divided into different parts in a syllabus? (23 marks)
3. Name and explain at least four characteristics of a communicative activity. (23 marks)
4. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of using authentic materials in ESP. (23 marks)
5. Testing or assessment is a useful working instrument at the teacher's tool box. Discuss. (23 marks)