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Answer each of the following questions (25% each). Your answers will be evaluated based on the general criteria of accuracy, completeness, clarity, and use of appropriate discourse and terminology.

1. The status of grammar in the language classroom has gone through significant changes over the years. Discuss the different views and approaches which characterize the teaching of grammar since the 1950s. Then, select a grammar point and develop a lesson to teach it inductively and deductively. Describe the processes/procedures involved and the activities used for this lesson unit. 25%
2. Explain the concepts of input, interaction, and output as used in the field of SLA (Second Language Acquisition). What role does each play in the learning of a second/foreign language? Refer to theories and research to support your points. 25%
3. Explain what is meant by "content-based" instruction in the teaching of English. What are the arguments in favor of this approach? Describe a general model of content based instruction and provide an example to illustrate your point. How does content-based instruction relate to Communicative Language Teaching (CLT). 25%
4. In recent years, English is being promoted as the medium of instruction by our government and authorities in higher education. Explain the rationale and language learning theories underlying the use of English as the medium of instruction (EMI). From your perspective as a prospective teacher of English, what are some issues involved in implementing EMI in the local context? 25%