This, That, These, and Those

A. Choose the best word for each gap in the following announcement.

Please listen carefully to (this / that) very important announcement for students in English 101, 102, and 103. If you are in one of (this / these) classes, you must buy a ticket to see *Macbeth* (this / that) week. Tickets are only available for (these / those) performances: Tuesday at 2pm, Wednesday at 8pm, and Saturday at 8pm. Remember to show your student ID card. (This / These) will get you a discount! Please note that (this / that) performance takes place in the Studio Theater, not in the larger Bell Theater. (This / That) building is closed (this / these) year.

B. Complete the sentences with *this, that, these, or those*. Then explain your answer to a partner.

1. There are two tables in the room. Please take a form from __________ table here and then give your finished form to the person at __________ table over there.

2. As you can see from __________ graph on the screen, the price of computers has been falling.

3. Many different languages have influenced English over the centuries. __________ languages include German, French, and Arabic.

4. Think back to the first two lectures in this course. In __________ lectures, I talked about Newton’s laws of motion.

5. Are you traveling during __________ vacation?

6. You found a new job? __________’s amazing news!