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SEMESTER: JANUARY- APRIL

CODE: EDPE 3120 UNIT: GENERAL METHODS OF TEACHING & PEDAGOGY

DATE: APRIL 2022

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer question **ONE** and any other **two** questions in this paper.

QUESTION ONE

- a) Explain the following concepts as applied in general methods of teaching and pedagogy.
- Teaching (2 Marks)
 - Teaching pedagogy (2 Marks)
 - Theory (2 Marks)
 - Learning (2 Marks)
 - Learning theories (2 Marks)
- b) Justify the study of teaching pedagogies among teacher students. (5 Marks)
- c) Identify and describe FIVE learning theories of your choice. (10 Marks)
- d) Outline FIVE differences between traditional and modern teaching methods.(5 Marks)

QUESTION TWO

Use of experiments in classroom teaching is argued to facilitate learning among students.

- a) Which learning theory has this assumption? (2 Marks)
- b) Discuss FOUR basic principles of the learning theory mentioned in a) above. (8 Marks)
- c) Explain FIVE strategies of preparing effective classroom lesson plan. (10 Marks)

QUESTION THREE

Suppose you are a Form 3 teacher. Discuss key components that a lesson plan of the subject you are teaching should comprise. (20 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Citing relevant examples of Kenyan high-school classroom, describe FIVE applications of Constructivist theory. (20 Marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss pedagogical contributions of the following in the Kenyan schools teaching pedagogies.

- Plato of Athens (4 Marks)
- John Dewey (4 Marks)
- Amos Comenius (4 Marks)
- Rousseau J. J (4 Marks)
- Aristotle of Stagereira (4 Marks)

