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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (PRIMARY OPTION)

PEPS 212: MEASUREMENT AND EVALUATION

STREAMS: (PART TIME)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 5/10/2021 2.30 PM - 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- Answer Question One (COMPULSORY) and any other TWO questions
- DO NOT WRITE ANYTHING on the question paper.

QUESTION ONE

- (a) Define the following concepts.
 - (i) Measurement
 - (ii) Assessment
 - (iii) Test
 - (iv) Evaluation
 - (v) Examination

[10 Marks]

- (b) Highlight at least five reasons why measurement and evaluation is important in education. [10 Marks]
- (c) Explain the following types of Evaluation
 - (i) Placement Evaluation [5 Marks]
 - (ii) Diagnostic Evaluation [5 Marks]

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QUESTION TWO (a) Giving examples, explain the following measurement scales. Nominal scale [5 Marks] (i) (ii) Ordinal scale [5 Marks] [10 Marks] (b) Discuss at least five characteristics of a good test. **QUESTION THREE** State four advantages of performance Tests [4 Marks] (a) (b) Explain the following test items format Multiple choice items (i) Time /false items (ii) (iii) Matching items [6 Marks] Discuss the importance of the table of specifications to a teacher. [10 Marks] (c) **QUESTION FOUR** Explain in what ways a teacher should administer a test in order to avoid cheating among (a) the students. [10 Marks] (b) Explain the following Quantitative methods as applied in the selection 2 test items. (i) Simple Random method (ii) Systematic Random method [6 Marks] Stratified Random method (iii) (c) What is the difference between construct validity and content validity. [4 Marks]