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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA  
IN EDUCATION

PGDE 711: HISTORY AND THEORY OF EDUCATION

STREAMS: PGDE

TIME: 3 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 20/7/2021

8.30 A.M. – 11.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question ONE and any other TWO
- Do not write anything on this paper

- Q1. (a) Explain the term history of education [5 marks]
- (b) Identify and explain the methods of instruction in African indigenous education [10 marks]
- (c) With the use of relevant examples, show how the methods were used to achieve the aims of education in pre-colonial Kenya. [15 marks]
- Q2. Assess the effectiveness of the independent churches and schools movement in the establishment and development of western education in colonial Kenya. [20 marks]
- Q3. (a) What were the recommendations of the Beecher education Commission report of 1949? [10 marks]
- (b) Show why the report was unpopular among the Africans in Colonial Kenya. [10 marks]
- Q4. Assess critically the role of the Christian missionaries in the establishment and development of Western education for Africans in colonial Kenya. [20 marks]
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