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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF CERTIFICATE IN EDUCATION:
EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

ECDE 00137: ENGLISH LANGUAGE ACTIVITIES

STREAMS: CERT ECDE

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 8/08/2019

8.30 A.M - 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question ONE (COMPULSORY) and any other TWO Questions
- Do not write on the Question paper

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)

1. (a) Explain the meaning of the following terms;
 - (i) Phonology
 - (ii) Listening
 - (iii) Language
 - (iv) Competence based curriculum
 - (v) Telegraphic speech [5 Marks]
 - (b) Describe how language is related to the seven aspects of child growth and development. [7 Marks]
 - (c) Explain any four language special needs conditions that may affect a child's language development. [8 Marks]
 - (d) Elaborate any five factors that can hinder a child's listening skills. [5 Marks]
 - (e) Describe any five skills that a child must acquire to enable him/her begin writing. [5 Marks]
2. (a) Sequentially describe ten stages of language development in children. [10 Marks]
 - (b) Discuss how you would use the following methods to teach a child how to read;
 - (i) Phonic method [6 Marks]
 - (ii) Word method [4 Marks]

3. (a) Discuss any five specific objectives of teaching language to children citing importance of each objective. [10 Marks]

(b) Explain the four language skills (Arts) and identify various activities to enhance each language skill. [10 Marks]

4. (a) Prepare a one week CBC language scheme or work to teach pre-primary two (2) learners on the strand Reading and Sub-strand: Print awareness. [10 Marks]

(b) From the above question (4a), prepare a one day lesson plan using CBC format. [10 Marks]

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