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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF
DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION**

PEPS 0221: PSYCHOLOGY OF LEARNING

STREAMS: DIP (EDUC) P/T

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 03/12/2019

8.30 AM – 10.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Do not write on the question paper**
- **Answer question one and any other two**

1. (a) Explain four conditions necessary for classical conditioning to take place. [8 marks]
- (b) Citing relevant examples, discuss two principles of operant conditioning. [12 marks]
- (c) Distinguish between positive and negative reinforcements. [10 marks]
2. (a) Evaluate five effects of punishment. [10 marks]
- (b) Discuss the following types of interference [10 marks]
 - (i) Proactive interference
 - (ii) Retroactive interference
3. Discuss how the following factors influence learning
 - (i) Personality [5 marks]
 - (ii) Gender [5 marks]
 - (iii) Previous achievement [5 marks]
 - (iv) Educational resources [5 marks]

4. (a) Citing relevant examples, evaluate the following principles of learning. [15 marks]

- (i) Effect
- (ii) Primacy
- (iii) Exercise

(b) Discuss how transfer of learning may be applied in classroom learning. [5 marks]
