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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF MASTER OF EDUCATION
(ARTS)

PGDE 713: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION

STREAMS: PGDE P/T

TIME: 3 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 8/08/2019

11.30 A.M - 2.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions
- Do not write anything on the Question paper

1. (a) Briefly distinguish between the following philosophical concepts: [10 Marks]
- (i) Deductive and Inductive Reasoning
 - (ii) Ethics and Aesthetics
 - (iii) Metaphysics and Epistemology
 - (iv) Theodicy and Theology
 - (v) Propositional and Dispositional Knowledge
- (b) Provide five salient attributes of an objective perception of a human person. [5 Marks]
- (c) Describe the five main characteristics of creativity. [5 Marks]
2. Using appropriate examples, show how education is a multi-dimensional/multi-faceted concept. [20 Marks]
3. There is a growing concern with increasing incidents of indiscipline in Kenyan secondary schools expressed in bizarre forms such as arson attacks on school property. From a democracy and dialogical dimension, provide a philosophical explanation of the causes and possible remedies to this situation. [20 Marks]
4. (a) An education system ignores values at the expense of the entire society. Discuss. [10 Marks]
- (b) Evaluate the levels through which human consciousness is acquired according to Paulo Freire. [10 Marks]
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