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EXAMINATIONS FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR
OF EDUCATION ARTS

EDCI 339: GEOGRAPHY SUBJECT METHODS

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) PART TIME

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 08/8/2018

11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions. Use sketches, diagrams and maps where they serve to illustrate the answer
- Do not write on the question paper

QUESTION 1

- (a) Explain ways which a teacher can use to maintain students' interest during a Geography lesson. [10 marks]
- (b) Explain practical considerations undertaken when preparing schemes of work in Geography. [5 marks]
- (c) Discuss the various learning resources used in the teaching and learning of Geography. [5 marks]
- (d) Explain how the teaching of Geography contributes to the attainment of the national goals of education. [10 marks]

QUESTION 2

- (a) Explain the purposes of asking oral questions in Geography lesson. [10 marks]
- (b) Explain the shortcomings of using field study in teaching Geography. [10 marks]

QUESTION 3

- (a) Explain the importance of preparing lesson plans in Geography [10 marks]
- (b) Discuss the importance of using maps in the teaching of Geography. [10 marks]

QUESTION 4

- (a) Explain various approaches that can be used in the teaching of Geography to give it a scientific dimension. Highlight the shortcomings of each. [10 marks]
- (b) Explain the curriculum based challenges that a Geography teacher is likely to encounter in teaching. [10 marks]

QUESTION 5

- (a) Explain the importance of using the school syllabus in the teaching of Geography. [5 marks]
 - (b) Explain five skills that Geography as a learning subject develops in a learner. [10 marks]
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