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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA  
IN EDUCATION

PGDE 761: GEOGRAPHY SUBJECT METHODS

STREAMS: PGDE L1B3

TIME: 3 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 08/04/2025

11.30 A.M. – 2.30 P.M.

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

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

**QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

- a) Explain the meaning of the following terms as applied in Geography teaching:
- (i) Stimulus variation (3 marks)
  - (ii) Regional Geography syllabus (3 marks)
  - (iii) Table of specification (3 marks)
- b) Discuss five factors to consider in constructing a geography CBC scheme of work (10 marks)
- c) Describe 4 ways of concluding a geography lesson (4 marks)
- d) Explain how studying geography benefits a student (7 marks)

**QUESTION TWO (15 MARKS)**

Supposing you are to teach the topic on Rocks to a form two class

- (i) Identify the teaching method you would use (2 marks)
- (ii) Justify your choice of teaching methods (3 marks)
- (iii) Describe how you will apply the method in classroom (10 marks)

**QUESTIONS THREE (15 MARKS)**

- a) Discuss the components of a CBC scheme of work (10 marks)
- b) What is the importance of a lesson plan (5 marks)

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**QUESTIONS FOUR (15 MARKS)**

- a) Give five reasons for using illustrations in teaching geography (5 marks)
- b) Describe 10 illustrative materials in teaching geography (10 marks)

**QUESTION FIVE (15MARKS)**

Write a sample exam composed of the following

- a) Five essay questions in cognitive domain (5 marks)
  - b) Five structured questions in psychomotor domain (10 marks)
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