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UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER

PROGRAMME

: BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CONSUMER SCIENCE, CONSUMER SCIENCE EDUCATION AND TEXTILE APARREL AND DESIGN MANAGEMENT YEAR IV

COURSE CODE : FRHD 411

TITLE OF PAPER:

INTERIOR DESIGNING

TIME ALLOWED:

TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS :

ANSWER QUESTION ONE (1)

AND ANY OTHER TWO (2) QUESTIONS

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QUESTION 1 (COMPULSORY)

A psychologist, Abraham Maslow, arranged human needs in a hierarchy.

- a) Identify the human needs according to Maslow's hierarchy-theory? [5 Marks]
- b) Discuss how housing can facilitate or hinder the fulfillment of the needs in (a). $[5 \times 5 = 25 \text{ Marks}]$
- c) When designing a home, space becomes the most important element.

How can one make the home and the rooms within a home look spacious without actually enlarging the house or the room? [10 Marks]

[TOTAL MARKS = 40]

QUESTION 2

Knowledge of art elements and principles of design enables one to make a visually pleasing design.

Discuss three (3) aspects of design that are also important when designing for living space. [3 \times 10 = 30 Marks]

[TOTAL MARKS = 30]

QUESTION 3

a) Discuss the statement, "The advantages of home ownership are largely social and those of renting are economic." $[(5 \times 3) + (3 \times 5) = 30 \text{ Marks}]$

[TOTAL MARKS = 30]

QUESTION 4

- a) The following are factors considered on the choice of a residential site.
 - i. Neighbourhood
 - ii. Conditions of soil
 - iii. Convenience.

Discuss important aspects of each one of these factors.

 $[3 \times 5 = 15 \text{ Marks}]$

b) Briefly discuss five (5) determining factors on the amount to spend on living space.

 $[5 \times 3 = 15 \text{ Marks}]$

[TOTAL MARKS = 30]