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# UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER

**PROGRAMME** 

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN CONSUMER SCIENCE AND CONSUMER SCIENCE EDUCATION YEAR III

COURSE CODE

: FRHD 301

TITLE OF PAPER

HOUSEHOLD TECHNOLOGY AND

MANAGEMENT

TIME ALLOWED

TWO (2) HOURS

**INSTRUCTIONS** 

: ANSWER QUESTION ONE (1)

AND ANY OTHER TWO (2) QUESTIONS

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## **QUESTION 1 (COMPULSORY)**

- (a) Differentiate between:
  - i) Qualitative and quantitative standards
  - ii) Absolute and relative values
  - iii) Cognitive and psychomotor resources
  - iv) Technical and economic decisions
  - v) Legal and political decisions

 $[5 \times 2 = 10 \text{ Marks}]$ 

- (b) One 'state of the art' kitchen appliance is the *conduction* type of range. Discuss the disadvantages of this technology in Swaziland settings. [5 Marks]
- (c) To minimize the use of harsh chemical cleaning agents in homes bicarbonate of soda may be used. Discuss uses of bicarbonate of soda as a cleaning agent. [5 Marks]
- (d) The worker, work and work place are all important and interrelated for effective use of human energy.
  - i. How can the human body be used effectively to save energy and to preserve health during task performance? [10 Marks]
  - ii. Discuss considerations for storage space and equipment for work simplification. [10 Marks]

    [TOTAL MARKS = 40]

#### **QUESTION 2**

Discuss family attributes that influence the management process.

 $[5 \times 6 = 30 \text{ Marks}]$ 

[TOTAL MARKS = 30]

### **QUESTION 3**

- (a) Discuss the choice of mixers and blenders as useful kitchen technologies. [10 Marks]
- (b) Discuss the usefulness of a food processor in modern kitchens. [10 Marks]
- (c) How would you care for your aluminium ware to get the best value for your money?

[10 Marks]

[TOTAL MARKS = 30]

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## **QUESTION 4**

(a) Values provide the thrust towards achievement of goals.
list characteristics of values.

[10 Marks]

(b) What is meant by 'immediate closure' in decision-making?

[5 Marks]

(c) Fill in the troubleshooting chart for an automatic washing machine:

| PROBLEM                                | CHECK |
|--|-------|
| Machine will not operate               | CHECK |
| There is restricted or no water supply |       |
| Machine will not drain                 |       |
| The machine will not spin              |       |
|  |       |

[15 Marks]

[TOTAL MARKS =30]

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