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UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER

PROGRAMME

DIPLOMA IN HOME ECONOMICS

EDUCATION YEAR II

COURSE CODE

HEE 201

:

TITLE OF PAPER : TEACHING METHODS

TIME ALLOWED :

TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

ANSWER QUESTION ONE (1)

AND ANY OTHER (2) QUESTIONS

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QUESTION 1

COMPULSORY

(a) Within the context of a method of teaching lie many factors that influence the selection and /or creation of learning activities. Identify and explain five (5) of these factors.

[15 Marks]

- (b) Using a project as a method of teaching provides students opportunities to choose their own activities, like making an apron to use at home. Explain the six (6) advantages of using this method. [12 Marks]
- c) Learning is defined as "a process by which individuals acquire knowledge and experiences they apply to future related behaviours". Why is this definition > useful for teachers?

[13 Marks]

[TOTAL MARKS = 40]

QUESTION 2

(a) Teaching is said to be a pattern of behaviour of teachers that is characterized by five (5) steps. Name and explain these steps.

[15 Marks]

(b) Explain the nature of experiences.

[15 Marks]

[TOTAL MARKS = 30]

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QUESTION 3

- (a) The permanent change in learner behaviour does not come about by what the teacher does but by how the learner feels. Explain. [16 Marks]
- (b) In order for meaningful teaching and learning to occur, lesson objectives must be written in the terms of the learner. Explain. [14 Marks]

[TOTAL MARKS = 30]

QUESTION 4

- (a) The last component of effective learning is evaluation.

 Explain the three (3) purposes of evaluation of effective

 Learning. [15 Marks]
- (b) Discuss the three (3) major sections of a teacher's individualized aid for conducting a class. [15 Marks]

[TOTAL MARKS = 30]