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TITLE OF PAPER

INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN, METHODS &

TECHNIQUES

COURSE CODE

CAE 213

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TIME ALLOWED

THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

1. ANSWER THREE QUESTIONS ONLY

2. QUESTION ONE (1) IS COMPULSORY

3. ANSWER ONE QUESTION FROM SECTION

B AND ONE QUESTION FROM SECTION C

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SECTION A

1. a) Define participation in adult learning. (5)

b) Explain five factors to illustrate that adult learners' benefit when participatory methods in identifying learning needs are used. (15)

c) Setting objectives is a very important process/step in designing instruction for adult learners. Using practical examples support this sentence by explaining at least three factors that show why objectives are important. (5)

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SECTION B

2. Small group is amongst the commonly used methods in teaching adults.

a) Using examples from your experience in working with adults, explain the small group method. (5)

b) Explain five factors that promote participation of individual learners in small group. (15)

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3. In selecting media for teaching adult learners, what five factors guide your choice? Using examples elaborate on each factor. (20)

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SECTION C

4. a) What is evaluation? (5)

b) Give reasons for evaluating adult education activities. (5)

c) What are the essential steps in evaluating adult education programmes? (10)

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5. The case study method involves the use of real life experiences of an individual, a group or an organization, other than the learners themselves.

a) Explain five purposes of using case studies in adult education. (15)

b) What are the disadvantages of using case studies in teaching and learning? (5)

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