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BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ADULT EDUCATION) YEAR III

MAIN EXAMINATION PAPER DECEMBER, 2011

TITLE OF PAPER : PSYCHOLOGY OF ADULT EDUCATION I

COURSE : IDE-BAE 310

TIME ALLOWED : THREE (3) HOURS

- INSTRUCTIONS :**
- 1. ANSWER THREE (3) QUESTIONS ONLY.) ONE FROM EACH SECTION (A, B, C).**
 - 2. ANSWERS SHOULD BE WRITTEN IN THE ANSWER BOOKLETS PROVIDED.**
 - 3. DO NOT WRITE ON THE QUESTION PAPER.**

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SECTION A**QUESTION 1 IS COMPULSORY****QUESTION 1 [40 marks]**

'Muzi, a maestro in the entertainment world and his mates dropped out of school forty years ago because of their love for music and dance. At fifty-eight Muzi enrolled for his A levels in six subjects and has successfully passed four. He recounts the environment at his learning centre to be reminiscent of his young days as a pupil. Being surrounded by young and enthusiastic learners has rekindled his quest for learning. He is determined to complete and pass the remaining two subjects, and envisages to pursue a degree in Social Anthropology at his local university. This, he argues, will nurture his already brilliant career in song and dance.'

Use the above scenario to examine the:

- (a) Contribution of human abilities and social roles to adult healthy living and learning; and
- (b) The role of providers of education and training for adults in creating and sustaining life long learning.

SECTION B**ANSWER ONE (1) QUESTION ONLY****QUESTION 2 [30 marks]**

What is human growth?

- (a) What is human development?
- (b) Using relevant examples, discuss the link between human growth, human development, maturation and adult learning.

QUESTION 3 [30 marks]

- (a) What is adult social development?
- (b) Describe two methods that you could use in studying adult social development.
- (c) Using examples from your own culture, identify the link between social roles and social development in adulthood.

QUESTION 4[30 marks]

- (a) What is the distinction between personality state, personality trait and personality type?
- (b) Choose any theory of personality and use it to illustrate the link between adult education and adult personality development.

QUESTION 5[30 marks]

- (a) What is human ability?
- (b) Critique the use of ability groups in the education and training of adults.

SECTION C**ANSWER ONE (1) QUESTION ONLY****QUESTION 6[30 marks]**

- (a) (i) What is emotion? (ii)What is emotional behaviour?
- (b) Construct a scenario to illustrate how one can cope with emotion.

QUESTION 7[30 marks]

- (a) What is stress?
- (b) Construct a scenario to illustrate how one can (i) cope with stress and (ii) manage stress.