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**TITLE OF PAPER: INSTRUCTIONAL DESIGN AND TECHNIQUES IN ADULT  
EDUCATION**

**COURSE CODE: CAE 113**

**TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS**

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**Question 1**

- i. Discuss how the E-learning (using Moodle) experience has enhanced your learning since you joined the adult education programme. In your discussion, cite with examples at least 3 things which have enhanced your learning. (15)
- ii. Compare and contrast (with examples) the E-learning experience versus the face-to-face instructional methods. (10)

[25 Marks]

**Question 2**

Experiential learning may be equivalent to personal change and growth. Proponents of the theory feel that human beings have a natural propensity to learn; your role is to facilitate such learning. As a facilitator, explain the following principles while giving a practical example:

- i. Setting a positive climate for learning,
- ii. Clarify the purpose of learning to the learner(s),
- iii. Organizing and making available learning resources,™
- iv. Balance intellectual and emotional components of learning, and
- v. Share feelings and thoughts with learners but not dominating.

[25 Marks]

**Question 3**

Select any five of the below terms and explain them while giving an example to support your answer.

1. Information Communication Technology
2. E-Learning
3. Instructional Design
4. Learner Profile
5. ADDIE Model
6. Needs Assessment
7. Situated Learning
8. Andragogy

[25 Marks]

**Question 4**

Technological advancements have made it possible for people to be linked world-wide through computers and other devices (such as mobile phones). This is possible through the Internet.

- i. Describe what Internet is; (5)
- ii. List and explain five ways that people can communicate through the Internet; (10)
- iii. Explain how the Internet can benefit you as an adult learner in Swaziland (Be specific in your own situation). (10)

[25 Marks]

**Question 5**

- i. Based on a topic of your choice, write an instructional goal (5)
- ii. Based on the goal above, write four instructional objectives (20)

[25 Marks]

**Question 6**

Briefly respond to the following questions:

1. You have been trained as an instructional designer; discuss what it takes for one to be an instructional designer and be able to design instructional materials. (5)
2. If you are requested to facilitate 20 farmers in your community on piggery, why should you select to use real pigs rather than pictures and posters? (5 marks)
3. Assuming you are going to train 10 women on sewing skills, why should you develop your own training materials rather than selecting existing ones? (5 marks)
4. What are the media attributes of the following types of media? (10 marks)
  - Radio
  - Television
  - A Goat
  - A cell phone
  - A Newspaper