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**PAPER TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO RESEARCH AND
EVALUATION**

COURSE CODE: AED201

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER QUESTION 1 AND ANY OTHER
THREE QUESTIONS.**

TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) HOURS

TOTAL MARKS ALLOCATED: 100

QUESTION 1

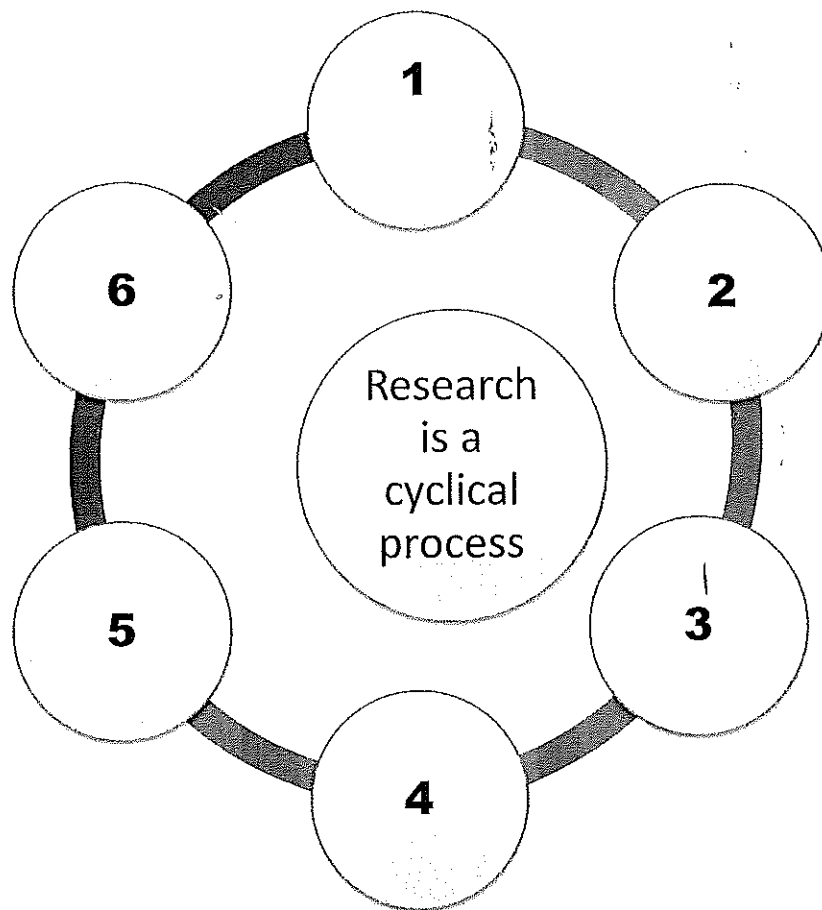
A. All these are characteristics of research except one: [2 marks]

- i. Research originates with a question
- ii. Research requires a plan for proceeding
- iii. Research pays no attention to procedures
- iv. Research collects and analyses data

B. Choose and explain **two (2)** other characteristics not mentioned above. (10 marks)

C. Define research as a concept [2 marks]

D. Complete the research cycle [6 marks]



E. Outline and describe four research designs known to you. **20 marks**

Total marks = 40

QUESTION 2

Write explanatory notes on the following:

- a) Simple random sampling
- b) Stratified random sampling
- c) Research design
- d) Sampling

4 x 5 = 20 marks

QUESTION 3

Describe with the aid of examples how you would use Stufflebeam's CIPP model to evaluate a programme of your choice. **20 marks**

QUESTION 4

Write short explanatory notes on the following:

- i. Summative evaluation
- ii. Context evaluation
- iii. Process evaluation
- iv. Goal evaluation

5 x 4 = 20 marks

QUESTION 5

- a) What do you understand by a research problem? **5 marks**
- b) Explain why it is important for a researcher to clearly state the problem. **10 marks**
- c) Explain how the choice of methodology is likely to influence your research problem. **5 marks**