

UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF PRIMARY EDUCATION

SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER, JULY 2016

COURSE CODE

PEC 372

TITLE OF PAPER:

CURRICULUM STUDIES: BIBLICAL STUDIES

TIME ALLOWED:

TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS :

- 1. ANSWER TWO (4) QUESTIONS.
- 2. EACH QUESTION CARRIES TWENTY FIVE (25) MARKS.
- 3. INDICATE ON YOUR ANSWER BOOKLET WHETHER YOU ARE FULL TIME (F/T) OR NOT (IDE). APPEND THE INITIALS F.T OR I.D.E. TO YOUR I.D. NUMBER.
- 4. THE ASSESSMENT OF THIS EXAMINATION SHALL TAKE INTO CONSIDERATION, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THE CORRECT USAGE OF THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE, THE QUALITY OF EXPRESSION AS WELL AS THE PRESENTATION OF THE ANSWER.

THIS PAPER IS NOT TO BE OPENED UNTIL PERMISSION HAS BEEN GRANTED BY THE INVIGILATOR.

QUESTION 1

Discuss four arguments that are often used to justify the inclusion of biblical studies in the school curriculum. (25 marks)

QUESTION 2

Discuss factors within and outside the school which might negatively affect students' perceptions towards biblical studies as a school subject. (25 marks)

QUESTION 3

(a) Discuss factors that could limit the use of learning resources outside the school.

(10 marks)

(b) Explain how the use of these resources could enhance the teaching and learning of biblical studies. (15 marks)

(25 marks)

QUESTION 4

Evaluate two pros and two cons of the textbook approach.

(25 marks)

QUESTION 5

Evaluate how the teaching and learning of biblical studies could be enhanced in a self-contained classroom. (25 marks)

END OF PAPER