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COURSE CODE: PED606

TITLE OF PAPER: CONTEXTS FOR TEACHING AND LEARNING LANGUAGE

TIME ALLOWED: THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: 1. THIS PAPER HAS FIVE QUESTIONS.

2. ANSWER FOUR QUESTIONS.

3. THE ENTIRE EXAMINATION CARRIES 100 MARKS WHICH WILL CONSTITUTE 50% OF THE FINAL GRADE.

4. INDICATE THAT YOU ARE PART-TIME.

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ANSWER FOUR QUESTIONS

QUESTION 1

- a) Define the following terms:
- i) Language skills
- ii) Learning factors
- iii) Language acquisition
- iv) Passive vocabulary
- v) Objectives in a lesson

2 marks each (10 marks)

b) Discuss the systematic barriers and the societal barriers to teaching and learning language.

TOTAL MARKS: 25

QUESTION 2

Literature can be used as a tool for promoting and enhancing the learning of language.

Discuss five (5) elements/story structures that you can use with children/learners in the higher primary grades.

25 marks

QUESTION 3

Discuss five (5) principles for developing intercultural language learning.

25 marks

QUESTION 4

a) Discuss the static and dynamic approaches to culture.

20 marks

b) Why is context important to learners?

5 marks

Total marks: 25

QUESTION 5

Discuss health impairments and chronic diseases that can affect the language learning of children.

25 marks