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MAIN EXAMINATION
APRIL 2021

TITLE : CURRICULUM STUDIES IN ENGLISH I

COURSE CODE : CTE 319; CTE 519

STUDENTS : B. ED III (F/T) & (IDE); P.G.C.E. (F/T)& (IDE)

TIME ALLOCATION : THREE (3) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. THIS PAPER HAS FIVE (5) QUESTIONS.
2. CHOOSE AND ANSWER ANY FOUR (4) QUESTIONS.
3. YOUR ANSWERS MUST BE IN CONTINUOUS WRITING.
4. EACH QUESTION IS 25 MARKS, INCLUDING 5 MARKS FOR GRAMMAR.

DO NOT PAGE THIS PAPER UNTIL YOU ARE TOLD.

QUESTION 1

You overheard a professor arguing with another that “all what a person knows completely manifest itself in what he/she speaks”. The other professor was totally refuting this statement. Join the discussion in writing and clarify the linguistic theory involved in their argument. State and justify your position.

(25 Marks)

QUESTION 2

Your colleague in the staffroom was helping a student to pronounce the word [this] correctly, but later you heard the student pronouncing it as [dis], despite having been corrected. In detail, discuss what could be the cause for the relapse. As a teacher what would you do in class to avoid your students from getting into this problem?

(25 Marks)

QUESTION 3

Carefully study the following teachers’ classroom behavior:

The teacher is concerned with techniques that focus on learners’ needs, style and goals. Also, the teacher uses techniques that allow the learners to participate fully in the class activities.

Discuss the teaching approach used by the teacher. In your discussion include one other characteristics of this approach.

(25 Marks)

QUESTION 4

Two teachers are teaching compositions in different classes. Teacher A gives students a topic and wants the students to write and complete the composition. Teacher B is asking them to write the composition step by step, paragraph by paragraph, and he checks each paragraph before they do the next one. Discuss the approaches each teacher is using in teaching the compositions. Which approach is more meaningful to you and why?

(25 Marks)

QUESTION 5

You have been invited to present a paper on cultural responsive language teaching. Write the paper, stressing any two of the following:

Acculturation, accommodation, and pluralism.

(25 Marks)

END OF PAPER