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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER MAIN EXAMINATION

FOR THE POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION

COURSE CODE: EDF 711

COURSE TITLE: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION

DATE: 12TH OCTOBER, 2020

TIME: 9.00 AM -12.00 NOON

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

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EDF 711

REGULAR – MAIN EXAM

EDF 711: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION

STREAM: PGDE

DURATION: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

*i) Answer Question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions.*

ii) Do not write on the question paper.

Question One

- a) Using relevant examples, explain the concept of Foundations of education. (12 Marks)
- b) Highlight FOUR benefits of studying Philosophy of Education to teacher trainees. (8 Marks)

Question Two

Explain FIVE philosophical principles that underpinned African Indigenous Education. (20 Marks)

Question Three

- a) Explain the relationship between knowledge and education. (10 Marks)
- b) Justify FIVE ways in which the Kenyan system of education can enhance sound moral development among learners. (10 Marks)

Question Four

- a) Discuss THREE reasons why teacher-centred methods of education dominated early periods of civilization. (12 Marks)
- b) Explain FOUR benefits of student-centred methods of learning. (8 Marks)

Question Five

- a) Discuss the view that Aristotle is the father of science. (10 Marks)
- b) Explain the relationship between philosophy and science. (10 Marks)

