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Faculty of Education
Department of Educational Foundations
Programme: M.Ed. Educational Administration and Planning
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Course Code: EDA831
Course Title: Project Management in Education
Credit Units: 2
Time Allowed: 2 hours

Instructions:

1. Answer any three questions. All questions carry equal marks.
2. Start a question on a fresh page.

Question 1

Mr. Adegoke Adebajo owns a secondary school in one of the cities in Nigeria. The school is 10 years old. Mr. Adebajo projected the school enrolment at 10 years to be 1,000. But right now, the school enrolment is 200. The challenges facing the school include indiscipline among the staff and students and high rate of teaching staff turnover. Assuming Mr. Adebajo hires you as a consultant to guide the affairs of the school:

- a. Identify the gap that led to the stated challenges in line with the principles of school management. 3.5 marks
- b. With reference to the identified gap, explain five principles you would adopt to control the challenges. 20 marks

Question 2

Mrs Adebayo Olubukun is the CEO of a private university. She is interested in getting reliable information to plan the programmes in the university. She also wants to make choice among the programmes with due consideration with the limited funds in achieving the institutional goals. As an expert in educational administration and planning, which planning technique would suggest between PERT and PPBES. Explain the planning circle of the suggest model.

23.5 marks

Question 3

Choose a school project and present how you will manage the project if you are hired to be the project manager. Your presentation should not be more than 500 words.

23.5 marks

Question 4

Assuming you are invited by a state governor to advice on the contractor/consultant to award a school project for execution. Explain the elements you will analyse in the consultants' submissions.

23.5 marks