



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

2024 1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: EDU 711

COURSE TITLE: Introduction to Foundations of Education

COURSE CREDIT: 2

TIME ALLOWED: 2 hours

INSTRUCTION: Answer question number one and any other two questions.

Question 1

- a. How would you define psychological theory? (5 marks)
- b. List any five theories that are relevant to learning in psychology. (5 marks)
- c. Explain in details the analytic nature of educational psychology. (5 marks)
- d. With any five reasons, explain why you think this course is needed in teacher training programme. (15 marks)

Question 2

- a. Carefully distinguish between teaching and learning. (4 marks)
- b. Explain the following types of learning:
 - i. Classroom learning (4 marks)
 - ii. Social learning (4 marks)
 - iii. Incidental learning (4 marks)
 - iv. Skill learning (4 marks)

Question 3

- a. With concrete examples, distinguish between intrinsic and extrinsic motivation. (5 marks)
- b. Explain five hierarchy of needs as propounded by Maslow Theory. (15 marks)

Question 4

Write short notes on the following:

- a. Education during the colonial era. (5 marks)
- b. The National Policy on Education. (5 marks)
- c. The National Curriculum Conference of 1969. (5 marks)
- d. Universal Basic Education. (5 marks)