

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
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FACULTY OF EDUCATION
2024 1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: EDU 718

COURSE TITLE: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION

COURSE CREDIT: 2

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTION: Answer Question Number 1 and Any Other Two Questions.

Question 1

- a. Give any two different definitions of Philosophy. **(4 marks)**
- b. List any three approaches to the study of philosophy. **(3 marks)**
- c. Distinguish between prescriptive and coordinating functions of philosophy. **(8 marks)**
- d. Explain any five ways philosophy can be used to solve some teething problems in education. **(15 marks)**

Question 2

Carefully discuss John Dewey's idea of education in respect to the following:

- a. Aims of education **(4 marks)**
- b. Methodology **(4 marks)**
- c. The school **(4 marks)**
- d. The teacher **(4 marks)**
- e. The child **(4 marks)**

Question 3.

Explain briefly the following concepts:

- a. Realists aims of education **(5 marks)**
- b. Realists' methods of education **(5 marks)**
- c. Realists influence on Nigeria Education **(10 marks)**

Question 4.

- a. How would you define logic? **(2 marks)**
- b. Differentiate between inductive and deductive reasoning. **(6 marks)**
- c. Explain four importance of Logic to education. **(12 marks)**