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Faculty of Education,

Department of Science Education

2025_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE:	EDU815
COURSE TITLE:	INSTRUCTIONAL TECHNIQUES AND METHODS IN SCHOOLS MATHEMATICS
TIME ALLOWED:	2 HOURS 2 CREDIT UNITS
INSTRUCTIONS:	ATTEMPT QUESTION 1 AND ANY OTHER 2

1. How will you teach a Basic III pupils that:

- a) Any number multiplied by zero is equal to zero? (15marks)
- b) Any positive number multiplied by a negative number will give a negative product? (15marks)

***(lesson plan is not needed)*

2a) Explain the concept of laboratory teaching method in mathematics. (2marks)

2b) Discuss briefly four procedures for a laboratory lesson in Mathematics. (8marks)

2c) In five points, discuss fully the justification for the use of laboratory method in teaching Mathematics (10marks)

3a 'Briefly explain this in five ways how Lack of trained teachers or their inadequacy affects the teaching and learning of Mathematics'.. (5marks)

3b Discuss five ways by which you can motivate your learners to make them improve in their achievement (15marks)

4. Explain in succinct terms how Mathematics learning can:

a. prepare the learners for useful future; (12marks)

b. prepare the learner for higher education (8marks)