



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
2025_1 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: **PED 412**

COURSE TITLE: **BASIC RESEARCH METHODS IN EDUCATION**

COURSE UNIT : **2**

TIME : **2 HOURS**

Instruction:

1. *Students are to answer question one and any other two questions.*
2. *The total mark for question 1 is 30 marks, and 20 marks for each of questions 2, 3, 4, and 5*
3. *Full mark allotted should only be given to a very well-expressed answer with appropriate sentences.*

1a. Explain the following types of Educational Planning based on each two- divisions as noted by Agabi:

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| <i>I. Time Horizon</i> | <i>ii. Scope of the Plan</i> |
| <i>II. Time Dynamism</i> | <i>IV. Management Level</i> |

6 Marks each X 4 points = 24 Marks

b. If educational planning is classified by the level of government involvement. Explain any three (3) the following terms;

- i. imperative incentive
- ii. indicative
- iii. laissez-faire.
- iv. Incentive

2 Marks each X 3 Point = 6 Marks

2. a. List any four (4) posts among pupils' personnel administration in Nigeria Education system

2 Marks each X 4 Points = 8 Marks

b. Hoy and Miskel (1982:264-268) identified six major assumptions that are closely associated with decision-making theory. State any four (4) of the assumptions?

3 Marks each X 4 Points = 12 Marks

3. a. Identify four (4) factors influencing Educational Planning

2 Marks each X 4 Points = 8 Marks

b. List and explain the four (4) steps or actions that are involved in decision making process?

3 Marks each X 4 Points = 12 Marks

4. a. List five (5) Parameters in Educational Planning

1 Marks each X 5 Points = 5 Marks

b. Evaluation Identify and Briefly explain any five (5) theories in educational planning?

3 Marks each X 5 Points = 15 Marks

5.a, Enumerate four (4) Problems Facing Educational Planning in Nigeria

2 Marks each X 4 Points = 8 Marks

b. State and explain the four (4) steps require for initiating the Plan of Action

3 Marks each X 4 Points = 12

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