THE UNITED REPUBLIC OF TANZANIA NATIONAL EXAMINATIONS COUNCIL OF TANZANIA DIPLOMA IN SECONDARY EDUCATION EXAMINATION

761 EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY, GUIDANCE AND COUNSELLING

Time: 3 Hours Year: 2021

Instructions

- 1. This paper consists of sections A, B and C with a total of sixteen (16) questions.
- 2. Answer **all** questions in section A, and **two (2)** questions from each of the sections **B** and C.
- 3. Section A carries forty (40) marks, and sections B and C carry thirty (30) marks each.
- 4. Cellular phones and any unauthorized materials are **not** allowed in the examination room.
- 5. Write your **Examination Number** on every page of your answer booklet (s)

SECTION A (40 Marks)

Answer all questions in this section

- 1. Elaborate the given psychological terms:
 - (a) At risk children
 - (b) Disability
 - (c) Exceptional children
 - (d) Special Education.
- 2. Describe four intellectual capabilities of a concrete operational child.
- 3. Explain the four stages of a Counselling session.
- 4. Explain the four causes of intellectual disability.
- 5. Differentiate semantic and episodic memory by giving four points.
- 6. Identify four elements of which the learning theories are interested in.
- 7. Explain why psychology qualifies to be a science by giving four points.
- 8. Explain four effectiveness of studying personality for prospective teachers.
- 9. Give four characteristics of preoperational child as stipulated by Jean Piaget's Cognitive learning theory.
- 10. Explain four ways that can be used by teachers to reinforce their student's academic achievements.

SECTION B (30 Marks)

Answer two (2) questions from this section

- 11. Explain seven components of a good school guidance and counselling programme.
- 12. Explain six guidelines for effective punishment.
- 13. Explain three challenges experienced by adolescents and propose three best ways to overcoming them

SECTION C (30 Marks)

Answer **two** (2) questions from this section

- 14. Suggest six ways that may be employed by teachers to accommodate students with visual impairment in teaching and learning process.
- 15. Explain the applications of constructivism theory in teaching and learning process.
- 16. Assess two women practical needs and four women strategic needs as effective ways of empowering and enhancing women's psychological and social wellbeing in Tanzania.