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

### 762 EDUCATIONAL RESEARCH, MEASUREMENT AND EVALUATION

Time: 3 Hours Year: 2023

### **Instructions**

- 1. This paper consists of sections A and B with a total of fourteen (14) questions.
- 2. Answer all questions.
- 3. Question 11 is Compulsory
- 4. Section A carries forty (40) marks, and section B carry sixty (60) marks.
- 5. Cellular phones and any unauthorized materials are **not** allowed in the examination room.
- 6. Non-programmable calculators may be used.
- 7. Write your **Examination Number** on every page of your answer booklet (s)

### **SECTION A (40 Marks)**

### Answer all questions in this section

- 1. Explain four usefulness of item analysis in teaching and learning process.
- 2. Identify the reasons for conducting an educational research in secondary schools.
- 3. Classify forms of evaluation in education.
- 4. Briefly analyse the four major criteria to be used in reviewing the quality of a research report.
- 5. Distinguish measurement from evaluation by using two points.
- 6. Provide two points that validate a good test.
- 7. Differentiate between qualitative and quantitative approaches by giving four points.
- 8. Identify the advantages and disadvantages of objective test in assessment.
- 9. Identify reasons of using observation method in collecting information for investigation.
- 10. Explain four applications of cyclic type of research.

## **SECTION B (60 Marks)**

# Answer all questions from this section

11. A Biology teacher obtained the following results from students' weekly test. Study carefully the data in the table given and answer the questions that follow.

Students' name	A	В	C	D	E	F	G	Н	I	J
Students' score	20	5	13	7	18	4	12	10	17	14

- (a) Determine mean and standard deviation.
- (b) If the teacher standardizes the scores by adding 10 marks to every score, how can you estimate the new mean, standard deviation and the range?
- (c) Comment on the mean, standard deviation and the range obtained in part (b).

- 12. Explain five issues to consider when planning for an action research.
- 13. Use criterion-referenced measurement to evaluate the achievement of learning by giving six points.
- 14. Analyse six key areas that should be assessed during the process of teaching and learning.