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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER MAIN EXAMINATION

FOR THE POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN **EDUCATION**

COURSE CODE: EDF 711

COURSE TITLE: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION

DATE: 12TH OCTOBER, 2020

TIME: 9.00 AM -12.00 NOON

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

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REGULAR - MAIN EXAM

EDF 711: PHILOSOPHY OF EDUCATION

STREAM: PGDE

DURATION: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- i) Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions.
- ii) Do not write on the question paper.

Question One

- a) Using relevant examples, explain the concept of Foundations of education. (12 Marks)
- b) Highlight FOUR benefits of studying Philosophy of Education to teacher trainees.
 (8 Marks)

Question Two

Explain FIVE philosophical principles that underpinned African Indigenous Education. (20 Marks)

Question Three

a) Explain the relationship between knowledge and education.

(10 Marks)

b) Justify FIVE ways in which the Kenyan system of education can enhance sound moral development among learners.

(10 Marks)

Question Four

- a) Discuss THREE reasons why teacher-centred methods of education dominated early periods of civilization. (12 Marks)
- b) Explain FOUR benefits of student-centred methods of learning.

(8 Marks)

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Question Five

a) Discuss the view that Aristotle is the father of science. (10 Marks)

b) Explain the relationship between philosophy and science. (10 Marks)
