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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2015/2016 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION

FOR

DEGREE

IN

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

COURSE CODE: PSY 210

COURSE TITLE: HUMAN GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT

DATE: 18/12/2015

TIME: 2:00PM-5:00PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Answer any **FOUR** questions
- Marks are shown at the end of each question
- Show workings in the answer booklet for award of full marks
- Switch off your mobile phones
- Each question should begin on a fresh page
- Duration is 3 hours

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1. Answer ANY four questions
2. Duration is 2 ½ HOURS

QUESTION ONE

- a) Discuss how one can apply Maslow's Hierarchy of needs theory to real life situation (10marks)
- b) Explain the effect of motivation on students learning and behavior (5 ½ marks)

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Explain any distinction between the two concepts of growth and development. (2½ marks)
- (b) Identify and discuss any THREE teratogenicity and any TWO genetic factors in prenatal growth and development. (15 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Define the term personality. (1½ marks)
- b) With reference to Erickson's theory, explain the EIGHT psychosocial conflicts to be resolved in the process of personality development. (16 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Define cognitive development (2½ marks)
- b) Describe Piaget's stages of cognitive development (9 marks)
- c) Explain any THREE educational applications of Piaget's theory of cognitive development. (6 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Explain any FIVE ways through which a teacher can help early maturing boys and girls to overcome the challenges of early maturity. (17½ marks)

QUESTION SIX

- (a) List the THREE stages of Kohlberg's theory of moral development (1 ½ mark)