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2025_2 EXAMINATIONS

PROGRAMME: B. ED EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION
COURSE TITLE: THE SCHOOL ENVIRONMENT AND THE CHILD
COURSE CODE: ECE422
CREDIT UNIT(s): 2
TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS
INSTRUCTION: ANSWER QUESTION NO. ONE (1) AND ANY OTHER TWO (2) QUESTIONS

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Question 1

- 1a.** Explain the term 'Learning' **(3marks)**
- 1b.** Explain the under-listed terms and give one (1) example of each
- i. Simple Repetitive Association or Verbal Associated Learning
 - ii. Trial and Error Learning
 - iii. Learning by Doing **(15marks)**
- 1c.** Mention and discuss three (3) principles that students can apply for meaningful Memorization. **(12marks)**
- {Total 30marks}**

Question 2

- 2a.** Briefly discuss the School Environment with respect to human and material resources in the school. **(5marks)**
- 2b.** Explain the below-listed skills and how they make interaction with others effective in social development in the school environment.
- i. Verbal Skill
 - ii. Physical Skill
 - iii. Restraint Skill **(15marks)**
- {Total 20marks}**

Question 3

- 3a.** Highlight any five (5) attitudes that learners exhibit when they experience physical discomfort in the class. **(5marks)**
- 3b.** Briefly explain how classroom activities cause children's indiscipline behaviour in the school environment. **(3marks)**
- 3c.** Outline any **six (6)** roles of teachers in keeping discipline in the school environment. **(12marks)** **{Total 20marks}**

Question 4

- 4a.** Briefly discuss Sexual Morality and highlight any five (5) reasons why sex education should be given to Adolescents. **(10marks)**
- 4b.** Identify any five (5) roles of the school in giving moral training to children. **(5marks)**
- 4c.** Enumerate any five (5) reasons why some children tease or bully in the school Environment. **(5marks)** **{Total 20marks}**

Question 5

5a. Explain the following terms.

- i. Guidance **(5marks)**
- ii. Educational counselling **(5marks)**

5b. Briefly enumerate any five (5) ways through which children could be given successful learning achievement **(10marks)**

{Total 20marks}