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Main Examination QUESTION PAPER

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Module

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This paper consists of 5 pages, including this cover page

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

This paper has two sections and SIX questions.

Answer any TWO questions in Section A. AND

Answer TWO question in Section B and write in an essay format.

Identify the key requirements of questions before writing EACH essay.

Number the questions in your answer book as they are in your question paper.

Plan your answers carefully.

One meaningful point equates to a mark not just a sentence.

SECTION A

QUESTION 1: CHALLENGES OF HISTORY OF EDUCATION

Detect seven key challenges of History of Education as a field of study and describe what Kallaway (2017) suggests need to be done to solve them. (25)

QUESTION 2: ROOTS OF SEGREGATED SCHOOLING

Many different explanations have been offered for the roots of segregated schooling in South Africa. Until recently, the most popular of these placed the moral and legal responsibility for separate schooling at the door of the National party and Afrikaans ideology." Cross and Chishom,1990, p.43)

With the above statement discuss how did segregated schooling originate in South Africa? Which one(s) of the different arguments offer a better explanation of the roots of segregated schooling? (25)

OR

QUESTION 3: RESISTANCE IN EDUCATION

Analyse how resistance was carried out in education from the earliest schools that were established in the Cape up to 1976. (25)

SECTION B

QUESTION 4

Demonstrate the link between the world philosophies and educational philosophies in education (25)

QUESTION 5

All philosophies have their branches. Do you agree with this statement? Justify your answer by describing the major branches of all philosophies. (25)

OR

QUESTION 6

6.1 Differentiate between education and philosophy. (5)

6.2 Does education need philosophy? Use different philosophers to help strengthen your argument. (10)

6.3 Why is it important for teachers to have a philosophy of education? Reflect upon practicum experience and/or teachers who taught you at school to help develop your answer. (10)

(25)

END OF EXAM PAPER