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This paper consists of 3 pages including the cover page

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INSTRUCTIONS:

This paper has THREE (3) questions.

- Read questions carefully before answering them.
- Answer ALL questions.
- Write neatly and legibly.
- Please space your work adequately by leaving lines between sub-sections of a question.

Question 1 [14]

- A. Name two research methods. (4)
- B. Explain how do you select a research method for your study? (10)

Question 2

Based on the Article (A) provided answer the following questions. [17]

- A. State the Main Research Question Journal Article aimed to respond to? (3)
- B. What is the aim or purpose of the study in Journal Article? (3)
- C. What is the focus of analysis in Journal Article, Unpack (3)
- D. How were data collected in Journal Article? (3)
- E. What were the main findings of research in Journal Article? (5)

Question 3

What is meant by the delimitation of the study? [2]

Question 4

What is meant by the research method? [2]

Question 5

Draw an annotated flow chart of research proposal. [30]

Question 6 [20]

The concept of research in the classroom

- A. Why is research important for teachers? (10)
- B. Please identify and explain any TWO other ways of knowing? (10)

Question 7 [15]

For the following questions choose a correct answer and explain why. Each question has three (3) marks.

7.1. Why should you use a search strategy?

- A. To focus your searching
- B. To ensure you will find relevant material
- C. To save you time when searching database
- D. All of the above

7.2. Using a search engine such as google to search for items on "The depletion of the ozone layer and the impact on health", you would use the words:

- A. Impact, depletion, ozone layer, health.
- B. Ozone layer, health

- C. Ozone layer
- D. Skin cancer, ozone layer
- E. None of the above
- F. Don't know

7.3. You have to write a paper on the "treatment of depression". Which search strategy would find the least number of documents?

- A. Depression and psychotherapy
- B. Depression or psychotherapy or antidepressants
- C. Depression and psychotherapy and antidepressants
- D. Depression
- E. Don't know

7.4. If you wanted to search for documents with the word cancer, cancerous or cancers what would you type in the search box?

- A. Cancer, cancerous or cancers
- B. Cancer, cancerous or cancers
- C. Cancer *
- D. Cancer and cancerous and cancers

7.5. You are looking for articles written Germany before 1990, how would you refine your search?

- A. By language
- B. By date
- C. By article type
- D. By author

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