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FACULTY OF EDUCATION
2020_1 Semester

COURSE CODE: EDU815
COURSE TITLE: Instructional Techniques and Methods in School Mathematics
TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS
INSTRUCTION: ATTEMPT QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO

1a) Mathematics is useful to everybody. Briefly discuss at least five (5) various Mathematics concepts applied by a housewife while preparing a pot of stew. (10marks)

1b) How do the following factors affect students' learning of Mathematics?

- i) The structure of Mathematics (5marks)
- ii) The nature of Mathematics (5marks)
- iii) The Mathematics teacher (10marks) **(TOTAL = 30marks)**

2a) Why do you think that instructional aid is necessary in the teaching of Mathematics

2b) How will you use the following in Mathematics instruction?

- i) model
- ii) flannel Board **(20marks)**

3a Explain the concept of individualized instruction in Mathematics.

3b. What features of individualized instruction will enable you to make effective use of this teaching method? **(20marks)**

4) Explain the following evaluation techniques in Mathematics

- i) Written tests
- ii) Assignment.

4b) What can make you prefer assignment to written test as a tool of evaluation in Mathematics?
(20marks)