



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
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Faculty of Education
2025_2 EXAMINATIONS

PROGRAMME: B. ED

COURSE CODE: PED 313

COURSE TITLE: HISTORICAL AND CULTURAL BACKGROUND OF IMMEDIATE ENVIRONMENT

CREDIT UNITS: 2

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER QUESTION 1 AND ANY OTHER 2

NOTE: QUESTION 1 CARRIES 30 MARKS, WHILE THE OTHERS CARRY 20 MARKS EACH.

- 1a. Clearly describe three types of culture according to contemporary Anthropologists. 9 marks
 - b. How has culture influenced the evolution of the cultural and historical background of people? 12 marks
 - c. Using three criteria, describe who a child is. 9 marks

- 2a. Define child fostering. 4 marks
 - b. Examine any four types of fostering. 16 marks

- 3a. Identify two family environments that influence the dimensions of family communication patterns. 8 marks
 - b. Suggest four ways of promoting effective family communication patterns. 12 marks

- 4a. Define the concept of modernity. 4 marks
 - b. Examine four effects of modernity on parenting styles and child-rearing practices in Nigeria. 16 marks