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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION MASTER OF EDUCATION IN SNE (REGULAR)

COURSE CODE: PSY 8103C

COURSE TITLE: EDUCATIONAL MEASUREMENT AND EVALUATION

DATE: 29/4/2019 TIME: 8:30 AM - 11:30

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Answer Question **ONE** and any other **THREE** questions

QUESTION ONE

a) Discuss the practical and technical characteristics of measuring tools

(6marks)

- b) Explain the following type of tests:
 - i. Standardized tests

(2marks)

ii. Norm-referenced tests

(2marks)

iii. Criterion -referenced tests

(2marks)

c) Examine the relevance of measures of central tendency in the testing process (3marks)

QUESTION TWO

- a) Discuss the following scales of measurement, indicating their respective significance in measurement and evaluation:
 - i. Ordinal scale

(4marks)

ii. Ratio scale

(3marks)

iii. Nominal scale

(4marks)

iv. Interval scale

(4marks)

QUESTION THREE

- a) Analyse the relevance of each of the following concepts in educational measurement process:
 - i. Item analysis

(5marks)

ii. Table of specifications

(5marks)

iii. Test plan

(5marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Provide a critical analysis on each of the following domains of blooms taxonomy, indicating reasons why you think this knowledge is of use to a classroom teacher
 - i. Affective domain

(5marks)

ii. Cognitive domain

(5marks)

iii. Psychomotor domain

(5marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Discuss the relevance of the following concepts in educational measurement:
 - i. Validity of test instrument (5marks)
 - ii. Reliability of test instrument

(5marks)

iii. Legal defensibility

(5marks)

QUESTION SIX

- a) Using examples, distinguish between direct and indirect methods of measuring learning outcomes (5marks)
- b) Explain 4 types of evaluation used in classroom instruction

(10marks)