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EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF EDUCATION

EFN/M/506: HISTORY OF EDUCATION IN AFRICA

DATE: WEDNESDAY, 2ND MAY 2012

TIME: 2.00 P.M. - 5.00 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Three Questions Only.

1. With reference to specific examples, compare and contrast factors leading to the introduction of Western Education in East and West Africa before colonisation.
2. Outline major missionary activities in West Africa following the partition of Africa and critically discuss the key influences to these activities.
3. In your view which factors critically influenced the development of higher education between 1940 and 1960.
4. “Education for human resource development”. Examine this statement in reference to educational changes following the achievement of independence in Africa since 1960s.
5. “The crisis in African education since the Mid-1970s is a reflection of a false start in the attainment of independence.” Discuss.
