



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2011/2012
INSTITUTION BASED PROGRAMME

DECEMBER SESSION EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF MASTER OF EDUCATION
PSE 507: SENIOR SEMINAR IN SPECIAL EDUCATION

DATE: Friday 4th May, 2012

TIME: 9.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer THREE questions only. Question ONE is compulsory. Select any other TWO.

1. You are the chairman of a committee preparing for an international conference which shall be held here at Kenyatta University Conference Centre in August, 2012.
Prepare the Agenda for the first meeting including the following:
 - a. Theme
 - b. Topics to cover the theme
 - c. Dates for the seminar, sending abstracts, information on the deadlines of sending abstract and the paper.
 - d. Travel information to reach Kenya and Kenyatta University accommodation information as well.
 - e. Write an invitation notice to would be attenders and presenters in your press newspapers and international papers and the internet. [30 marks]
2. Last year 2010 at Kenyatta University an international conference was held. Imagine that your abstract was accepted and therefore you were there to present your paper. The Theme of the seminar was Inclusion of Learners with Special Educational Needs in Regular schools. Present the Abstract of that paper. [20 marks]
3. An International seminar was held at the University of Nairobi in Kenya in April, 2011. One of the papers presented was “Elements of Management/Planning as formulated by Henri Fayol”. The whole class PSE 507 attended that seminar. You were one of those who attended. Present by discussing any five of those Elements of Management/Planning to school principals in your County. (Prepare notes for a one hour presentation to them). [20 marks]

4. There was a National Conference here at Kenyatta University last year 2011 in December. The students taking PSE 507 attended that seminar. One of the papers presented was “The three types of authority as seen by Max Weber”. Discuss those three authorities and state whether school heads can use them in administering in our schools here in Kenya. [20 marks]
5. Discuss by writing a one hour lesson notes on a topic “Contemporary Public Administration: The Changing Environment and Agenda by Peter Savage”. Address your discussion to the School principals in your county with examples drawn from their everyday practices in our schools here in Kenya. [20 marks]

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