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SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
EDUCATION
ECT 319: HOME ECONOMICS METHODS

DATE: SATURDAY, 2ND MAY 2015

TIME: 8.00 A.M. – 10.00 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

This paper consists of TWO sections. Section A question ONE is compulsory. In section B answer any TWO. Question ONE carries 30 marks and in section B, all questions are 20 marks

SECTION A (30 MARKS): QUESTION ONE IS COMPULSORY

1. You intend to teach the topic 'Collars' to a form four class.
 - a. Outline the steps to follow when teaching this topic. (6 marks)
 - b. List **four** learning experiences you are likely to engage learners in. (4 marks)
 - c. Suggest **four** follow up activities for the learners after the lesson. (4 marks)
 - d. Highlight **three** areas to observe when assessing a finished collar. (3 marks)
 - e. Explain **three** advantages of using real items in teaching home science. (6 marks)
 - f. Identify **four** challenges of conducting a practical home science lesson. (4 marks)
 - g. Describe **three** advantages of keeping a record of work in home science. (3 marks)

SECTION B (40 MARKS) ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

2. For learning to take place, classroom control and management are important for a home science teacher.
- a. Discuss **five** ways you would use to ensure class control. (15 marks)
 - b. Highlight five roles of a home science teacher in a secondary school.(5 marks)
3. The community is considered as a resource in teaching home science. Explain five ways in which a home science teacher can use the community as a resource in teaching.
- a. Discuss **five** ways to ensure effective presentation of the lesson. (15 marks)
 - b. Outline **five** basic principles of test construction. (5 marks)
4. Instructional objectives guide learning.
- a. Explain **five** factors to consider when formulating instructional objective in home science. (15 marks)
 - b. Highlight **five** characteristics of an effective home science teacher. (5 marks)