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MAIN EXAMINATION

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ED 101: DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

DATE: DECEMBER 2023

Duration: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other THREE Questions

Q1.

- a) List three reasons why teachers should study developmental psychology **(3 marks)**
- b) Define the following terms as used by Jean Piaget:
 - i. Assimilation **(1.5 Marks)**
 - ii. Accommodation **(1.5 Marks)**
- c) Justify two instruments a psychologist researcher would use to collect data when conducting a study in psychology **(4 Marks)**
- d) Differentiate between growth, development and maturity **(6 Marks)**
- e) Using relevant examples, analyse how the following factors influence human behaviour, growth and development:
 - i. Heredity **(3 Marks)**
 - ii. Environment **(3 Marks)**
 - iii. Parenting **(3 Marks)**

Q2.

Assess five factors that affect pre-natal development **(15 Marks)**

Q3.

Apply the Social Learning Theory or Observation Learning Theory in education institutions as advocated by Albert Bandura **(15 Marks)**

Q4.

Using relevant examples drawn from educational institutions, evaluate three personality structures of Id, Ego and superego. **(15 Marks)**

Q5.

How do agents of socialization influence teaching and learning in a classroom situation

(15 Marks)

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