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MAIN EXAMINATION

SEPTEMBER –DECEMBER 2021

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES

REGULAR PROGRAMME

ECDE 017: INTEGRATING CHILDREN

SPECIAL EXAMINATION

Date: DECEMBER 2021

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any TWO Questions

Q1. Define the term "Special Needs" **(2 marks)**

- a) Briefly explain FIVE Pre-natal causes of Mental Handicap **(5marks)**
- b) Distinguish between "Educable Mentally Retarded" and "Trainable Mentally Retarded" **(2 marks)**
- c) Briefly explain the following concepts;
 - (i) Atrophy **(2 marks)**
 - (ii) Hypoxia **(2 marks)**
 - (iii) Dyslexia **(2 marks)**
 - (iv) Nystagmus **(2 marks)**
- d) Highlight SEVEN ways of identifying speech and language difficulties among children **(7 marks)**
- e) State FOUR ways a teacher can assist a child who makes many spelling mistakes in written assignment **(4 marks)**
- f) Differentiate between socialized and un-socialized aggressive children **(2 marks)**

Q2. Justify the claim that social-economic factors play the greatest role in creating children's difficult circumstances **(20 marks)**

Q3. Analyze the measures that can be taken to protect children from the hazards of living under difficult circumstances **(20 marks)**

Q4. Using appropriate illustration, design an Individualized Education Program for a disabled child with intervention plans **(20 marks)**

Q5. Children with Special Needs need Specialized Instructional Resources. Analyze the statement **(20 marks)**

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