

COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, THEOLOGY, HUMANITIES, and EDUCATION

COURSE CODE: NTPT 205 COURSE TITLE: CHRISTIAN EDUCATION

END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

MAY-JUNE, 2020

LECTURER: REV. S. SIGN

DURATION: 48 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write your name on the answer sheet.
- 2. Answer ONE question.
- 3. Each question carries 100 marks
- 4. Credit is given for neat, well written and lucid work.

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- 1. Referring to excepts from Elie Buconyori's book, *The Educational Task of the Church* (1993) provided in class, your class notes and any other resource(s) at your exposal:
 - a) In two or three pages, give a summary of the objectives of Christian Education from the book and any other source you used during the course. [30]
 - b) Identify five objectives from those you gave in a) above, which you consider the most important and justify your selection. [30]
 - c) Evaluate the importance of each of the five objectives in b) above to enhancing Christian Education in a country of your choice in Africa today. [40]
- 2. Jesus of Nazareth was the Master Teacher of His time. The New Testament contains evidence of Jesus' emphasis on the teaching ministry culminating in the Great Commission to his disciples in Matthew 28:18-20:
 - a) In two or three pages, give a summary of the essential elements Jesus' teaching ministry in the New Testament. [30]
 - b) With evidence from the New Testament and relevant evidence from the history of the church, demonstrate your understanding of the concept of a teaching church.

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 - c) With reference to specific examples, discuss whether you think your local church is a teaching church. [40]
- 3. Cognitive research has demonstrated the importance of actively engaging the learner in the learning process:
 - a) In two or three pages, summarize primary stages of intellectual development, as propounded by Jean Piaget. [30]
 - b) Explain how each of these stages influences the development of Christian Education programs in Africa today. [30]
 - c) Using information about these stages of cognitive development produce a two
 to three page report you may give to your local church council with
 recommendations to develop a solid Christian Education program at your local
 church.

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