LESSON PLAN FOR WEEK 2 ENDING 20TH JANUARY, 2023

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| TERM | 2ND |
| WEEK | 2 |
| DATE | 16TH-20TH January, 2023 |
| CLASS | JSS 2 |
| SUBJECT | Civic Education |
| TOPIC | The Rule Of Law |
| SUB-TOPIC | Meaning and Types |
| PERIOD | 3rd |
| TIME | 9:30-10:10 |
| DURATION | 40 Minutes |
| NO IN CLASS | 13 |
| AVERAGE AGE | 11-13 years |
| SEX | Mixed |
| SPECIFIC OBJECTIVES | By the end of the lesson, scholars should be able to:  i.Explain the meaning of Rule of Law  ii.State the benefits and limitations of the Rule of Law. |
|  | To acquaint the scholars with the meaning and benefits of the Rule of Law. |
| PREVIOUS KNOWLEDGE | The scholars can explain the relationship between the Federal, State and Local Government. |
| INSTRUCTIONAL RESOURCES | Charts from textbook explaining the topic. |
| REFERENCE MATERIAL | National Value civic Education for Junior Secondary Schools.Book 2  Gbenga Babalola (2017) |

LESSON DEVELOPMENT

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| STEPS | TEACHER’S ACTIVITIES | SCHOLARS’ ACTIVITIES | LEARNING POINTS |
| Introduction | The teacher introduces the lesson by asking the scholars to mention the differences between three levels of government. | The scholars mention them as:  i.Administered laws.  ii.Age requirements. | To arouse scholars’ interest towards the topic. |
| Step 1 | The teacher explains the meaning of the Rule of Law. | The scholars pay attention. | To ensure proper understanding of the topic. |
| Step 2 | The teacher states the benefits and limitations of the Rule of Law. | The scholars ask relevant questions on the topic. | To make room for logical reasoning on the topic. |
| Board Summary | The teacher summerises the lesson thus:  **The Meaning of Law**  Law is a laid down rules and regulation that everyone in a society must adhere to or abide with. Law could be seen as the whole system of rules that everyone in a society or country must obey.  **Meaning of the Rule of Law**  The Rule of Law may be defined as the absolute supremacy or predominance of the law over everybody, both the ruler and the ruled and all decisions taken in a state.  **Benefits of the Rule of Law**  1.The rule of law guarantees and protects the rights of the citizens.  2.Laws are made public and not kept in secret.  3.It guarantees the powers of government as limited to the actions for which they have specific authority.  4.It gives an accused person the right to appeal in a court of law.  5.It gives total freedom to the press and judiciary.  **Limitations to the Rule of Law**:  1.Immunity clause in the constitution gives an edge to all serving Presidents, Governors and diplomats of various kinds over arrests.  2.Another limitation to the application of the rule of law is Ignorance. Some citizens do not know their rights, let alone fighting for them.  3.Illiteracy: Citizens who cannot read or write will not know their rights and they will be infringed upon.  4.During a state of emergency, the rule of law is set aside. | The scholars copy notes into their notebooks. | For reference purposes. |
| Evaluation | The teacher evaluates the scholars thus:  i.Explain the meaning of the Rule of Law.  ii.Mention two benefits and limitations of the Rule of Law. | The scholars attempt the questions. | To ascertain scholars understanding of the topic. |
| Conclusion | The teacher check scholars note and make corrections. | The scholars take corrections made by the teacher. | For consolidation of the lesson. |
| Assignment | The teacher gives the scholars assignment:  Mention and explain three punishments attached to breaking the law. | The scholars copy their assignment to do it at home. | To encourage scholars to study and learn at home. |



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