



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND LAGOS
MARCH/APRIL 2016 EXAMINATION

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

COURSE CODE: ECE 413

COURSE TITLE: COMPARATIVE EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO

Questions

1a) Identify the different school of thought and their views on early childhood education (10 marks)

b) State the specific views of each of these school of thought hold for early childhood education. (10marks)

c) Sketch out the philosophy of Froebel in Early Childhood Education (10marks)

2a) How would you describe, “child welfare” giving the example of child welfare programs.(5marks)

2b) Mention 5 ways the United Nations Organization contribute to global child welfare (5 marks)

2c) What would you describe special education to be? (5marks)

2d) List and explain 2 ways parents can be involved in education of their young ones (5 Marks)

3). Is there need to train teachers of the young children? List some of the agencies responsible for training of teachers in Cyprus, Nigeria, Chile and Ghana.

4. Compare and contrast the training of the young ones in African traditional society with Early childhood education as explained by Rousseau.