

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND LAGOS SCHOOL OF EDUCATION SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2015 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: ECE 410

COURSE TITLE: ISSUES IN EARLY CHILDHOOD AND PRIMARY

EDUCATION

TIME ALLOWED:2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS IN ALL

- 1. (a) Discuss Universal Basic Education ? (12marks)
 - (b) List five benefits of Universal Basic Education to children. (11marks)
- 2a) Critically examine the issues/challenges children in early childhood and primary education encounter? (8marks).
- 2b). What suggestions would you propose to solve them? (8marks)
- 2c). Identify 7 reasons for poor quality of primary education in countries. (7marks)
- 3a. Explain what you understand by the School curriculum? (2 Marks)
- 3b. Mention 3 things School Curriculum add as value to children's learning (3 marks)
- 3c. List 5 things Pre-Primary and Primary School Curriculum is based on.(10 Marks)
- 3d. Identify 6 Guidelines For Pre-primary School Curriculum (6 Marks)
- 3e. What do you understand by Educational Evaluation (1 Mark)
- 4(a) What is the difference between Creche and Play Group? (13marks)

(b) Give five examples of places where play group or day care centres could be established.(10marks)