



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
14/16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND, LAGOS
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
MARCH/APRIL 2014 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: PED421
COURSE TITLE: DEVELOPMENTAL GUIDANCE IN PRIMARY EDUCATION
TIME ALLOWED: 1 HOUR 30 MINUTES
INSTRUCTION: ANSWER QUESTION 1 AND ANY OTHER TWO

- 1a. What is developmental guidance? (5 marks)
- b. Discuss two (2) objectives of developmental guidance for the child, teacher, parents and community (20 marks)
- c. Identify five (5) principles of developmental guidance (5marks)
- 2a. Describe what is meant by “Circle time” in personal guidance needs of children (5 marks)
- b. Identify three (3) ways creating a sense of accountability in children can be accomplished by the teacher (7 ½ marks)
- c. List and discuss five (5) social problems among children (7 ½ marks)
- 3a. What is personality? (5 marks)
- b. Briefly describe the five (5) dimensions of personality (10 marks)
- c. List five (5) signs of depression in children (5 marks)
- 4a. Define the term “adjustment” (5 marks)
- b. Identify five (5) common adjustment problems among school children (5 marks).

- c. Discuss five (5) measures that can be taken to help children with adjustment problem (10 marks)