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END-OF-FIRST-SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS. AUGUST, 2023

LEVEL 300

COURSE CODE: EGM 356

COURSE TITLE: TEACHING AND ASSESSING EARLY GRADE NUMERACY II

TIME ALLOWED: 2 HRS

STUDENT'S INDEX NUMBER:

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GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

- This paper is made up of **ONE SECTION**.
- *The Section is made up of five essay type questions.*
- *Answer any **THREE** questions in your answer booklet.*
- *Each question carries equal marks. You are expected to start each question on a new page.*
- *You are expected to hand over your answer booklet to the invigilator before you leave the examination hall.*

Instruction: Answer any three (3) questions in the answer booklet provided.

1. (a) As an **Early Grade teacher**, how would you explain the concept of fraction as in everyday usage? Give two (2) examples. **(4 marks)**
(b) Explain **five (5)** reasons why **Early Grade learners** need to be assessed regularly. **(10 marks)**
(c) Use a model to explain decimal fractions to a **Basic three (3)** learner. **(6 marks)**
2. (a) Briefly describe how you would assist a **Basic three (3)** class to add 3 and 2 using Cuisenaire rods. **(6 marks)**
(b) Describe how you would use any named base ten materials to help **Basic two** learner to add: $34 + 23$. **(8 marks)**
(c). Identify the **position, place value** and **face value** of the **digit 8** in the numeral: 75284634659. **(6 marks)**

3. (a). Describe an activity to explain equivalent fractions to a **Basic three (3)** learner. **(6 marks)**

(b). As an **Early Grade** teacher, how would you explain the following:

i. Numeracy curriculum

ii. Numeracy syllabus

iii. State two difference between them.

(14 marks)

4. (a) As an **Early Grade** teacher, guide your learners to construct a stem and leaf plot using the data: 8, 13, 14, 23, 23, 26, 31, 32, 44, 33, 46, 48, 30, 16, 9, 15, 21. Use your plot to determine the **median of the data**. **(10 marks)**

(b) Using concrete materials, briefly explain the following multiplication concepts using the idea of multiplication as **repeated** addition of the same factor.

i. 5×6

ii. 6×5

(10 marks)

5. (a). Explain **five (5)** benefits of Micro lesson to **Early Grade** teachers.

(15 marks)

(b) Provide the number of faces, edges and vertices of the following 3D shapes:
Sphere, cone, cylinder, rectangular prism. **(5marks)**