



THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA

FACULTY OF EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (HONOURS) IN PRIMARY EDUCATION

LEVEL - 05

FINAL EXAMINATION – 2020/2021

EPU5552– EDUCATIONAL TECHNOLOGY FOR PRIMARY EDUCATION

ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES

DURATION – THREE (03) HOURS

Date: 11.02.2023

Time: 9.30 a.m. – 12.30 p.m.

Answer All Questions in Part I and any three (03) questions from Part II.

PART - I

01. Explain briefly the use of “Educational Technology” in a primary classroom.
02. What are the main features that could be identified in a learning aid?
03. Describe briefly an example for the project-based method in a primary classroom.
04. What do you mean by ‘teaching system’? Briefly explain giving examples.
05. What is the difference between the out door and the indoor learning environments? Explain with examples.
06. There are **four (04)** steps in the inductive process. What are those?
07. What is the link between Educational Technology and Communication?
08. List out the characteristics of the nature of multi-grade classroom teaching environment.

(5 x 8 = 40 marks)

PART - II

09. i. What are the characteristics of a teacher who functions as an “effective communicator” during the teaching learning process. Describe how it will support the learners. (10 marks)
- ii. Explain with suitable examples why the subject “Educational Technology” cannot be isolated from the other subjects. (10 marks)
10. i. List out the important factors of the learning process of a pre-school. (08 marks)
- ii. What are the steps you will consider when preparing a daily plan for a pre-school? (12 marks)
11. i. How would you understand the management process? (08 marks)
- ii. Discuss how you would apply this process in the management of a primary school. (12 marks)
12. i. Name a lesson topic which could to be taught through the discovery method to students in a primary grade. Write down the learning outcomes for that lesson. (06 marks)
- ii. Show how they could be achieved successfully by teaching through the discovery method. (08 marks)
- iii. What are the differences between the discovery method and the lecture method? Explain with examples. (06 marks)
13. i. “The final outcome of the evaluation process is to provide feedback on what has been taught and what has been learnt”. Explain this statement using examples. (10 marks)
- ii. Describe the importance of the teacher’s role as a facilitator for student learning. (10 marks)

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