



## FINAL EXAMINATION NOVEMBER 2023

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COURSE TITLE	SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION (DIPLOMA)
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(This Question Paper consists of 3 Printed Pages including front page)

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This question paper consists of THREE (3) questions. Answer ALL questions in the answer booklet provided.  
[50 MARKS]

Terdapat TIGA (3) soalan di dalam kertas peperiksaan ini. Sila jawab SEMUA soalan dalam buku jawapan yang disediakan. [50 MARKAH]

**QUESTION 1** (26 Marks)

An inquiry approach is the most current approach to science and refers to children's investigation to answer their questions.

- a) Elaborate on FIVE (5) inquiry approach activities the teacher can implement to teach Science and Technology to 5-year-old children. (10 marks)
- b) Provide FIVE (5) props for the teacher in the activity she plans for Question 1(a). (10 marks)
- c) Briefly discuss THREE (3) criteria in selecting materials for Question 1(b). (6 marks)

**SOALAN 1** (26 Markah)

Pendekatan *inkuiri* ialah pendekatan sains terkini yang merujuk kepada penyiasatan kanak-kanak untuk menjawab persoalan mereka.

- a) Huraikan LIMA (5) aktiviti pendekatan *inkuiri* yang boleh dilaksanakan oleh guru untuk mengajar Sains dan Teknologi kepada kanak-kanak berumur 5 tahun. (10 markah)
- b) Sediakan LIMA (5) alat bahan untuk guru dalam aktiviti yang di rancang bagi Soalan 1(a). (10 markah)
- c) Bincangkan secara ringkas TIGA (3) kriteria dalam memilih bahan untuk Soalan 1(b) (6 markah)

**QUESTION 2** (24 Marks)

Cognitive processes demand that children learn from adults and develop their way of understanding the world.

- a) List FOUR (4) Piaget's cognitive stages of development. (4 marks)
- b) Explain FOUR (4) factors that influence the cognitive development of children in Science and Technology activity. (10 marks)

**SOALAN 2**

**(24 Markah)**

*Proses kognitif menuntut kanak-kanak belajar daripada orang dewasa dan mengembangkan cara mereka memahami dunia.*

- a) Senaraikan **EMPAT (4)** peringkat perkembangan kognitif Piaget. (4 markah)
- b) Terangkan **EMPAT (4)** faktor yang mempengaruhi perkembangan kognitif kanak-kanak dalam aktiviti Science dan Teknologi. (10 markah)

**QUESTION 3**

**(10 Marks)**

Explain **FIVE (5)** importance of interdisciplinary integration in teaching Science and Technology.

**SOALAN 3**

**(10 Markah)**

*Terangkan **LIMA (5)** kepentingan integrasi antara disiplin dalam pengajaran Sains dan Teknologi.*

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