



SE 212 Sessional Exam

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BOTSWANA OPEN UNIVERSITY

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

SOCIO - EDUCATION

SE 212

Examination

MARKS: 100

DURATION: 3 HOURS

Instructions to students:

1. The Examination paper consist of **FIVE Sections**: Section A,B,C,D and E
2. Begin each answer on a new page.
3. Answer all the questions according to instructions given in each section.
4. Write answers in the answer booklet provided.
5. Write in grammatical English



SECTION A – MULTIPLE CHOICE

(10 marks)

INSTRUCTIONS

There are 10 questions in this section please answer them all. Each item has four possible responses numbered A, B, C, and D. Read each item carefully then write the best possible answer.

1. Rapid changes in the society takes place in the field of
 - A. Urbanization and democracy.
 - B. Ecology and Technology.
 - C. Information and professional life.
 - D. Consumption and value orientation.

2. Children learn from the membership in the family to membership in the society by
 - A. Independence.
 - B. Identification.
 - C. Self-concept.
 - D. Trust.

3. One of Maslow s hierarchy of needs
 - A. Behavioural
 - B. Religious
 - C. Physiological
 - D. Psychological



4. The modern society is characterized by_____
- A. Technological development
 - B. Mass development
 - C. Mass communication
 - D. Mass technology
5. They influence the socialization of children
- A. Tertiary, friends and media
 - B. Family, friends and media
 - C. Relatives, media and technology
 - D. Family, play group and tertiary group
6. Creates single parenting
- A. cohabitation
 - B. Divorce
 - C. Polygamy
 - D. polygyny
7. Schools failed to provide equal educational opportunity because of
- A. Intellectual impediments
 - B. Economic commitment
 - C. Ecological problems
 - D. Educational opportunities
8. One of the following families form a basic task unit
- A.** Extended
 - A. nuclear
 - B. polygamous
 - C. reconstituted



9. socialization takes place through
- A. Withdrawal
 - B. Transfer of value
 - C. Self actualisation
 - D. sympathy
10. It undermines the quality of family life.
- A. Working mother
 - B. Teachers
 - C. Presence of siblings
 - D. Guidance from the father.

**SECTION B – MATCHING****(10 marks)****Answer all questions in this section.****INSTRUCTIONS**

1. Match items in **COLUMN A** with related statement in **COLUMN B**.
2. Write the letter of response from column B next to the corresponding number (1-10) in your answer booklet.

Column A	Column B
1. Women enter the labour market for –	A. Rigid family
2. Divorce can lead to –on children.	B. Incompatibility of partners
3. Educating their children according to affixed scheme.	C. Economic circumstances
4. Lack of order and regularity is found in – family.	D. Karl Marx
5. Primary group that influence the socialization of children.	E. Neglected Family
6. Students who are free to make judgments, work independently with minimal dependency on external source are ____	F. Family
7. Marriage disintegrate because of -	G. Autonomous
8. A socio educative institute.	H. Self – actualisation
9. – lies at the heart of the child’s individuality.	I. Self-concept
10. He was an economist and founder of socialism.	J. Anger
	K. Cohabiting



SECTION C – STRUCTURED

(20 MARKS)

Answer ALL questions in this section

1. Fathers play a role in the upbringing of their children. Discuss any **two** roles of the father in family. **(4 marks)**

2. How does cohabitation affect children? **(4 marks)**

3. Explain any **two** social influences that are hostile to a child. **(4 marks)**

4. Justify why the modern family is disintegrating. **(4 marks)**

5. Explain the following terms
 - a) Hidden curriculum **(4 marks)**

 - b) Norm independence **(4 marks)**

**SECTION D: CASE STUDY****(20 marks)****Read the case study below and answer ALL questions in this section.**

"My life when I was younger wasn't very happy. I knew from a young age that my dad was taking drugs because I'd learnt about them at school. I remember one day, when I was about 9 years old my dad's mate came round and I saw the drugs laid out in the kitchen and I realised what they were and what they were doing.

"Living with dad wasn't very nice. He used to get angry if he didn't have any drugs and he would shout at me. He would shout at me in the mornings because he would have overslept and we'd be late for school. I had to get my uniform washed and clean for school because if I left it for him to do, he'd put it in the washing machine and then forget to take it out so I wouldn't have anything clean to wear. I was doing my own washing and ironing at primary school. Then I'd walk to school by myself. I often had to make my own dinner, because Dad would be asleep on the sofa or couldn't do it.

"His mates would be at our flat all the time and they would make noise at night when I was trying to sleep. I'd be sent to my room or made to sit in the living room by myself.

Source: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/what-we-do/childrens-stories-about-abuse/>

1. Which composition of family does the writer belong to? **(2 marks)**
2. Explain any **two** challenges that the writer may face? **(4 marks)**
3. In your view what characterizes the above scenario as a hostile environment? **(4 marks)**
4. How will this situation affect his studies? **(4 marks)**
5. As an educator draw up the possible changes that the writer would display at school. **(4 marks)**
6. How can you assist the writer as an educator? **(2 marks)**



SECTION E – ESSAY

(40 Marks)

Instructions:

Choose Any Two (2) Questions below:

Distribution of marks for essays.

Introduction – 2 Marks

- 1 mark for introductory paragraph
- 1 mark for leading to content of the question

Content – 4 x 3 = 12 Marks

- 1 mark for each point of discussion
- 1 mark for the description of each topical issue
- 1 mark for relevant example

Layout – 3 Marks

- 3 marks for coherence of ideas within paragraphs

Conclusion – 3 Marks

- 1 mark for conclusion paragraph
- 2 marks for logical summary of the essay



1. In your view, how can the family, the school and the community contribute towards the creation of a child – friendly environment?
(20 marks)

2. Evaluate benefits of extended family living. **(20 marks)**

3. Justify the inclusion of socio education in your course (Bed Primary)
(20 marks)