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AED0201: INTRODUCTION TO PHILOSOPHY OF ADULT EDUCATION

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MARKS: 60

3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Answer any THREE (3) questions of your choice
 2. Each question carries 20 marks
 3. Proof read your work before you submit
 4. Begin each question on a fresh page
 5. Label your answers correctly
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QUESTION 1

Discuss the role of the following philosophers in enhancing the practice of adult education

- a) Carl Rogers
- b) Julius Nyerere
- c) Paul Freire

[20 marks]

QUESTION 2

Discuss any four (4) philosophical assumptions of adult education and their importance towards the practice of adult education.

[20 marks]

QUESTION 3

Describe any three characteristics of philosophy and their implications for the practice of adult education.

[20 marks]

QUESTION 4

With relevant examples discuss the contribution of the following schools of thought to the practice of adult education:

- a) Idealism
- b) Pragmatism

[20 marks]

QUESTION 5

Explain with practical examples how Abraham Harold Maslow's hierarchy of needs has contributed to the study of adult education.

[20 marks]

QUESTION 6

Discuss how any four characteristics of an adult learner can enhance teaching and learning in adult education.

[20 marks]