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**MAIN CAMPUS REGULAR**

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**COURSE CODE: DSN 2124**

**COURSE TITLE: BEHAVIOUR MODIFICATION FOR LEARNERS WITH SPECIAL  
NEEDS**

**EXAM VENUE:**

**STREAM: DIPLOMA SNE**

**DATE:**

**EXAM SESSION:**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

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**Instructions:**

- 1. Answer Question ONE (COMPULSORY) and ANY other 2 questions**
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.**
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.**

**QUESTIONS**

### **Question 1**

- a. Examine any FIVE strategies that can be used to strengthen appropriate behaviours among learners with special needs giving relevant examples. (15mrks)
- b. With relevant examples, examine any FIVE strategies that can be used to weaken inappropriate behaviours among learners with special needs. (15mrks).

### **Question 2**

- a. Define the following terms in relation to Emotional and Behavioural Difficulties.
  - i) Behaviour (1mrk)
  - ii) Behaviour management (2marks)
  - iii) Behaviour modification (2marks)
- b. Briefly explain the undesirable behaviours that are exhibited by learners with Special Needs. (10 marks)
- c. Outline the appropriate behaviours that may be strengthened among learners. (5 marks)

### **Question 3**

Explain the process of behaviour change giving relevant examples (20 marks).

### **Question 4**

Examine the role of different professionals in behaviour modification. (20 m

### **Question 5**

- a) Discuss the process of using chaining in teaching a new behaviour. (15marks)
- b) Briefly explain the kinds of reinforcement ( 5 marks).