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## **INSTRUCTIONS**

Read the following instructions carefully:

- Candidates should present their 'hard copy' research project documents (in a collated form, e.g. ring bound) to the examiners in the examination venue, accompanied by the required and signed plagiarism document of the University.
- 2. Candidates are free to exit the examination venue, as soon as their research project documents have been submitted.

## NATURE OF THE RESEARCH PROJECT

Candidates are required to conduct and report on a limited research project in the domain of Mathematics Education in the school sector. The project should be conducted and reported on in a scientific manner and the report should ideally display the following structure (presented in Arial 12 font and 1.5 line spacing, 20 – 25 pages):

- 1. Cover page (use template provided)
- 2. Abstract
- 3. Background to your research
  - Problem statement
  - Current debate (refer to the literature)
  - Your research question
  - Objectives
- 4. Literature review
- 5. Methodology (your research)
  - Research context
  - Research design
    - o Method (quantitative, qualitative or mixed method)
    - Data analysis methods
    - Ethical considerations
- 6. Findings
  - Integrate your data with trends in literature
- 7. Conclusion and recommendations
  - Conclusions
  - Recommendations
  - Limitations of the study
  - Final reflection
- 8. Reference list
- 9. Addenda (questionnaires, transcripts, permission letters, school marketing brochures, photos, etc., if appropriate).

**TOTAL: 100**