

SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

THIS PAPER CONSIST OF 2 SECTIONS:

a. SOCIOLOGY OF SPORT

b. PHILOSOPHY OF SPORT

PLEASE ANSWER THESE SECTIONS IN TWO (2) DIFFERENT BOOKS.

MAKE SURE THAT YOU HAVE THE COMPLETE PAPER.

ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS.

SECTION A: SOCIOLOGY OF SPORT {60}

QUESTION 1 (20)

You have just been appointed to a committee which has been asked to develop a set of policy recommendations for changing the organised youth sport programmes in your town. There are two other people on the committee. One views sport in terms of CRITICAL THEORY, and one in terms of the FEMINIST THEORY. Summarize these theories in detail and present your summary in a table format.

QUESTION 2 (20)

Define the concepts of 'socializing into and via sport' and discuss the reasons for athletes to change or end their sport participation.

QUESTION 3 (20)

A constructionist approach to deviance in sport takes into account that deviance always involves violating a norm and therefore refers to acts that fall outside the range of accepted normative behavior. Discuss hence in detail with a <u>graph</u> the range of accepted behavior with reference to the concepts of deviant UNDERCONFORMITY and deviant OVERCONFORMITY. Substantiate your answer with good examples.

SECTION B: PHILOSOPHY OF SPORT

QUESTION 1 (20)

Define PHILOSOPHY by referring to its characteristics as well as the 3 C's.

QUESTION 2 (20)

Plato (427-347B.C.E) is one of the world's best known and most widely studied philosophers. Summarize the literary and metaphorical suggestions (meanings) of his "Allegory of the Cave".

QUESTION 3 (20)

Define and explain, with a structured exposition, the relationship of the concepts PLAY, GAMES, SPORT and WORK and substantiate your answer with concrete examples from your sport experience.

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