

<u>FACULTY</u>	: Education	
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<u>SEMESTER</u>	: First	
EXAM	: June Examination 2021	

<u>SUBMISSION</u> DATE	: 14 June	SESSION	: 12:30am
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DURATION	: 24 hours	MARKS	: 100

NUMBER OF PAGES: 5 PAGES INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Please answer all the questions.
- 2. Number your answers according to the questions.
- 3. You may present a typed or neatly and legibly written exam for upload.
- 4. Check that you have the correct exam document for submission.
- 5. Check that you have the correct submission link.
- 6. Please write your mobile/cellphone number on your exam submission.
- 7. It is best that you pdf your document.
- 8. You <u>MUST</u> submit by the due time and date.
- 9. Answer all questions in full sentences. Bullet form is not acceptable.
- 10. You may not cooperate or communicate with other students about this examination paper.
- 11. Your essays will be screened for plagiarism and any evidence of copying from other sources (including other students and your own earlier assignments) will result in you failing the examination.

#### SECTION A

#### Question 1: Entrepreneurship [50 marks]

Entrepreneurship is a possible solution to the growing unemployment rate, especially amongst young people in South Africa. As future teachers of Economic and Management Science, your ability to promote entrepreneurship through your own learning of the subject will be key to encouraging your students to become entrepreneurs. Write a reflective essay of at least 1500 words in which you take a position on the above statement. Your essay must include at least one research source on the topic.

Criteria	Outstanding	Satisfactory	Unacceptable
A clear position is evident in	A clear position is evident	Your position is evident	It is not clear whether you
the essay (6)	with support or	but not supported or	agree or disagree with the
	substantiation (4-6)	substantiated (2-4)	statement. There is no support
			for your position. (0-1)
The concept of	A suitable definition is	A suitable definition is	No definition is provided or
entrepreneurship is defined.	provided and referenced	provided or referenced	referenced (0)
(4)	(4)	(2)	
Examples of	3 relevant examples of	2 relevant examples	0-1 relevant examples of
entrepreneurship are	entrepreneurship are	of entrepreneurship	entrepreneurship are
provided (18)	provided linking it to	are provided linking it	provided without linking it to
	employment and the	to employment and	employment and the
	economy (13-18)	the economy (7-12)	economy (0-6)
Reflection on your own	Excellent reflection with	Good reflection with	Satisfactory reflection with
learning related to	examples (8-10)	examples (4-7)	examples (0-3)
entrepreneurship (5x2-10)			
Suitable references have	Excellent referencing:	Good referencing:	Satisfactory referencing:
been sourced and	2 suitable references (4)	1 suitable references	No suitable references (1)
		(2)	
appropriately	In- text referencing (4)		In- text referencing poor(1)
referenced throughout the	Reference list (4)	In- text referencing (2)	Reference list (1)
essay and in the reference		Reference list (2)	
list. (12)			

# SECTION B

All the questions in Section B relate to a business idea that you have developed as a student in Economic and Management Science.

#### Question 2: Business planning [10 marks]

As a young entrepreneur in the 2021 Economic Management Science module, you have developed a business idea. Discuss, in approximately 200 word, the nature of your business using the following terms: needs, wants, service and production.

Criteria	Outstanding	Satisfactory	Unacceptable
Nature of business (2)	Nature of business is clear in the discussion (2)	Nature of business is referred to in the discussion (1)	Nature of business not included (0)
Needs discussed (2)	Needs clearly discussed (2)	Needs referred to (1)	Needs not discussed (0)
Wants discussed (2)	Wants clearly discussed (2)	Wants referred to (1)	Wants not discussed (0)
Service discussed (2)	Service clearly discussed (2)	Service referred to (1)	Service not discussed (0)
Production discussed (2)	Production clearly discussed (2)	Production referred to (1)	Production not discussed (0)

# Question 3: Business budgeting [10 marks]

Budgeting for a business is an essential component of a successful business. Provide a basic budget for your business idea. In other words, you are required to focus on a business budget and not personal budget. Write a short description (approximately 200 words) to accompany your budget wherein you describe the budget and provide reasons for your budget choices.

Criteria	Outstanding	Satisfactory	Unacceptable
Business budget (5)	Budget considers income, expenses and net effect. (4-5)	Budget considers some aspects of income, expenses and net effect. (2-3)	Budget considers income or expenses or net effect. (0-1)
Reasons for budget	Sound reasons provided	Satisfactory reasons	Vague reasons provided

choices	(5)	for budget decisions (4-5)	provided for budget	for budget decisions
			decisions (2-3)	(0-1)

#### Question 4: Poverty and inequality [10 marks]

Poverty and inequality create challenges in both rural and urban areas in South Africa. Write approximately 200 words in which you briefly distinguish between the terms *poverty* and *inequality*, and then reflect on the possible positive or negative impacts of poverty and inequality on your business idea.

Criteria	Outstanding	Satisfactory	Unacceptable
Impacts are discussed	4 impacts are discussed in	2-3 impacts are discussed	0-1 impacts are
in the reflection (8)	the reflection (8)	in the reflection (4-6)	discussed in the reflection (0-2)
The response is	The response is reflective	The response is partially	The response is not
reflective (2)	(2)	reflective (1)	reflective (0)

# Question 5: Effects of natural disasters and epidemics [10 marks]

Natural disasters and epidemics/pandemics negatively affect a business. Consider how such an event could affect your business, taking the economic context, geographical location, nature of the business and other factors into consideration. What can you do to mitigate the risks of natural disasters or epidemics? Write approximately 200 words. (6+4=10)

Criteria		Outstanding	Satisfactory	Unacceptable
Disaster effects	(6)	3 effects are discussed (6)	2 effects are discussed (4)	0-1 effects are discussed (0-2)
Risk mitigation	(4)	The response is reflective (4)	The response is partially reflective (2)	The response is not reflective (0)

# Question 6: The impact of tax on business [10 marks]

The Minister of Finance is thinking of increasing the VAT rate. Briefly, in approximately 200 words, note why he might do this and what the implications would be for your business.

Criteria	Outstanding	Satisfactory	Unacceptable
Definition of tax (2)	Relevant tax definition (2)	Partial tax definition (1)	No tax definition (0)
Reasons for increasing	Two relevant reasons	One relevant reason	No relevant reasons
value added tax in an	provided (2x2)	provided (1x2)	provided (0)
economy (4)			
Impact of increasing	Two relevant business	One relevant business	No relevant business
VAT on a business (4)	impacts provided (2x2)	impacts provided (1x2)	impacts provided (0)

Total: 100