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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE

LINS 471: SCHOOL LIBRARIANSHIP

STREAMS:

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: MONDAY 4/12/2017

11.30 A.M – 1.30 P.M

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer question one and any other two**

SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS (30MARKS)

1. Draft a sample of a school library policy for a newly established primary school. [18marks]
(b) School libraries are a spring board to success. Discuss. [12marks]

SECTION B (40 MARKS) ANSWER ANY 2 QUESTIONS

2. (a) Discuss how you would ensure a balanced standard collection of a school library. [10marks]
(b) Discuss ethical issues that govern the establishment and running of a school library. [10marks]
3. (a) The richness and quality of a school library program depends upon the human resources available within a school library. Discuss. [10marks]
(b) A part from the reading activity, discuss other activities that can be incorporated in a school library. [10marks]
4. (a) Discuss why it is necessary to consider a central location and appropriate room temperature when setting up a school library. [10marks]

(b) Explain the importance of evaluation of school library programs and services.

[10marks]

5. (a) Discuss the role of the government in the development and running of public school libraries.

[10marks]

(b) Lack of space is a challenge facing school libraries. Briefly discuss how this problem could be solved.

[10marks]
