



JARAMOGI OGINGA ODINGA UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD
EDUCATION
2ND YEAR 1ST SEMESTER 2017/2018 ACADEMIC YEAR
MAIN CAMPUS

COURSE CODE: EEC 3214

COURSE TITLE: CHILD DEVELOPMENT

EXAM VENUE;

STREAM: BED. ECDE

DATE

EXAM SESSION:

TIME: 2 HOURS

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.**

QUESTION ONE

- a. Growth and development of children are strongly influenced by genetic and environmental factors. Analyze (6marks)
- b. Determine the role of play in Early Childhood (6marks)
- c. How do physical changes in Adolescence affect an individual? (6marks)
- d. Briefly explain how children learn (6marks)
- e. Differentiate between guidance and counselling as roles in the growth of individuals (6marks)

QUESTION TWO

Using relevant examples describe the principles and characteristics of growth and development. (20marks)

QUESTION THREE

Using relevant examples, describe the following terms as used in Child Development

- a. Motor Development (4marks)
- b. Plasticity (4marks)
- c. Milestones (4marks)
- d. Cephalocaudal growth (4marks)
- e. Discontinuity (4marks)

QUESTION THREE

Evaluate the four aspects of growth in a five-year-old child. (20marks)

QUESTION THREE

Maternal factors are critical in growth and development of the foetus. Discuss. (20marks)