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ECDE

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MAIN CAMPUS SCHOOL BASED

COURSE CODE: EEC-3111

COURSE TITLE: SCOPE AND CONCERN OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

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) Define the following concepts;
   i) Early Childhood Development (1 mark)
   ii) Early Childhood Development and Education (1 mark)

b) Identify five main objectives of Early Childhood Education in Kenya (5 marks)

c) Enumerate five needs of children that must be met by caregivers in school to foster holistic Development. (5 marks)

d) Explain what is meant by developmentally appropriate practices in Early Childhood Education (3 marks)

e) Identify five aspects of Childhood development (5 marks)

f) Highlight five areas where the government of Kenya is involved in ECDE programs. (5 marks)

g) Explain Maria Montessori’s contribution to the development of Early Childhood education. (5 marks)

Question Two

a) Trace the historical development of Early Childhood Education in Kenya during the pre-colonial and colonial period. (15 marks)

b) Identify five challenges affecting ECE programmes in the devolved governments. (5 marks)

Question Three

Your community wishes to establish a new Early Childhood Education Centre and has approached you for professional advice. Discuss what you would emphasize on as critical to the success of a high quality programs. (20 marks)

Question Four

a) Explain the roles of five partners in the provision of Early Childhood Education services. (10 marks)

b) Explain five roles of caregivers that will enhance smooth and effective transition to mainstream schooling system. (10 marks)
Question five

a) Explain five main factors that have contributed to the dramatic increase in the ECE programs for young children over the past decade. (10 marks)

b) Explain five qualities of a professional Early Childhood education Teacher (10 marks)