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COURSE TITLE; PSYCHOLOGY OF EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT

EXAM VENUE:

DATE:

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Instructions:

- 1. Answer any three 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) Discuss how the cognitive perspective helps children	process, store and
retrieve information	(10 marks).
b) Explain the strategies used in classroom management and control in a class of	
young children (10 marks).
Question two	
Ecological-systems approach recognizes that humans cannot be sufficiently studied in	
isolation from their environments discuss.	(20 marks)
Question three	
Discuss various methods used in the life history study as a research involving the study of	
learners	(20 marks)
Question four	
Discuss importance of theories in the study of child development	(20 marks)
Question five	
Discuss Erikson's psychosocial theory of development	(20 marks)