



MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF

SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

(MMUST)

MAIN EXAMINATION TOWN CAMPUS

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER MAIN EXAMINATIONS

MAIN EXAM (SCHOOL BASED)

FOR

THE BACHELOR OF EDUCATION DEGREE

COURSE CODE: ECD 200

COURSE TITLE: HISTORICAL DEVELOPMENT OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

21 /04/2022

TIME: 2:00 - 4:00PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

MMUST OBSERVES ZERO TOLERANCE TO EXAMINATION CHEATING

1. (a). Define the following concept as used in early childhood education and development.
 - i. Socialization (2mks)
 - ii. Adaptation (2mks)
 - iii. Temperament (2mks)

(b). Identify some of the challenges children face in early childhood education and care. (5mks)

(c). Highlight any five disadvantages of mass media as an agent of socialization in early childhood Education. (5mks)

(d). State any four recreational subjects that were in co-operated in early childhood education Teaching (4mks)

(e). Discuss the contributions of the following philosophers to early childhood education.
 - i. Maria Montessori (5mks)
 - ii. John Dewey (5mks)
2. (a). Describe early childhood Education and development in colonial period. (20mks)
3. (a). Discuss the following as agencies of socialization in early childhood education.
 - i. Family (5mks)
 - ii. Peer (5mks)
 - iii. Mass media (5mks)
 - iv. School culture (5mks)
4. (a). Analyze the status of early childhood education to date. (10mks)
- (b). Explain emerging issues in early childhood education in Kenya. (10mks)
5. Describe early childhood practices in traditional African context. (20mks)