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**MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND
TECHNOLOGY**

(MMUST)

**MAIN CAMPUS
(SCHOOL BASED)
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

MAIN EXAM

FOR

**THE BACHELORS DEGREE IN EDUCATION
(EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION)**

COURSE CODE: ECD 300

**COURSE TITLE: LANGUAGE METHODS IN EARLY
CHILDHOOD EDUCATION**

DATE: 19/4/2022

TIME: 8.00-10.00AM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Answer a total of Three questions
- Answer question ONE and any other 2 questions

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating

SECTION A (Compulsory) answer all questions in this section

Question 1

- a. Analyze the importance of teaching language for young children (10 marks)
- b. Describe Jean Piaget Cognitive theory in language development (10 marks)
- c. State and explain five ways of storage and displaying of language teaching materials at the ECDE classrooms

(10 marks)

Question 2

- a. Identify effective teaching and learning approaches for teaching speech, reading, listening and writing (10 marks)
- b. Identify the types of materials and suitable instructional materials for teaching language structures in ECDE (10 marks)

Question 3

- a. Outline the steps of developing speech (10 marks)
- b. Demonstrate the effective teaching and learning approaches used to facilitate learning in ECDE (10 marks)

Question 4

- a. Identify the methods of teaching and reading (10 marks)
- b. Critically analyze the methods of assessment and evaluation of children language achievement (10 marks)

Question 5

- a. Explain five language acquisition errors and five ways of addressing them (20 marks)