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CHILD DEVELOPMENT AND
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KENYA NATIONAL EXAMINATION COUNCIL
CERTIFICATE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION
(CHILD DEVELOPMENT PSYCHOLOGY)

$2\frac{1}{2}$ Hours

Instructions to Candidates

- a) Write your name and index number in the spaces provided above.
- b) Sign and write the date of examination the spaces provided above
- c) This question paper consist of two sections; A and B
- d) Answer all the questions in Section and any FOUR questions in section B

SECTION A (40MKS)

Answer all questions in this section in the spaces provided

1. a) Define the term impairment (2mks)
b) Describe two specialized instructional materials for children with visual impairment (4mks)
c) State four advantages of using a communication board in an early childhood development and education class (4mks)
2. a) State two reasons for child abuse (2mks)
b) Outline four measures that the government of Kenya can take to reduce child abduction (4mks)
c) State four roles of the Ministry of Education, Science and Technology in child protection (4mks)
3. a) Define the term personality (2mks)
b) State four ways in which knowledge on personality development would be useful to a pre-school teacher (4mks)
c) Give four ways in which the social environment may influence the personality development of pre-school children (4mks)
4. a) Explain the term milestone (2mks)
b) State four physical development milestones of a child between 0-5 months (4mks)
c) Identify four roles of an effective caregiver in a pre-school (4mks)

SECTION B (60 MKS)

Answer any four questions from this section

5. a) i) Explain the term disability (2mks)
ii) Discuss three factors that may lead to mental disability at peri-natal stage (6mks)
b) Propose seven interventions that a parent may use to boost self-esteem of a child with physical disability (7mks)
6. a) Give seven causes of truancy among pre-school children (7mks)
b) Discuss four effects of poor nutrition on children below three years (8mks)
7. a) identify five cultural practices that may interfere with school attendance of pre-school children (5mks)
b) Discuss five benefits to a pre-school child (10mks)
8. a) i) Define the term child rights (2mks)
ii) Explain four ways in which a pre-school can promote child protection (8mks)
b) State five causes of gender discrimination in Kenya (5mks)
9. a) outline five precaution that a mid-wife should take to protect a child from disability during birth (5mks)
b) Discuss five methods through which pre-school children learn (10mks)