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**FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION IN EARLY CHILDHOOD
EDUCATION**

SECOND SEMESTER, 2021/2022

(FEBRUARY - JUNE, 2022)

ECDE 427: CHALLENGES OF FAMILIES IN A CHANGING SOCIETY

STREAM: Y4 S2

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: FRIDAY, 3:00 – 5:00 P.M.

DATE: 13/05/2022

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer Question ONE [Compulsory] and any other THREE Questions.***

QUESTION ONE

Families of the 21st century are faced with many challenges: discuss and suggest mitigations for each challenge (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

Describe important tenets of each of the personality theories

- Psychoanalysis
 - Psychosocial
 - Humanistic
 - behavioristic
- (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Discuss the most important determinants of personality and how each contributes to the development of personality (20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Briefly define what defence mechanisms are and describe various defence mechanisms (8 marks)
- b) Do children have defence mechanisms yes/no if your answer is yes, then describe how and how an ECDE teacher can deal with such behavior (12 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Define personality assessment (3 marks)
- b) Analyze methods used in measuring personality (8 marks)
- c) Explain the significance of assessing personality (9 marks)