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FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF
THE DIPLOMA IN PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION
SECOND SEMESTER 2024/2025
(AUGUST, 2025)

DPAD 0108: MANAGEMENT OF COMMUNITY BASED PROJECT

STREAM: Y1 S2

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: FRIDAY, 9.00 – 11.00 A M

DATE: 08/08/2025

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer Question ONE And Any Other Two questions.***

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)

- What do you understand by the following terms as used in management of projects; goal, objective ,input, outcome (10 Marks)
- Examine the people management skills that you as a project manager should have if you are to be effective in the area of project management of communities. (10 Marks)
- In order to be successful in any project there must be clear and well stated objectives. Briefly explain the qualities of a good project objective. (10Marks)

QUESTION TWO

Projects are known to have life cycles. With relevant examples, discuss the project cycle. (20 Marks)

QUESTION THREE

- Assuming you are given a project of training the students of Kisii University on the dangers of abusing drugs which is likely to take one year. Examine the challenges you are likely to face as a project manager. (10 Marks)

b).Describe how you can overcome the said challenges in (a) above using the skills you have acquired in project planning and management of community projects. (10 Marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- a. What is PESTE analysis? (5 Marks)
- b. Discuss the different factors that can make a project to fail. (15 Marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a. Briefly explain what you understand by a community (4 Marks)
- b. With relevant examples, discuss the two main approaches of community participation (16 Marks)