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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF
THE DEGREE IN BACHELLOR OF EDUCATION
FIRST SEMESTER 2023/2024
[AUGUST-DECEMBER, 2023]

SPED 105: HISTORIOGRAPHY OF SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION
STREAM: Y1 S1 **TIME: 2 HOURS**

DAY: FRIDAY, 9.00 – 11.00 A.M. **DATE: 01/12/2023**

INSTRUCTIONS

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

QUESTION ONE

- a) Define the concept of Special Needs Education (2 marks)
- b) Explain the history of Special Needs Education globally on the basis of:
 - i) The beginnings (3 marks)
 - ii) The 1950s (5 marks)
 - iii) The 1970s (5 marks)
- c) Explain the rights and funding for Special Education between 1966 – 2004 (5 marks)
- d) Explain any five pillars of individuals with Disabilities Education Act (10marks)

QUESTION TWO

Describe all the commonly used terms in Special Education (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Examine all the types of technology in Special Education that have proven to be invaluable (20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Discuss the historical development of Special Education in Kenya (20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Explain the strategies put in place in implementing inclusive education (10 marks)
- b) Explain any five challenges faced by Kenya in promoting Special Education (10 marks)