



KISII UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

**FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION
SECOND SEMESTER, 2021/2022
(FEBRUARY - JUNE, 2022)**

ECDE 111: PRINCIPLES OF EARLY CHILDHOOD

STREAM: Y1 S2

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY:

DATE:

INSTRUCTIONS

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

- 1 (a) Explain the classification of the periods of child development (10 marks)
(b) Analyse FIVE principles of Early Childhood Education (10 marks)
(c) Citing examples explain how children learn by using basic materials (10 marks)
- 2(a)Describe the traditional methods used to teach young children (10 marks)
(b) Citing examples explain the modern methods of teaching young children in ECDE (10 marks)
- 3(a) A Montessori Early Childhood classroom feels more like a home than a school. Justify (10 marks)
(b) Discuss the Principles of Froebel in Early Childhood Education (10 marks)

4 (a) Explain the difference between the Vygotsky's theory from that of Jean Piaget's theory (10 marks)

(b) Elaborate the biological processes of development in young children (10 marks)

5 (a) Cognitive development is influenced by the social environment of the child . Discuss (10 marks)

(b) Analyse the Steiner's approach in ECDE its priorities and promotion for young children (10 marks)