



KISII UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

FIRST SEMESTER, 2021/2022

(FEBRUARY - JUNE, 2022)

ECDE 215: SOCIAL STUDIES FOR ECDE

STREAM: Y2 S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: WEDNESDAY, 12:00 – 2:00 P.M.

DATE: 11/05/2022

INSTRUCTIONS

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

SECTION A. COMPULSORY (30MARKS)

1. a Define the following terms,

i social studies

ii socialization

iii community

iv socially

- b) State five objectives of social studies in ecde curriculum (5marks)
- c) Differentiate between community and society (5 marks)
- d) Explain how learning social studies helps pre-school pupils (5marks)

e) State and briefly explain three activities a teacher can engage children in when teaching leadership in school (5 marks)

f) Outline the national holidays and their importance (5marks)

Q2. Discuss three methods that are commonly used in teaching of social studies at preschool (20marks)

Q3. Discuss five methods that a teacher can effectively use to develop life skills in pre-scholars (20marks)

Q4. The general character of modern children is not likely to compare with that of the 1990s. (20marks)

Q5. Discuss the importance of ECDE social studies programme of activities. (20 marks)