



GRETSA UNIVERSITY - THIKA

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS MAY - AUGUST 2018 SEMESTER

CERTIFICATE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

COURSE CODE: CECE 001

**COURSE TITLE: FOUNDATION, ADMINISTRATION AND
MANAGEMENT OF ECDE IN KENYA**

DATE: 6 AUGUST 2018

TIME: 8.00 AM – 11.00 AM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. SECTION A IS **COMPULSORY**.
2. SECTION B: ANSWER ANY OTHER **THREE** QUESTIONS.
3. **DO NOT** WRITE ANYTHING ON THIS QUESTION PAPER AS IT WILL BE AN EXAM IRREGULARITY.
4. ALL ROUGH WORK SHOULD BE AT THE BACK OF YOUR ANSWER BOOKLET AND CROSSED OUT.

CAUTION: *All exam rooms are under CCTV surveillance during the examination period.*

SECTION A: COMPULSORY

Question One

- a. Define the following terms
 - Administration [2 marks]
 - Management [2 marks]
 - Profession [2 marks]
- b. Write in full **NACECE** [2 marks]
- c. Explain **two** activities done in the school that promotes national unity [4 marks]
- d. Describe two roles of the community in child rearing in your community [4 marks]
- e. Describe three similarities between formal and informal learning institutions [6 marks]
- f. Outline three major participants of the development of ECDE programmes in the country [6 marks]
- g. Explain three ways in which naming of children was done in the traditional African setup [6 marks]
- h. Explain three ways in which you can participate in the development of a pre-school [6 marks]

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

Question Two

- a) Explain **five** characteristics of a profession [10 marks]
- b) Give **five** points on how teachers can observe personal etiquette [10 marks]

Question three

- a) Discuss **five** challenges facing ECDE in Kenya [10 marks]
- b) Explain **five** policies in Kenya [10 marks]

Question Four

- a) Discuss **five** factors that led to the development of ECDE during the colonial period [10 marks]
- b) Describe **five** activities that schools can do to promote environmental conservation [10 marks]

Question five

- a) Briefly explain the role played by KNUT as a professional body in the educational system [10 marks]
- b) Explain **three** roles of missionaries in development of ECDE in Kenya [6 marks]

- c) Outline **two** roles of the ministry of health in the development of ECDE in Kenya

[4 marks]

Question six

- a) If you were appointed as a school manager in a local preschool explain **five** roles you would play in your new school [10 marks]
- b) What are the **five** challenges that you are likely to face as the school manager in the school [10 marks]