



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

DECEMBER SESSION EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (EARLY CHILDHOOD)

**ECE 310: ADMINISTRATION AND SUPERVISION OF PRE-SCHOOL
EDUCATION**

DATE: 15/12/2021

TIME: 8.30-10.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question One and Any Other Two

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- Explain any **three (3)** of Henri Fayol's Principles of management (6 marks)
- Identify **six (6)** factors to consider when selecting staff to work in an early childhood centre. (6 marks)
- Kenya's Children's Act was enacted in 2002. Explain **three (3)** reasons why this act is important for young children. (6 marks)
- Discuss **six (6)** functions of Teachers Service Commission in the management of ECE. (12 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

"The state of the present-day supervision of early childhood education in Kenya is faced with a myriad of challenges." Discuss **five such challenges**.

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- Assess **any five** challenges facing the management of ECD programmes in Kenya (10 marks)
- Suggest ways of addressing the challenges in (a) above (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

Justify the assertion that managers working for and with young children should be people of high integrity.

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) **Explain any five** proposed strategies that managers of preschools centres should use to raise funds. (10 marks)
- b) Suggest the challenges that they might experience in (a) above as they fundraise (10 marks)