



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations 2021/2022 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (EARLY CHILDHOOD)

ECE 405: THE ROLE OF FAMILY IN A CHANGING SOCIETY

DATE: 29/8/2022

TIME: 2.00-4.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions

QUESTION ONE (compulsory) 30 Marks

- Using the four types of marriage mate selection describe the role played by parents in the process. (8 marks)
- List six effects authoritarian parenting have on children's development (6 marks)
- Describe five situations in which members of divorced family have to cope. (5 marks)
- Define the five characteristics of a family (5 marks)
- Briefly describe six factors that influence changes in marital relationship overtime (6 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- Discuss how spouses respond to their changing roles within five stages of the family cycle. (10 marks)
- Modern days have witnessed increased violence in families. Discuss the causes of this vice. (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Critically discuss the effects of employment of mothers on their children's development

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

How has the breaking of traditional extended family and introduction of the money economy affected modern child?