

MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

SPECIAL /SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMNATIONS

UNIT CODE: ESN 100

UNIT TITLE: DEVELOPMENT OF SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Write your answers in the answer booklet provided
2. SECTION A is compulsory
3. Answer any other TWO questions from section B

TIME: 2HRS

SECTION A: Compulsory (30marks)

Question one

- a) Discuss ten general causes of handicapping conditions in children (10 marks)
- b) Outline ten categories of Children Living under Extremely Difficult Circumstances(10 marks)
- c) Discuss five causes of Giftedness and Talentedness in children.(10 marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

Question two

- a) Examine the educational interventions for learners who are Gifted and Talented. (10 marks)
- b) Discuss the educational considerations for learners with Visual Impairments. (10 marks)

Question three

- a) Discuss ten intervention measures that a classroom teacher would put in place for learners with Hearing Impairments (10 marks)
- b) Explain ten specialized services for learners with special needs. (10 marks)

Question four

- a) Discuss ten arguments in support of inclusive education.(10 marks)
- b) Analyze ten characteristics that a teacher is likely to observe in a learner with voice disorders.(10 marks)

Question five

- a) Describe ten categories of physically handicapping conditions.(10 marks)
- b) Discuss ten characteristics of learners with emotional and behavior disorders(10 marks)