



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION)

ECE 401: RIGHTS OF CHILDREN AND THEIR WELFARE

DATE: 23/4/2019

TIME: 11:00 – 1:00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question One and Any Other Two

QUESTION ONE (ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS)

- a) Define the following terms
- i) Child abuse
 - ii) Culture
 - iii) Child right
 - iv) Signature
 - v) Views of the child
 - vi) Best interest of the child (6 marks)
- b) Differentiate among the following institutions
- i) Rehabilitation school
 - ii) Children's Remand Homes
 - iii) Bostal institutions (6 marks)
- c) Explain five differences between African charter and convention on the rights of the children (5 marks)
- d) Show five ways in which children's court uphold the "Best interest of the child"(5 marks)
- e) Briefly describe two negative cultural practices showing the rights of children they are likely to infringe. (4 marks)
- f) Briefly describe four developmental rights of children (4 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

Giving relevant examples, explain the recommendations of OMCT, to the Kenyan government in regard to the Right of the child in Kenya

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) State the six aims of traditional African system of education giving examples (10 marks)
- b) Explain five methods of instilling skills, values and behaviour used in the traditional education (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

Discuss the prevailing problems in your community that face most children today, give five relevant examples (20marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20MARKS)

Discuss three scenarios or situations where a person qualifies for parental responsibility of a child