



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2018/2019 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

APRIL SESSION EXAMINATION FOR MASTER OF EDUCATION

ECE 802: FAMILIES, COMMUNITIES, CULTURE AND EARLY DEVELOPMENT

DATE: 8/8/2019

TIME: 2.00-5.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE

- a) Explain **three (3)** reasons why people live together without formally getting married in Kenya today (4 marks)
- b) Describe **two (2)** types of family disorders in the world today (6 marks)
- c) Explain **three (3)** factors that have led to alteration of the Family Structure in Kenya (6 marks)
- d) Explain **three (3)** the effects of absent fathers in Children development in Kenya (6 marks)
- e) Examine **three (3)** effects of divorce on the family in Kenya today (6 marks)

QUESTION TWO

Critically examine the effects of poverty on child development in Kenya. (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Justify the importance of parent education to your county today (20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Evaluate the significance of culture in child development (20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Critically examine the effects of democratic and authoritarian parenting styles on children's growth and development in the world today. (20 marks)