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KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
DIGITAL SCHOOL OF VIRTUAL AND OPEN LEARNING (DSVOL)
EXAMINATION FOR POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION

EFD/PG/3: SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION

2ND TRIMESTER 2022/2023

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer question ONE and any other TWO

Question one (30 marks)

Distinguish between the following sociological terminologies:

- (a) Social status and social mobility (2 marks)
- (b) Research in sociology of education and general research (2 marks)
- (c) Socialization and over-socialization (2 marks)
- (d) Sociology and sociology of education (2 marks)
- (e) Gender and sex (2 marks)
- (f) Assess essence of sociology of education in teacher professionalization in CBC context. (10 marks)
- (g) Assess the characteristics of a school as a formal social organization in contemporary Competence Based education milieu. (10 marks)

Question Two (20 marks)

- (a) Evaluate the role of research in sociology of education (10 marks)
- (b) Assess educational implications of social stratification (10 marks)

Question three (20 marks)

- (a) Discuss the effects of drug and substance abuse in schooling. (10 marks)
- (b) Explicate sociological measures to combat drug and substance abuse in education. (10 marks)

Question Four (20 marks)

- (a) Identify one early scholar in sociology of education and show his contributions to the development of the discipline. (10 marks)
- (b) Identify any five research tools and explain rationale of use of each of them in research in sociology of education. (10 marks)

Question five (20 marks)

- (a) Using appropriate examples, explain how formal education can be used to promote gender equity in society. (10 marks)
- (b) Give reasons to support use of symbolic interactionism perspective in implementation of CBC . (10 marks)