



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2017/2018
FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION
ECT 253: CREATIVE ARTS EDUCATION

DATE: THURSDAY 8TH FEBRUARY 2018

TIME: 4.30 P.M. - 6.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer question **One** and any **Two** others.

Question One

- (a) Define the term creativity in your own words. [6 Marks]
- (b) There is no one universally accepted definition of creativity. List and explain any six (6) factors that the various definitions may highlight. [6 Marks]
- (c) List any twelve uses to which **BRICKS** can be put besides building purposes. [6 Marks]
- (d) Choosing any three (3) objects of everyday use, for each list two creative modifications you can make to it to improve its functions. [6 Marks]
- (e) Creativity is both a Process and a Product. Briefly explain what each of these two terms mean when applied to creativity. [6 Marks]
- (f) Explain your view-point as regards whether or not creativity is a product of "Nature" or "Nurture". [6 Marks]

Question Two

- (a) List and explain the various conditions necessary for creativity to flourish. [10 Marks]
- (b) For each of the conditions, mentioned in part (a) above, List two (2) ways by which it can be achieved in a typical Kenyan primary school. [10 Marks]

Question Three

- (a) List the subjects that constitute the subject cluster referred to as 'Creative Arts'. [4 Marks]
- (b) Discuss fully how each of the subjects, mentioned in part (a) above can contribute to the growth in creative talent of pupils. [16 Marks]

Question Four

Using in and out-of-class activities relevant to Creative Arts Education, explain how each of any five (5) named Goals of Education can be fostered in a named creative arts subject. [20 Marks]

Question Five

Describe any five (5) ways by which you can make use of discarded paper for use in art and craft projects in the Primary school. You may illustrate your answer with suitable drawings.

[20 Marks]