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DIGITAL SCHOOL OF VIRTUAL AND OPEN LEARNING
SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
EDUCATION (EARLY CHILDHOOD EDUCATION)
ECE 305: SOCIAL STUDIES IN ECE

DATE: SUNDAY, 5TH MAY 2015

TIME: 8.00 A.M. – 10.00 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

SECTION A: SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS

Answer all questions in Section A

1. Define the following terms:
 - i) Life Skills (2 marks)
 - ii) Attitude (2 marks)
 - iii) Curriculum (2 marks)
2. Outline the functions of the community towards education. (5 marks)
3. Highlight five roles the family plays for the children. (5 marks)
4. State five objectives of Social Studies according to KIE ECDE Syllabus (2008) (5 marks)
5. Enumerate five functions of a school. (5 marks)
6. Identify four agents of socialization to a young child. (4 marks)

SECTION B LONG ANSWER QUESTIONS

Answer any two from section B

- 7.a) State any three definitions of society. (6 marks)
b) Explain the Role of Social Studies as a subject. (14 marks)
- 8.a) Discuss the characteristics of culture. (10 marks)
b) Explain five characteristics of culturally relevant education. (10 marks)
- 9.a) Explain five factors contributing to Erosion of values. (10 marks)
b) Citing examples identify four ways you can use to teach values to ECD learners. (10 marks)
- 10.a) Describe five Agents of Socialization. (10 marks)
b) Explain the role of teachers in socialization of children. (10 marks)