



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

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DIGITAL SCHOOL OF VIRTUAL AND OPEN LEARNING

FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF
EDUCATION (EARLY CHILDHOOD STUDIES)

ECE 103: CHILD DEVELOPMENT II

DATE: Thursday, 18th December, 2014

TIME: 8.00 a.m. – 10.00 a.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

SECTION A: SHORT ANSWERS : 30 MARKS

Answer **ALL** questions in this Section.

1. Define the following term:
 - i) Motor – skills
 - ii) Adolescence
 - iii) Defense mechanism
 - iv) Pre-operational stage
 - v) Psycho-social theory

(5 marks)

2. Describe **four** developmental achievements of seven years old in learning.

(5 marks)

3. Explain the **four** cognitive functions located in left hemisphere of the brain.

(5 marks)

4. Describe **five** factors that influence Physical Development from age 5 – 10 years.
(5 marks)
5. Explain **four** stages of Friendship during Pre-school years. Give an example in each.
(5 marks)
6. Describe **five** approaches teachers can help children to deal with anger management.
(5 marks)

SECTION B : LONG ANSWERS : 40 MARKS

Select **TWO** questions in this Section.

7. a) Discuss **five** factors that leads to different child upbringing. Give examples in each. (10 marks)
b) Write a speech on how parents can reduce effects of the above factors to make children tolerate each other in schools. Give **five**. (10 marks)
8. a) Discuss **four** factors that influence the development of self concept. Give an example in each. (10 marks)
b) Explain how parents/teachers can support children who are experiencing frustrations and challenges of their own.
9. Discuss **ten** factors that are affecting language development. Give relevant examples. (20 marks)
10. Explain “**Reaction formation**” and give **eight (8)** original defense mechanisms introduced by other researchers. (20 marks)