



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

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SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR
OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES (COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT)

ECD 100: FOUNDATIONS AND DEVELOPMENT OF ENVIRONMENTALISM

DATE: Thursday 12th June, 2008

TIME: 8.00 a.m. – 10.00 a.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer Question One and any other Two.

1. (a) Briefly examine the contribution of the following personalities in the environmental movement:
 - (i) Aldo Leopold [7 marks]
 - (ii) Rachel Carson [7 marks]
 - (iii) John Muir [7 marks]
- (b) Distinguish between ecocentric and anthropocentric environmental worldviews. [9 marks]
2. Identify and discuss the main factors responsible for the rise of the environment as an important political and social issue. [20 marks]
3. Define anti-environmentalism and show its impact on efforts to attain environmental sustainability. [20 marks]
4. Critically examine the contribution of the Green Belt Movement in environmental protection in Kenya. [20 marks]
5. (a) What is global warming and how does it impact the total environment? [10 marks]
- (b) Outline and briefly discuss efforts being made to mitigate impacts of global warming in Kenya. [10 marks]

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