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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION

PECI 0123: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL STUDIES

STREAMS: DIP. EDUC

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 20/7/2021

TIME: 2 HOURS

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions
- Do not write on the question paper

QUESTION ONE

- (a) As a teacher why do you think social studies lessons remain passive. [5 marks]
- (b) Enumerate the disadvantages of high dependency on text book in the teaching and learning of social studies. [10 marks]
- (c) Discuss at least five ways of improving social studies lessons [10 marks]
- (d) Highlight five goals of social studies [5 marks]

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Discuss the importance of social studies in the curriculum of Kenyan primary schools. [10 marks]
- (b) Briefly describe the development of social studies in Kenya [10 marks]

QUESTION THREE

Discuss challenges facing social studies education in developing countries [20 marks]

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Describe the characteristic of the primary school social studies syllabus. [10 marks]
- (b) Highlight the general objective of teaching social studies in Kenyan schools [10 marks]
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