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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**CDEV 111: INTRODUCTION TO DEVELOPMENT STUDIES**

**STREAMS: ODEL**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE : THURSDAY 7 /10/ 2021**

**8.30 AM – 10.30 AM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer question one and any other two.

**SECTION A**

**Question one – 30 marks**

- (a) Define the following terms as used in development studies.
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| i. Participation                                   | [2 Marks] |
| ii. NGO  | [2 Marks] |
| iii. Development as advanced by social scientists. | [2 Marks] |
| iv. Sustainable Development                        | [2 Marks] |
| v. Economic growth                                 | [2 Marks] |
- (b) Using relevant examples, explain the characteristics of underdeveloped countries.  
[10 Marks]
- (c) The desirability of economic growth and socio-Economic development is undisputed, however this has been accompanied by negativities, discuss [10 Marks]

**SECTION B**

**Question Two-20 Marks**

- (a) Use appropriate examples to explain any five benefits of participation in development [10 Marks]
- (b) Discuss the main tenets of the following theories as applied in development studies. [10 Marks]
- i. Modernization theory [5 Marks]
- ii. Dependency theory [5 Marks]

**Question Three – 20 Marks**

- (a) With use of examples explain the application of the stages of economic growth to development. [10 Marks]
- (b) Explain the contribution of micro, small and medium enterprises to the growth and development of the Kenyan economy. [10 Marks]

**Question Four -20 Marks**

- (a) Outline the main pillars of vision 2030 and explain how each has been achieved by your County Government [10 Marks]
- (b) Planning is a process, discuss [10 Marks]

**Question Five – 20 Marks**

- (a) With use of appropriate examples explain any five indicators of Economic growth. [10 Marks]
- (b) Explain challenges experienced by the Government of Kenya in achieving the Vision 2030. [10 Marks]
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