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**RESIT/SPECIAL EXAMINATION**

**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF POSTGRADUATE DIPLOMA IN  
EDUCATION**

**PGDE 733: PLANNING AND ECONOMICS OF EDUCATION**

**STREAMS: PGDE**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 02/11/2021**

**11.30 A.M – 1.30 P.M.**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- *ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS.*
- *DO NOT WRITE ON THE QUESTION PAPER.*

**Question one**

- a) Define the following concepts
  - i. Opportunity cost
  - ii. Cost effectiveness
  - iii. Planning
  - iv. Economics of education
  - v. Efficiency (10 Marks)
- b) Highlight four reasons for planning education (4 Marks)
- c) Examine three factors that are likely to increase the demand for private secondary education in Kenya (6 Marks)

**Question two**

- a) You are the Cabinet Secretary in the Ministry of Education and you intend to increase access to secondary education by eliminating regional disparities. Explain the strategies you would use to achieve these objectives. (10 Marks)
- b) What is economic development? Discuss four ways in which education contributes to economic development. (10 Marks)

**Question three**

- a) Explain five reasons why universities in developing countries produce graduates that do not fit in the job market. (10 Marks)
- b) Discuss any five social benefits of education. (10 Marks)

**Question four**

Discuss the following approaches to educational planning

- a. Social demand approach
- b. Man power approach (20 Marks)

**Question five**

Discuss any four factors that you would consider when planning for the location of a school. (20 Marks)

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