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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF CERTIFICATE IN EARLY  
CHILDHOOD EDUCATION

ECDE 00131: MATERIAL DEVELOPMENT

STREAMS: ECDE

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 21/09/2021

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer question one and any other two questions
- Do not write on the question paper

1. a) Differentiate between learning aid and learning resource. (4 marks)
- b) Explain the importance of using teachers aid learning materials in an ECDE classroom. (10 marks)
- c) Analyze the challenges that an ECDE teacher will encounter when developing materials for young children. (8 marks)
- d) Briefly explain point to consider when displaying materials. (8 marks)
2. a) with relevant examples, briefly describe ways in which learning materials influence holistic development of the child. (12 marks)
- b) Discuss various ways of having materials in an ECDE classroom. (8 marks)
3. a) As an ECDE teacher, briefly explain the criterial for material selection in ECDE centre. (12 marks)

b) Explain factors to consider when developing material for preschool children.

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4. a) Briefly describe various sources of materials for ECDE learners. (10 marks)

b) Highlight safety precautions and first aid when handling materials in an ECDE classroom. (10 marks)

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