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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF  
DIPLOMA IN EARLY CHILDHOOD AND DEVELOPMENT**

**ECDE 0232: SOCIAL STUDIES**

**STREAMS: DIP (ECDE)**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE : WEDNESDAY 22 /09/ 2021**

**8.30 AM – 10.30 AM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer Question One and any other Two Questions.
- Do not write on the question paper

1. (a) Briefly define the following terms as used in social studies. [6 Marks]
  - (i) Socialisation
  - (ii) Community
  - (iii) Environmental
- (b) Highlight seven objectives of social studies in ECDE curriculum. [7 Marks]
- (c) Enumerate five importance of social studies in pre-school pupils. [5 Marks]
- (d) Identify five components of societal structures. [5 Marks]
- (e) Highlight five criteria for selecting the materials for teaching social studies. [7 Marks]

**SECTION B**

2. (a) Highlight five importance of developing life skills and living values. [5 Marks]
- (b) Discuss five methods that a teacher can effectively use to develop life skills in preschoolers. [15 Marks]
3. (a) Highlight five types of families. [5 Marks]
- (b) Discuss the importance of the ECDE social studies programme activities. [15 Marks]
4. (a) State five ways how drug and substance abuse by parents affects children. [5 Marks]
- (b) Describe the changing trends of life that are common in your locality. [15 Marks]
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