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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

EDFO 418/421: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN EDUCATION

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) P/T TIME: 2 HOURS DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 20/7/2021 2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question ONE and any other Three questions
- Do not write on the question paper
- Q1. The government of Kenya rolled out the new CBC system of education and its now on implementation.
 - (a) What were the main reasons for the adoption of this system of education
 [8 marks]
 - (b) What do you consider as the main challenges that may impede the success of the new system of education [12 marks]
 - (c) Examine any five negative effects of the long break from schooling due to Covid 10 pandemic on education institutions in Kenya. [10 marks]
- Q2. (a) Identify and explain the objectives of universal free primary education

[10 marks]

- (b) Discuss the main challenges that are faced in the attempt to implement it, drawing examples from Kenya. [10 marks]
- Q3. "Cost sharing in education provision is not a new phenomena in Kenya". Discuss how it is effected and its impact on education [20 marks]
- Q4. "Illiteracy is a cancer to society". Analyze this statement and show what the Kenya government is doing to combat illiteracy. [20 marks]
