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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF CERTIFICATE IN EARLY CHILDHOOD
DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION**

ECDE 00243: INTRODUCTION TO RESEARCH

STREAMS: CERT ECDE

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 06/12/2018

8.30 A.M – 10.30 A.M

INSTRUCTIONS

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

1. (a) Definition of terms;
 - (i) Research
 - (ii) Monitoring
 - (iii) Evaluation [6 marks](b) State four ethical considerations in research. [8 marks]
 - (c) Differentiate between research report and research proposal. [4 marks]
 - (d) Describe three advantages of using case study method in research. [6 marks]
 - (e) State one area of research in ECDE. [1 mark]
 2. (a) Explain five advantages of using a questionnaire in research. [10 marks]
 - (b) State the five chapters of research report. [5 marks]
 3. (a) Identify five importance of research in ECDE . [10 marks]
 - (b) State five challenges ECDE teachers encounter in carrying out research. [5 marks]
 4. (a) Describe five advantages of using an interview during research. [10 marks]
 - (b) State five items found in research budget. [5 marks]
 5. (a) State five disadvantages of using ethnography research method. [10 marks]
 - (b) Sate five issues in ECDE in which research can be done. [5 marks]
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