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THARAKA UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT EDUCATION**

COMS 102: COMMUNICATION SKILLS

STREAMS: BED (ECDE) P/T

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 09/08/2019

2.30 PM - 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer Three Questions in total**
- **Question One is Compulsory**

1. (a) Define research and briefly explain the purpose of research. [10 marks]
(b) You are preparing to give a speech to a group of parents, teachers, students and other education stakeholders during an education day celebration at a neighboring school. Giving relevant examples, describe four elements of a speech you would put into considerations as you prepare the speech. [20 marks]
2. Discuss the procedure for writing a research proposal. [20 marks]
3. Explain the various delivery skills you need as a teacher to ensure that your learners benefit most during your lessons. [20 marks]
4. (a) Explain what you understand by the following research terminologies: [10 marks]
 - (i) Research topic
 - (ii) Statement of the problem
 - (iii) Objectives
 - (iv) Hypothesis
 - (v) Variables(b) Explain how you can tell that it is your turn to speak during a group discussion. [10 marks]

5. Explain four methods of collecting data for research.

[20 marks]
