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

ECDE 00131: MATERIAL DEVELOPMENT

STREAMS: CERT. Y1S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 07/08/2018

11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer questions ONE (compulsory) and any other TWO questions.**
- **Do not write anything on the question paper.**

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) 30 MARKS

- (a) Explain five reasons for displaying children's learning/teaching materials. (5 marks)
 - (b) Explain three different views on materials as proposed by any three earliest philosophers. (5 marks)
 - (c) Describe five points you should consider when making learning/teaching material such as charts and pictures. (5 marks)
 - (d) Explain five different ways of displaying materials in your classroom. (5 marks)
 - (e) Describe five ways you can use to obtain materials for your ECDE centre. (5 marks)
 - (f) Explain ten various ways of ensuring safety precautions when using materials for young children. (5 marks)
2. With relevant examples use ten points to justify the significance of using learning/teaching materials in your ECDE classroom. (20 marks)

3. Discuss how materials can be used to promote a child's holistic development. (20 marks)
4. (a) State and explain seven factors that should be put into consideration when selecting materials for young children. (14 marks)
- (b) Highlight six procedures of ensuring proper care of children's materials. (6 marks)
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