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**FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS**

EDFO 423: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN EDUCATION

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) (Y4S2)

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: MONDAY 06/04/2020

2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions
- Do not write on this question paper

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- (a) Distinguish between: [10 marks]
- (i) Internal and external efficiency in education
 - (ii) Equity and Equality
 - (iii) Gender and Sex
 - (iv) Conflict and Violence
 - (v) Values and Norms
- (b) Explain four issues regarding the implementation of pre-school programme in Kenya [10 marks]
- (c) Show how quality is an issue of concern in primary education in Kenya [10 marks]

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- (a) Explain why poor nutrition and poor health is a major concern among school going children [10 marks]
- (b) Evaluate the effects of poor remuneration of staff on quality of higher education in Kenya [10 marks]

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- (a) Assess how the new Competency Based Curriculum (CBC) of education will mitigate issues in secondary education [10 marks]
- (b) Show how gender disparity is manifested in society today [10 marks]

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- (a) Explain how violent conflicts are a setback in education in developing countries [10 marks]
 - (b) Evaluate the impacts of five triggers of dropout phenomenon on education in Kenya. [10 marks]
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