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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF CERTIFICATE IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

CDEV 00111: FAMILY STUDIES

STREAMS: Y1S1 TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 6/12/2018 11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer question one and any other two questions

Do not write on the question paper

SECTION A 30 MARKS COMPULSORY

1. (a) Define the following terms;

(i) Family [2 marks]

(ii) Kinship [2 marks]

(iii) Society [2 marks]

(iv) Spouse [2marks]

(v) Social class [2 marks]

(b) (i) Explain what is family development theory. [2 marks]

(ii) Briefly describe each of the eight stages in the family life cycle as known in family

development theory. [8 marks]

(c) (i) Explain one of the causes of variation in family types. [2 marks]

(ii) Describe 8 types of families. [8 marks]

SECTION B 40 MARKS: ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS

2. Discuss the functions of a family. [20 marks]

3. (a) Explain five areas where sociologists focus on when studying families. [10 marks]

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	(b) Explain how family unit has changed over the years.	[10 marks]
4.	Explain the role of family in the process of community development.	[20 marks]
5.	Explain challenges that families face in the developing world.	[20 marks]