

CDEV 111



## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

### FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

#### CDEV 111: INTRODUCTION TO DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

**STREAM: BSC (CDEV) - ODEL  
HOURS**

**TIME: 2**

**DAY/DATE: MONDAY 03/12/2018**

**11.30 A.M. -**

**1.30 P.M.**

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- **Answer question ONE and TWO others**

Q1. (a) Explain the following concepts as used in development studies

- (i) Development (3 marks)
- (ii) Sustainability (3 marks)

(b) Explain why agriculture is termed as the backbone of Kenyan economy.

(6 marks)

(c) Explain any six characteristics of underdevelopment.

(6 marks)

(d) Explain any three factors that are to blame for Kenya's underdevelopment.

(6 marks)

(e) Explain the role of a political opposition party in development.

(6 marks)

Q2. (a) Kenya has a potential for economic development but has not exploited this

potential to a maximum. Discuss with examples how Kenya can attain her

potential economic growth.  
marks)

(12

(b) Discuss with examples the benefits of economic growth.  
(8 marks

Q3. (a) Critically examine factors that affect literacy level in Kenya  
(10 marks)

(b) Discuss the obstacles of public participation in development in  
Kenya

(10 marks)

Q4. Examine the following development initiatives in Kenya

(i) Devolved government

(10 marks)

(ii) NG-CDF

(10 marks)

Q5. (a) Critically examine the challenges of entrepreneurs in Kenya  
(12 marks)

(b) Discuss the role of NGOs in Kenyan Development  
(8 marks)

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