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**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF DIPLOMA IN EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT**

**ECDE 0135: MATERIAL DEVELOPMENT IN ECDE**

**STREAMS:**

**TIME:2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 13/04/2023**

**2.30 P.M. –4.30 P.M.**

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**INSTRUCTIONS**

Answer question one and any other two questions

Do not write on the question paper

- Q1. a) Analyze the criteria for developing and selecting instructional resources for use in ECDE centres (10 marks)
- b) Discuss seven ways of displaying children’s work in an ECDE classroom. (7 marks)
- c) Instructional resources are key in the teaching/learning process. Justify this statement (7 marks)
- d) During development and utilization of instructional resources, ECDE teachers are likely to encounter a number of challenges. Discuss six of these challenges (6 marks)
2. a) Discuss five safety precautions that should be considered to ensure safety of learners when developing and using instructional resources (10 marks)
- b) Giving relevant examples, describe five categories of teaching and learning resources at the ECDE level (10 marks)
- Q3. a) Describe five roles of parents in preparing and maintaining classroom materials (10 marks)
- b) Discuss five qualities of instructional resources appropriate for ECDE learners (10 marks)

Q4. a) Teaching and learning resources promote holistic child growth and development. Discuss  
(10 marks)

b) With relevant examples, discuss specific materials used for teaching five learning areas in pre-  
primary school (10 marks)

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