



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR
THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (EARLY
CHILDHOOD EDUCATION WITH PROJECT
MANAGEMENT)**

**COURSE CODE: ECDE 3101-1
COURSE TITLE: METHODS OF TEACHING
ECDE LANGUAGE SKILLS**

DATE: 15th DEC 2022

TIME: 1100 - 1300

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer questions ONE and any other Two.

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SECTION A

Q1. (a). Explain the following terms as used in language teaching. **(4 marks)**

- (i) Language
- (ii) Language learning.
- (iii) Language acquisition.
- (iv) Number recognition.

(b). Explain six (6) functions of language in young children. **(6 marks)**

(c) Describe the various roles that language plays in human communication.

(5 marks)

(d) Identify some holophrase that children use and expand their meaning

(5marks)

SECTION B

Q2) a) Describe methods of studying children language development

(10mrks)

b) State five (5) characteristics of a child who is linguistically deprived

(5mrks)

Q3) Discuss methods that can be used to teaching children basic language acquisition skills

(15mrks)

Q4) Develop a 2-weeks competency based curriculum (CBC) schemes of work for grade 4 in any subject of your choice.

(15 marks)

Q5) a) State the importance of first language in early childhood development

(5mrks)

b) Outline the key areas in social learning theory showing how useful they are to an ECDE caregiver

(10mrks)

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