



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2017/2018 ACADEMIC YEAR
SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ECDE)**

**COURSE CODE: ECDE 427
COURSE TITLE: INDOOR AND OUTDOOR PLAY
ACTIVITIES**

DATE: 18TH APRIL 2018

TIME: 1100 – 1300HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE

Attempt question 1 (ONE) and any other 2 (TWO) questions

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SECTION A

1a i) Using relevant examples, explain five types of children's social play **(5 mks)**

ii). Discuss the role of parents in children's play before they join school **(2 mks)**

b) State and explain the types of play that the following age groups are involved in and why **(8 mks)**

i. Infancy

ii. Late infancy

iii Toddler and pre-school children

iv. Lower primary aged children

c i) .Describe the environment of a play ground in relation to children's play

(5 mks)

ii). Physical disability is not inability. Using suitable examples, how can you ensure all children including such children are engaged in outdoor activities. **(5 mks)**

iii). Name and explain the importance of five main characteristics of play materials children **(5 mks)**

SECTION B

2a.How can teachers and care givers ensure that they achieve the following play objectives

i. Facilitate exploration and enhance development of personal talents and skills in children **(5 mks)**

ii. Using relevant examples, explain the importance of a play ground in relation to children's play **(5 mks)**

iii. Briefly explain two indoor activities and their effect in child development **(2 mks)**

b).Explain the following concepts as used in physical activities **(3 mks)**

i. Social play

ii. Physical play

iii.Cognitive play

C).Identify and explain five possible accidents that occur during children's play. **(5 mks)**

3 a). As 'food is important to a child', so is play. Discuss. **(15 mks)**

b). What happens when children are deprived of play? **(5 mks)**

4.i). Discuss the conditions necessary for the promotion of play . **(15 mks)**

ii). Describe the role of the teacher in indoor and out door activities. **(5mks)**

5a) How can a teacher help children to integrate play with mathematics activities ? **(5 mks)**

b). What activities would you give to children to help them develop their large muscles. **(3 mks)**

c). State and explain four characteristics of children's play. **(4 mks)**

d). Make a one day lesson plan for an outdoor activity . **(8 mks)**

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