



# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2022/ 2023 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**

**BACHELOR OF EDUCATION IN SPECIAL NEEDS**

**COURSE CODE: SNE 1208-1**

**COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO EARLY CHILDHOOD, CARE,  
DEVELOPMENT AND EDUCATION**

**DATE: .....APRIL 2023 TIME:.....**

**INSTRUCTIONS**

**Answer ALL Questions in Section 'A' and any TWO in Section 'B'.**

## SECTION A -20 MARKS. ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

1. (a). Explain the following terms as used in Early childhood, care, development and Education
  - i. Day Care Unit (2 marks)
  - ii. Kindergarten (2 marks)
- (b). State Any **Four** objectives of ECCDE for children with special needs and disabilities. (4 marks)
- (c). Highlight Any **Four** rights of the child of (1989). (4 marks)
- (d). Explain Any **Four** functions of Educational assessment and resource services. (4 marks)
- (e). Explain Any **Four** importance of play to an ECCDE child. (4 marks)

## SECTION B (30 Marks).

2. In your view, do you think that children with special needs should be educated together with other children without special needs in early childhood education centres. Discuss (15 marks)
3. (a). Explain any **Five** considerations to be made when developing materials for children with special needs and disabilities. (10 marks)
- (b). Describe any **Five** considerations to be taken when organizing learning centres. (5 marks)
4. Discuss the relevance of studying Early Childhood, care, development and education by student teachers in the University. (15 marks)

5. Explain the following types of play.

- i. Parallel play
- ii. Associative play
- iii. Cooperative play
- iv. Solitary play
- v. Social play

(10 marks)

(b). Explain the roles of Music, Drama and dance in Early Childhood Development.

(5marks)

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