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MAIN EXAMINATION

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FACULTY OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF UNDERGRADUATE STUDIES IN EDUCATION

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

ED 202: CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

Date: December 2022

Duration: 3 Hours

Instructions: Answer Question ONE and any other THREE Questions

QUESTION ONE

- a) Define the following concepts.
- i) Curriculum **(1 ½ Marks)**
 - ii) Curriculum Design **(1 ½ Marks)**
- b) Specify two reasons as to why the Ministry of Education in Kenya should outline the aims of education **(4 Marks)**
- c) Describe how Curriculum goals help both the curriculum planners and teachers in decision- making **(8 Marks)**
- d) With particular reference to Kenyan education system, identify any five factors that influence Curriculum planning and development. **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION TWO

With relevant examples, discuss the major foundations of curriculum which determine the quality of curriculum development. **(15 Marks)**

QUESTION THREE

Explain any five key elements which curriculum planners must take into consideration when developing a curriculum. **(15 Marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

Analyze the main steps involved in the curriculum development process

(15 Marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Interrogate the merits and the demerits of “Co- Curriculum” in Kenya.

(15 Marks)

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