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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

**FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS/SCIENCE
SECOND SEMESTER, 2021/2022
(FEBRUARY - JUNE, 2022)**

EDFO 411: COMPARATIVE EDUCATION

STREAM: Y4 S2

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: FRIDAY, 9:00 – 11:00 A.M.

DATE: 13/05/2022

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer Question ONE [Compulsory] and any other TWO Questions.***

1 a) Justify the inclusion of Comparative Education in the teacher preparation programmes in Kenya today? (12 marks)

b) Highlight the characteristics in the “concern for cultural context” phase in the development of Comparative Education. (8 marks)

c) Discuss the demerits of centralized education systems. (10 marks)

2. With the aid of appropriate examples, show how EITHER geographical OR linguistic factors have influenced education systems in Africa. (20 marks)

3. Discuss the challenges that teachers encounter in the implementation of the Competency-Based Curriculum (CBC) education system in Kenya and propose possible remedies. (20 marks)

4. Examine the lessons that Kenya may borrow from EITHER Japan OR South Korean education systems to improve hers. (20 marks)

5. Using examples, discuss the contributions of UNICEF in the provision of basic education in the developing countries. (20 marks)