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

EDFO 421: CONTEMPORARY ISSUES IN EDUCATION

STREAM: Y4 S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: TUESDAY, 11:30 – 1:30 P.M.

DATE: 26/07/2022

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions***

SECTION ONE (COMPULSORY)

- 1.a) Define the term ‘Contemporary issue in Education’ (3 marks)
- b) Show how any three goals of education in Kenya are designed to address regional development disparities in the country (10 marks)
- c) (i) What do you understand by ‘teacher education’? (5 marks)
- (ii) Examine any six (6) challenges facing teacher education in developing countries and propose relevant remedies (12 marks)

SECTION TWO

2. Discuss the major challenges facing the education sector among the East African countries and suggest possible solutions (20 marks)

3. a) What do you understand by 'Adult education' as used in the Kenyan education system? (5 marks)

b) In your view, how could provision of adult education in Kenya be strengthened? (15 marks)

4. Discuss five ways in which Kenya intends to achieve the dream to be a regional center for research and development as per the country's Vision 2030 development plan (20 marks)

5. Giving relevant examples show how politics has influenced provision of higher education in Kenya since independence (20 marks)