



# KIBABII UNIVERSITY

## UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/2022

**FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS**

**BACHELOR OF EDUCATION**

**COURSE CODE:** EDF 410

**COURSE TITLE:** SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION AND COMPARATIVE EDUCATION

**DATE:** Monday 18<sup>th</sup> November **TIME:** 08:00-10:00 **DURATION:** 2HOURS

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### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question One (compulsory) , ONE question in section B and one question in section C

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**SECTION A**

This section contains **ONE** compulsory question

- a) Schools and families are the key agents of socialization. Defend this view using relevant reasons and examples. (10Mrks)
- b) What are the four areas that sociology of education deals with? (4mks)
- c) List the phases in the development of comparative education and give relevance of **ANY ONE** of the phases to current theory and practice of education. (8 marks)
- d) Using relevant examples, explain **ANY FOUR** aims of comparative education (8 marks).

**SECTION B**

This section contains **Two** questions in sociology of education. Answer **ANY ONE**.

2. (a) What is the relationship between education and other factors which explain social Stratification? Give relevant examples. (10Mrks)  
(b) "A school is a formal organization". Justify this assertion using appropriate examples. (10Mrks)
3. a) Using relevant examples to support your answer, examine the assertion that "the school and society are interrelated." (10mks)  
b) Discuss the probable causes of gender disparity in the Kenyan education system. (10mks)



**SECTION C**

**This section contains TWO questions in Comparative Education. Answer ANY ONE**

4. (a) Examine the purpose of studying comparative education for the teacher trainee.  
(10 marks)

(b) Discuss 5 challenges facing education in Africa.  
(10 marks)

Discuss SIX FACTORS that have determined and shaped the systems of education in the world.  
(20mks)

