



# KIBABII UNIVERSITY UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER MAIN EXAMINATION (PART TIME)

**COURSE CODE: CUT 222** 

COURSE TITLE: CURRICULUM STUDIES

DATE: 28<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2023

**TIME: 9-11AM** 

### INSTRUCTIONS TO ALL CANDIDATES

Answer question one (1) and any other two (2)

# **QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

- a) Differentiate between change and innovation as used in Curriculum (5 Marks)
- b) Briefly explain any three relationships between education and curriculum (6Marks)
- c) Briefly explain any **four** central issues that curriculum designers should consider while designing a curriculum. (4 Marks)
- d) Briefly explain **three** reasons why sociological foundation is key in curriculum development. (3 Marks)
- e) Explain **six** characteristics that make teaching a profession (6 Marks)
- f) State any **six** shortcomings of high stake exams as a way of curriculum evaluation.

  (6 Marks)

# **QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

- a) Briefly explain any **six** reasons for the shift from 8-4-4to Competency Based curriculum (6marks)
- b) Evaluate Ralph Tyler's model of Curriculum evaluation (14marks)

# **QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

- a) You have been tasked with developing a new curriculum for a subject of your specialization. Identify and explain the steps you would follow before the roll out of the curriculum. (10Marks)
- b) Apart from developing the syllabus explain other functions of Kenya Institute of Curriculum Development? (10 Marks)

## **QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

- a) i) State any four models of curriculum change. (4 Marks)
  - ii) Briefly discuss any **five** emerging issues and their impact on curriculum development in Kenya (10 Marks)
- b) Explainsix reasons for resisting CBC at the instructional level (6 Marks)

# **QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)**

Evaluate **five** merits and **five** demerits of the learner centred design in curriculum development (20 marks)