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**FOURTH YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EARLY CHILDHOOD AND DEVELOPMENT**

ECDE 442: GROUP DYNAMICS AMONG CHILDREN

STREAMS: BACHELORS

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE : WEDNESDAY 22 /09/ 2021

2.30 PM – 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question One and any other Two Questions.
- Do not write on the question paper

QUESTION ONE

- Highlight six characteristics of a group [6 Marks]
- Explain the formation of study groups. [6 Marks]
- Discuss the principles of group dynamics. [6 Marks]
- Justify team building in learning using six examples. [6 Marks]
- Describe three characteristics of informal groups. [6 Marks]

QUESTION TWO

- Discuss the influence of groups in child development and learning. [10 Marks]
- Demonstrate the importance of motivation to learning. [10 Marks]

QUESTION THREE

- a. Using examples explain five reasons why learners join groups. [10 Marks]
- b. Support the ARCs model (attention, Relevance confidence and satisfaction) in the motivation of learners) [10 Marks]

QUESTION FOUR

- a. Discuss challenges a teacher is likely to face when motivating young children using five valid examples. [10 Marks]
 - b. Formulate ways in which a teacher can employ to maintain learners groupings. [10 Marks]
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