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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

ACADEMIC YEAR: 2021/2022

UNIT NAME: CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT

SEMESTER: SEPT-DEC 2021

UNIT CODE: EDAP 3200

DATE: DEC 2021

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer question one (30 marks) and any other two

IMPORTANT NOTICE !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!

The following are the possible consequences if found guilty of an Examination Offence:

- a) Expulsion from the University.**
- b) Academic Leave.**

QUESTION ONE

- (a). Briefly explain the following terms: **(8 marks)**
- i. Curriculum Development
 - ii. Curriculum design
 - iii. Need assessment
 - iv. Core curriculum
- (b). Explain the three elements of curriculum. **(6 marks)**
- (c). Differentiate between summative and formative evaluation. **(8 marks)**
- (d). Justify the need for evaluation in education. **(8 marks)**

QUESTION TWO

State and explain the steps involved in Curriculum development in Kenya. **(20 marks)**

QUESTION THREE

Discuss Taba's model of curriculum development and show its application in the Kenyan curriculum. **(20 marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Differentiate between the 8-4-4 curriculum and the Competency Based Curriculum. **(8 marks)**
- (b) Competency Based Curriculum is the best education curriculum in the Kenyan history of education. Justify. **(12 marks)**

