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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR

SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATION

FOR THE DIPLOMA OF SOCIAL WORK

COURSE CODE: DSS 201

COURSE TITLE: SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

DATE: 16TH DECEMBER, 2019

TIME: 9.00 AM – 12.00 PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

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DSS 201: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

STREAM: DIPLOMA (SOCIAL WORK)

DURATION: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

- i. *Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions.*
- ii. *Do not write on the question paper.*

Question One

- a. Describe permissive style of parenting (4 Marks)
- b. Explain FOUR effects permissive parenting has on children (8 Marks)
- c. Explain THREE importance of studying Social Psychology to a Social Worker (6 Marks)
- d. Discuss FOUR ways in which hereditary factors shape the personality of an individual (8 Marks)
- e. Highlight FOUR components of culture (4 Marks)

Question Two

- a. Using Cognitive Dissonance Theory, explain how people acquire attitude (10 Marks)
- b. Describe FIVE stages of group formation (10 Marks)

Question Three

- a. A person of your age from Mombasa moves to Busia and become your neighbour. Discuss SIX factors that will influence the likelihood of the two of you becoming friends (12 Marks)
- b. Explain FOUR types of anxiety disorders (8 Marks)

Question Four

- a. Explain FIVE characteristics of culture (10 Marks)
- b. Discuss FIVE ego defence mechanisms used by the ego when it faces anxiety (10 Marks)

Question Five

Using examples explain the following concepts

- a) Group think (4 Marks)
- b) Stereotype (4 Marks)
- c) Pedophilia (4 Marks)
- d) Laissez Faire leadership (4 Marks)
- e) Voyeurism (4 Marks)

