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FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

**SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, SOCIAL
SCIENCES AND CREATIVE STUDIES**

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNITY
DEVELOPMENT**

COURSE CODE : CMD 4230

**COURSE TITLE : PLANNING AND
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

DATE :

TIME :

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Question ONE is compulsory. Answer any other TWO questions.

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QUESTION ONE

a) Write short notes on the terminologies Bellow as learnt in the study of Planning and Community Development :

- i. Planning
- ii. Development
- iii. Community
- iv. Community Development
- v. Plan **(20 Marks)**

b) Describe the main features of planning **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION TWO

a) Distinguish between natural and human resources and explain the meaning of resource allocation. **(10 Marks)**

b) Describe some of the functions of planning **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION THREE

a) Describe the steps in policy formulation **(10 Marks)**

b) Discuss the meaning of Centralisation and Decentralisation in reference to governace in Kenya **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

a) Using relevant examples, discuss your understanding of the appraisal system **(10 Marks)**

b) Elaborate some uses of appraisal in Community Development **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

'Failing to plan is planning to fail '. In view of this expression, critically discuss the importance of planning in Organizations. **(20 Marks)**

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