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# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

1<sup>ST</sup> SEMESTER 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF  
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT

**CDEV 111: INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNITY  
DEVELOPMENT**

***STREAM:***

***TIME: 2 HRS***

***DAY: TUESDAY [14.30-16.30 P.M]***

***DATE: 5/12/2023***

**THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF THREE (3) PAGES**

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**INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question one (COMPULSORY) and any other two questions.**

**QUESTION ONE**

a) Define the following terms **(5 Marks)**

- i) Community Involvement
- ii) Sustainable Development
- iii) Community Development
- iv) Community
- v) Sustainability

b) Using elaborate examples State and explain five characteristics of Characteristics of Community Development **(10Marks)**

c) Explain four assumptions in community development **(8 Marks)**

d) Explain the impacts of Models/Theories of Community Development to Societies **(7 Marks)**

**QUESTION TWO**

a) Discuss the impacts of a community Development Worker in CommunityDevelopment **(10Marks)**

b) Explain the factors that influence the performance of Community Development Worker **(10 marks)**

**QUESTION THREE**

a) Successful Community Development Depends on Certain Basic Principles being followed  
Discuss THREE Principles of Community Development **(15Marks)**

b) Explain FIVE Approaches to Community Development that community development experts should utilize **(5 Marks)**

**QUESTION FOUR**

a) Discus Two theories of Community Development **(10 Marks)**

b) Explain the roles that a County Government plays in contributing to Community Development **(10 Marks)**



**QUESTION FIVE**

- a) Define the term capacity building **(2 Marks)**
- b) Explain FOUR types of capacities in community development **(4 Marks)**
- c) Discuss stages of capacity building as applied in community development **(8 Marks)**
- d) Community developers may face difficulties in practicing capacity development, state THREE challenges of capacity building **(3 Marks)**
- c) Explain THREE ways of overcoming the challenges mentioned above **(3 Marks)**

