



REFORMED CHURCH UNIVERSITY

FACULTY OF EDUCATION AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

**BACHELOR OF EDUCATION HONOURS DEGREE IN
EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT**

MODELS OF EARLY CHILDHOOD DEVELOPMENT PROGRAMMES

HECD 420

PART 4 SEMESTER 2 EXAMINATION

TOTAL MARKS [100]

DATE: December, 2024

Time: 3 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS

1. This paper has *five (5)* questions
2. Answer any *three (3)* questions
3. Each question carries *100 marks*
4. Start each question on a new page

1. Assess the view that the Head Start curriculum model is the basis of contemporary ECD programmes. (100)
2. Analyse the relationship between the Zimbabwe's competence based curriculum and the High Scope curriculum model. (100)
3. Examine the applicability of any three of the Reggio Emilia curriculum model ideas to ECD programmes. (100)
4. Analyse any three principles of the Montessori curriculum in relation to current teaching and learning of ECD children in Zimbabwe. (100)
5. Examine any two curriculum models that promote the concept of 'constructivism' in ECD programmes. (100)

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