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CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

DEPARTMENT: CHILDREN AND YOUTH MINISTRIES

COURSE CODE: DYM 106

COURSE TITLE: YOUTH ADOLESCENCE AND GROWTH

EXAM DATE: APRIL, 2021

TIME:

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Write your **STUDENT NUMBER** in the Answer Booklet given.
- This paper has two sections with seven questions in total.
- Answer **ALL** questions in SECTION A and **ANY TWO** questions from SECTION B

SECTION A: Answer ALL questions

1. Describe any 5 processes of adolescent physical development and their implications for adolescent and youth workers. (10 marks).

2. As a youth worker, discuss how you can help teenagers be comfortable about their sexuality. (10 marks).

SECTION B: Answer any 2 questions

3. Discuss five aspects of culture that are affecting African adolescents and the impact on their growth and development, citing relevant examples for your answers. (10marks)
4. Christian maturity is a process that may be compared to a journey, hence the phrase 'a journey of faith'.
 - a) Using Ephesians 2:8-9 and 2 Peter 1:10 explain your understanding of faith development. (2 marks)
 - b) List and explain three Christian practices of the Church that can nurture the faith of young people. (6 marks)
 - c) Citing two Scriptures, justify the role of parents as the primary nurturers of the faith of adolescents. Give examples to support your answers. (2 marks)
5. Spiritual formation assists the youth worker in ministering to young people.
 - a) Explain the meaning of spiritual formation and cite relevant Scriptures to support your answers. (4 marks)
 - b) Explain *three* characteristics of spiritual formation. (6 marks)
6. Evaluate how the different stages of Erick Erickson's psychosocial development affect how the young person relates to the family, church and society at large. (10 marks)