



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2010/2011

MAY INTAKE SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

EFN 402: COMPARATIVE EDUCATION

DATE: Friday 12th August 2011

TIME: 11.00 a.m -1.00 p.m

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer Question ONE any other TWO Question

1. Briefly discuss factors determining similarities and differences in systems of education in various countries. [24 marks]
2.
 - a) What is Comparative Education?
 - b) Discuss the importance of studying comparative education
 - c) Briefly outline the main perspectives in comparative education. [23 marks]
3.
 - a) The development of Comparative has been seen in the light of four phases. List the four phases
 - b) Describe the background conditions that led to the evolution of the four phases
 - d) Discuss the relevance of each of the four phases to the theory and practice of education in your country. [23 marks]
4.
 - a) Compare and contrast aims of education in Cuba and USA.
 - b) Discuss in comparative perspectives the educational structure in East Africa. [23 marks]
5.
 - a) What do you understand by preschool education?
 - b) Outline the objective of preschool education
 - c) Discuss two major issue in preschool education [23 marks]