## THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA

## DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL STUDIES



FINAL EXAMINATION - SEMESTER II - 2021/2022

DSU4267 - YOUTH AND DEVELOPMENT WORK

PERSONAL AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

**DURATION: THREE (03) HOURS ONLY** 

Date: 19/02/2023

Time: 09.30 a.m - 12.30 p.m

## **Instructions:**

- > Answer only five (05) questions
- > Each Question carries (20) Marks
- 01. Imagine you have been invited to give a lecture on "Risk factors that make youth more vulnerable in contemporary Sri Lankan society". What points will you highlight in your lecture with examples?
- 02. What are the elements that affect the development of self-concept? Reflect with examples.
- 03. What are the key features of Positive Youth Development (PYD)? Discuss.
- 04. Is the 'Strengths Perspective' applied for Youth Development in Sri Lanka? Examine.
- 05. Examine the differences between Maslow's Hierarchy of Needs and Vroom's Expectancy Theory.
- 06. Discuss the importance of an organization having a code of ethics in youth development with reference to Sri Lanka.
- 07. Examine the importance of effective communication skills for a youth worker.
- 08. Analyze how regional and international workplace policies related to the rights of persons with disabilities are implemented in Sri Lanka.





- 09. Write short notes on four (04) of the following:
  - a. Personal Worldviews
  - b. Communication Challenges
  - c. SMART goals
  - d. Youth Workers Personal Development Plans
  - e. Youth Led Organizations (YLO)

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