

**NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**  
**FACULTY OF COMMUNICATION AND INFORMATION SCIENCE**  
**DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND INFORMATION SCIENCE**  
**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (HONOURS) DEGREE IN LIBRARY**  
**AND INFORMATION SCIENCE**

**PART IV SECOND SEMESTER MAY 2012 EXAMINATIONS**

**ILI 4205: CHILDREN'S LIBRARIES**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

**Instructions to candidates**

1. Answer any four (4) questions.
  2. Each question carries 25 marks.
  3. Give equal time to each question.
  4. Importance is attached to accuracy, clarity and legible handwriting.
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1. With close reference to relevant Articles of the United Nations Convention on the Rights of the Child justify the need for children's libraries. [25 marks]
2. Bearing in mind the mission and goals of children's libraries identify and discuss key performance indicators that could be used to evaluate and monitor the achievements of children's library goals. [25 marks]
3. Critique the five main theories governing censorship in children's libraries. [25 marks]
4. Assess the development of children's literature in post independence Zimbabwe and recommend strategies for further development. [25 marks]
5. Discuss the on-going activities as well as special events that may be instituted in a children's library for the benefit of children and young adults. [25 marks]
6. Examine the role of partnerships in the success of children's libraries. [25 marks]

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