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**DEPARTMENT OF TOURISM STUDIES**  
**2025\_2 EXAMINATIONS**

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Course Title: **Commercial Recreation Management**

Course Code: **TSM 347**

Course Unit: **2**

Time Allowed: **2: 00hrs**

**Instruction: Answer any three (3) Questions**

Question 1

- a. Describe any four (4) key characteristics of children's play. (12 marks)
- b. Explain any five (5) difficulties children face in their play activities. (11.3 marks)

Question 2

- a. Discuss the historical perspective on children's play. (14.3 marks)
- b. Discuss both Hazing and Levy's philosophical views on the significance of play in human life. (9 marks)

Question 3

- a. Identify and explain any six (6) types of play from Hughes' taxonomy of play types. (16 marks)
- b. Discuss the themes of play as described by Lindon (2001). (7.3 marks)

Question 4

- a. Explain the immediate and long term benefits children derive from play as outlined in Best Play (NPFA/CPC/PLAYLINK, 2000). (13 marks)
- b. Analyze the consequences of play deprivation on children. (10.3 marks)