

THE OPEN UNIVERSITY OF SRI LANKA
 DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL STUDIES
 HIGHER DIPLOMA IN YOUTH DEVELOPMENT- LEVEL 04
 FINAL EXAMINATION – SEMESTER I - 2024/2025
 DSD 4205 – PROMOTING ENTERPRISE AND ECONOMIC
 DEVELOPMENT
 DURATION: TWO (02) HOURS ONLY



Date: 05/04/2025

Time: . 1.30 p.m - 3.30 p.m

Instructions:

- Answer ONLY four (04) questions.
- Each question is worth twenty (25) marks.
- Please write clearly.

1. Describe how the current economic situation of Sri Lanka affects the well-being of young people.
2. Discuss how young people in your locality think about and interpret economic problems facing Sri Lanka?
3. Explain the factors that influence young people's access to financial resources for the development of small business activities.
4. Explain the nexus between economic development and youth development work.
5. Propose and interpret strategies to promote youth enterprise skills.
6. Explain the steps you would take to promote youth enterprises in your area.
7. Analyze how the informal sector in Sri Lanka offers opportunities for young people to set up micro-enterprises.
8. Explain the practical steps you would take to support young people to establish networks with different agencies in their field.

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