



KISII UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

**THIRD YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION AND
EDUCATION & BACHELOR OF ANIMAL SCIENCE & BACHELOR OF
SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURE**
FIRST SEMESTER 2022/2023
(SEPTEMBER - DECEMBER, 2022)

AGED331: RURAL SOCIOLOGY

STREAM: Y3 S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: TUESDAY, 3:00 P.M – 5:00 P.M

DATE: 06/12/2022

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer ALL Questions in section A (Compulsory) and any other TWO Questions in section B.***

SECTION A

- 1 Discuss how the following have contributed to the development of sociology
a Auguste comte
b karlmarx
c Max weber (3marks)
2. Discuss the personal and professional benefits of learning sociology (5marks)
3. Discuss five characteristic of a society in rural settings (5 marks)
- 4 Explain the following terms used in rural sociology (3marks)
 - a) Cultural traits
 - b) Internalization
 - c) Role conflict

5 a Differentiate between social mobility and social stratification. (2marks)

b. Discuss briefly how people in the society move up the social class (7marks)

c Explain how one can ensure that there social order and stability in the society today (5marks)

6. Discuss the negative and positive effects of television as agent of socialization in your life. (4marks)

7 Explain the effects of deviance on university students today. (4marks)

8. Discuss the importance of groups in the society. (2marks)

SECTION B

9 Culture has various components or categories. Discuss (15 marks)

10 Discuss the three types of social stratification in a society (15 marks)

11 Discuss the causes and effects of cultural change (15 marks)

12 Discuss the forces working against social mobility (15 marks)