



KISII UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS
FIRST SEMESTER 2021/2022
[JUNE-SEPTEMBER, 2022]

PHIL 104: PHILOSOPHY AND SOCIETY

STREAM: Y1S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: FRIDAY, 3:00 – 5:00 PM

DATE: 16/09/2022

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not write anything on this question paper.***
- 2. Answer question ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.***

QUESTION ONE

- Explain how Socrates contributed to the field of Philosophy. (10 marks)
- State and explain the Principles put forward by Plato in contribution to the development of Philosophy. (10 marks)
- Discuss the relevance of philosophy to society. (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO

Explain the concept of Man in Social Contact Theory as per the following philosophers:

- Thomas Hobbes (10 marks)
- John Locke (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- What is Society? (5 marks)
- State and explain how a society is formed (15 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Explain the components of an orderly society. (10 marks)
- (b) Differentiate between “Status Groups” and” Spontaneous Order”(10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Explain the concept “human dignity” (10 marks)
- (b) State and explain how human dignity is violated in Kenya today.(10 marks)