



KISII UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

**SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS
SECOND SEMESTER, 2021/2022
(FEBRUARY - JUNE, 2022)**

HIST 212: HISTORY OF MIDDLE EAST

STREAM: Y2 S2

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: THURSDAY, 3.00 – 5.00 PM

DATE: 12/05/2022

INSTRUCTIONS:

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

QUESTION ONE

- Discuss the geographical setting of the Middle East in terms of location, countries involved, people and natural resources. (15marks)
- State the causes of gulf war between 1990 and 1991. (5marks)

QUESTION TWO

Critically examine the factors that led to the rise and fall of Ottoman Empire. (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Discuss the partition and the foundation of the state of Israel. (20 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- What was Zionist movement? (5marks)
- Discuss the effects of imperialism to the people of Middle East. (15 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss the important historical developments that took place in the Middle East during The early medieval period. (20 marks)