



KISII UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

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

HIST 111: HISTORY OF KENYA

STREAM: Y1 S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY: THURSDAY, 9.00 – 11.00 AM

DATE: 19/05/2022

INSTRUCTIONS:

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

QUESTION ONE

- Using suitable examples, discuss the evidence that support the view that human evolution took place in Kenya. (15 marks)
- Explain the results of the Bantu migration into Kenya. (15 marks)

QUESTION TWO

Critically examine the meaning of the term imperialism and the factors that led to European occupation in Kenya during the second half of the 19th century. (20 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- Discuss three ways in which Africans reacted to colonial rule. Give examples for your answer. (10 marks)
- Explain the effects of colonial rule on Africans in Kenya. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

What role did Lord Deremare play in the promotion of European settlement and settler agriculture in colonial Kenya? (20 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

- What were the factors that favoured the rise of nationalism in Kenya during the colonial period? (10 marks)
- Examine the major economic challenges facing Kenya in the 21st century. (10 marks)