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KIBABII UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2020/2021 ACADEMIC YEAR
FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER
SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION
FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION
ARTS**

COURSE CODE: HIS 112

**COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO THE SOURCES
OF HISTORY**

DATE: 30 – 09 – 2021

TIME: 8 – 10 AM

TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. Answer Question ONE (Q1) Compulsory**
- 2. Answer any other TWO (2) Questions**

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Question 1 (Compulsory)

- a) Define History and explain its scope as a study discipline (15 marks)
- b) Identify and explain any 3 factors that prove that History is a Science (15 marks)

Question 2

Describe the relationship between History and

- a) Religion (10 marks)
- b) Politics (10 marks)

Question 3

Discuss the merits and demerits of using oral tradition as a source of historical information

(20 marks)

Question 4

Discuss the assertion that a historian can write a complete history of Africa by using Linguistics alone. (20 marks)

Question 5

Give a critique of written sources of History

(20 marks)