



KIBABII UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION

ACADEMIC YEAR 2021 / 2022

SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

COURSE CODE: HIS 212

COURSE TITLE: HISTORY OF AMERICA SINCE 1775

DATE: JULY 25, 2022

TIME: 11:00AM – 1:00PM

DURATION: 2HOURS

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### INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN SECTION (A) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS IN SECTION (B)

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**SECTION A (compulsory questions)**

1. Were the origins of the American Revolution primarily economic or ideological? Discuss

(30 marks)

**SECTION B (Optional Questions)**

2. Describe the national government created by the Articles of Confederation in 1781. What were the advantages and disadvantages of this form of government? (20 marks)

3. Some historians have referred to the United States Constitution as a 'counter-revolution'. What is the basis for this claim? (20 marks)

4. Evaluate the successes and failures of Reconstruction. (20 marks)

5. Assess the role of the U.S.A in the cold war and post-cold war era. (20 marks)

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