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**KIBABII UNIVERSITY**

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION**

**ACADEMIC YEAR 2021/2022**

**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER MAIN EXAMINATIONS**

**BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS**

**COURSE CODE: GEO 111**

**COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO GEOGRAPHY**

**DATE: JANUARY 28, 2022**

**TIME: 8 – 10 AM**

**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. (a) Explain the importance of the following inventions to the development of Geography during its infant stages:
  - i. Navigation tools (2 marks)
  - ii. Distance measuring tools (2 marks)
  - iii. Large ships (2 marks)
- (b). Highlight any six factors that made Muslim Geographers successful in the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> centuries. (6 marks)
- (c). Describe Anaximander's map and explain its importance in the development of any two sub disciplines of Geography. (8 marks)
- (d). Explain any five sub-disciplines of Physical Geography recognized in Contemporary Geography. (10 marks)

### SECTION B (Optional Questions)

2. (a). Explain four major setbacks Geography faced during the Dark Ages. (8 marks)
- (b). Explain the relevance of Greco – Roman contributions up to AD 200 to the development of the discipline Geography. (12 marks)
3. Examine the contributions of Alexander Von Humboldt to the development of the subject Geography. (20 marks)
4. Define a paradigm and explore the different agricultural technologies a possibilist would employ in exploiting East Africa's arid and semi-arid lands resources. (20 marks)
5. Discuss the importance of studying Geography to the following sectors:
  - a) Agriculture (10 marks)
  - b) Disaster management (10 marks)