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# KIBABII UNIVERSITY

### UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

# 2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

# MAIN EXAMINATION - JANUARY INTAKE -

## FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

COURSE CODE: ENG 122

THE DEVELOPMENT OF ENGLISH AS A NATIVE LANGUAGE

TIME: 9.00 - 11.00AM

DATE: 30TH AUGUST, 2022

#### **NSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions. Avoid duplication of materials.

TIME: 2 Hours

TITLE:

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### QUESTION ONE- COMPULSORY (30 MARKS)

- i. English has gone through many stages of history to where it is presently. Trace the development of English.
- ii. Why do we study the History of English?
- iii. Discuss the language situation in English before English.

#### **QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

Why is English a Germanic language?

#### **QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

Critically examine how English spread to other native speaking countries.

## **QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

With copious examples, distinguish between Standard and non-Standard English.

### **QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)**

English is a combination of multiple languages with influences from yet many others. Discuss the influence of Christianity and Non-French on English.

#### **QUESTION SIX (20 MARKS)**

List the major characteristics of the forms of English.