



(Knowledge for Development)

KIBABII UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

THIRD YEAR, FIRST SEMESTER MAIN EXAMINATIONS

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

COURSE CODE: HIS 313

COURSE TITLE: DEVELOPMENT OF HISTORICAL THOUGHT

DATE: 13TH DECEMBER, 2022 TIME 2:00-4:00PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

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

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SECTION A (COMPULSORY)

1. a) Discuss as precisely as possible the purpose of history and the value of historical study. (15 marks)
- b) Explain Historical methodology as conceptualized by Collingwood (15 marks)

SECTION B (OPTIONAL QUESTIONS)

2. "History is an unending dialogue between the present and the past" (Carr 1961). Discuss the validity of this statement. (20 marks)
3. To what extent does J. Toynbee's challenges and response theory explain the rise and fall of precolonial African states? (20 marks)
4. Examine the advice given to study of history by Benedicto Croce, or Wilhelm Dilthey (20 marks)
5. Discuss the functions of General laws in History according to Carl Hempel (20 marks)