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KIRIRI WOMEN'S UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION, 2024/2025 ACADEMIC YEAR

SPECIAL EXAMINATION
FOR THE BACHELOR EDUCATION(ARTS)
KEF 2108:SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION

Date: 19th April 2024
Time: 11.30am-1.30Pm

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

ANSWER QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Describe the factors that led to modern sociology (5 marks)
- b) What do you understand by the following terms,
- (i) Negative culture (2 marks)
 - (ii) Social stratum (2 marks)
 - (iii) Educated person (2 marks)
 - (iv) Social exchange theory (2 marks)
 - (v) Social institution (2 marks)
- c) Highlight five advantages of experiments in social sciences (5 marks)
- d) Describe the assumptions of choice theory in society. (5 marks)
- e) Draw the organizational structure of a secondary school (5 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss four causes of fewer numbers of women top managers in society (8 marks)
- b) Explain four strategies of reducing conflicts in your workplace (8 marks)
- c) Outline four consequences of conflict in the family (4 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Explain four challenges facing young people in society today (8 marks)
- b) Discuss four methods of improving the workplace environment (8 marks)
- c) Discuss four consequences of drug abuse in schools (6 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss the four types of power you should use as an employee (8 marks)
- b) Explain four limitations facing young urban parents (8 marks)
- c) Suggest four benefits of sociology of education to students of Bachelor of Education (arts) (4 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Illustrate how a school can become self-reliant in its activities using social exchange theory (7 marks).
- b) Explain the benefits of using CCTV cameras in a school (6 marks).
- c) There are many orphans and disabled children not in school while schooling is supposed to be free and a human right in Kenya. Demonstrate how school enrollment can be enhanced to benefit these category of children (7marks)