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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS  
RESIT/SPECIAL EXAMINATION**

**EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SOCIOLOGY  
SOCI 232: SOCIAL INSTITUTIONS**

**STREAMS: SOCI**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 11/08/2021**

**11.30 A.M – 1.30 P.M.**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- **Answer Question One and any other Two Questions**

**QUESTION ONE**

**(30 Marks)**

- a) Discuss **four** types of governments as social institutions **(8 Marks)**
- b) Discuss the functions of education as social institution **(12 Marks)**
- c) Using relevant examples discuss characteristics of religion as a social institution **(10 Marks)**

**QUESTION TWO**

**(20 Marks)**

With the help of relevant examples discuss the dysfunctions of family

**QUESTION THREE**

**(20 Marks)**

Critically discuss the role of religion in the society

**QUESTION FOUR**

**(20 Marks)**

- i. Define social institutions **(2 Marks)**
- ii. Discuss the key characteristics of social institutions **(18 Marks)**

**QUESTION FIVE**

**(20 Marks)**

Using relevant examples distinguish the functionalism perspective of family from conflict perspective of family in Kenya.

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