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# EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

**EDFO 411: COMPARATIVE EDUCATION** 

STREAMS: BED ARTS (SBP) LIV BII

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 04/12/2018 2.30 P.M. – 4.30 P.M.

#### **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions.
- Do not write anything on this question paper.
- 1. (a) Define the term comparative education. (2 marks)
  - (b) Describe the main features in the education system of USA. (10 marks)
  - (c) In which major ways does the education systems of Kenya and England differ. (10 marks)
  - (d) What is the rationale for the inclusion of comparative education in teacher training programmes? (8

marks)

- 2. Discuss the factors which in your opinion have been the most significant in shaping the system of educations of African countries to be the way they are today. (20 marks)
- 3. (a) What do you consider as the most important challenges facing the education system in Kenya? (10 marks)
  - (b) Highlight some of the specific elements from various international education systems could be borrowed to improve the system of education in Kenya.

    (10 marks)

4. Describe the education system of Cuba. (20 marks)