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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

EDCI 336: LITERATURE IN ENGLISH SUBJECT METHODS

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) P/T

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: FRIDAY 09/08/2019

2.30 PM – 4.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question One and any other Two Questions
- Do not write on the question paper

QUESTION ONE

- (a) (i) Define literature. [2 marks]
- (ii) Explain four characteristics of a literary text. [8 marks]
- (iii) Give three ways in which the language of literature differs from the ordinary language. [3 marks]
- (b) Although literature has been defined from different perspectives, there are certain things that are common to these definitions. State the five of them. [5 marks]
- (c) Literature is a core subject in Kenya secondary schools' curriculum. Explain six points to show its importance. [12 marks]

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Explain the five main genres of literature. [10 marks]
- (b) Discuss five objectives of teaching literary appreciation to the learners. [10 marks]

QUESTION THREE

(a) Highlight the basic characteristic of African English literature. [16 marks]

(b) Describe the 4Rs of literature. [4 marks]

QUESTIN FOUR

(a) There are five main approaches in teaching a literary text. Explain them. [10 marks]

(b) Explain five genres of African oral literature. [10 marks]
