

LITT 101

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FIRST YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS

LITT 101: INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE AND LITERARY CRITICISM

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) P/T LIBI

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 15/04/2020

8.30 A.M. – 10.30 A.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer question ONE any other TWO questions

1. (a) Define literary criticism and describe its procedure [15 marks]
 - (b) Discuss the nature and functions of literature [15 marks]
 2. Illustrate specific characteristics of a short story with examples from any two short stories [20 marks]
 3. Discuss the effectiveness of figurative language using any two poems [20 marks]
 4. Demonstrate how you would employ definition, exposition and argumentation in your writing. [20 marks]
 5. Identify and evaluate elements of tragicomedy in Francis Imbuga's Betrayal in the city [20 marks]
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