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(A Constituent College of Chuka University)

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

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

LITT 103: LITERARY LANGUAGE AND PRESENTATION

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) YIS2

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: TUESDAY 21/04/2020

11.30 AM – 1.30 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO

1. (a) Use the following texts' information to provide an APA reference list. [15 marks]
- (i) Author: Buchi Emecheta
Title: The Joys of Motherhood
Publisher: Allison & Busby Ltd
Year of publication: 1979
Town: London
 - (ii) Title: A Reader's Guide to African Literature
Editors: Hans Zell and Helene silver
Town: London
Publisher: Heinemann
Year: 1972
 - (iii) Article title: Tradition and Continuity in African Literature
Writer: Kofi Awoonor
Year: 1976
Editor: Rowland Smith
Book Title: Exile and Tradition
Publisher: Longman
Town: London

(iv) Journal Title: The Nairobi Journal of Literature
No. 6
Year 2010
Article: The Four Seasons: A Matter of Style in European Literature
Writer: Anna Mwangi
Page: 1-16

(v) Authors: Sandra Gilbert and Susan Gubar
Title: The Madwoman in the Attic
Year: 1980
Publisher: Yale University Press
Town: London

- (b) Discuss five characteristics of literary language [15 marks]
2. By referring to any literary text studied in this course, show the intricate relationship between the major aspects that make up a text. [20 marks]
3. With relevant illustrations, explain how you would go about conducting a critical reading and response to a literary text. [20 marks]
4. (a) Define a literary essay and evaluate its three critical parts. [10 marks]
- (b) Discuss five characteristics of a good paragraph. [10 marks]
5. Explain each of the following statements
- (i) Inter-textuality [5 marks]
- (ii) Acknowledging sources and plagiarism [5 marks]
- (iii) Bibliography and works cited [5 marks]
- (iv) Paraphrasing and summarizing [5 marks]
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