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## SUPPLEMENTARY / SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS

## EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DEGREE IN BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)

LITT 319/431: EUROPEAN LITERATURE 1(CLASSICAL ANTIQUITY TO THE MIDDLE AGES)

**STREAMS:** 

**TIME: 2 HOURS** 

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 18/11/2020 5.00 A.M - 7.00 P.M.

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer three questions in all.
- Question one is compulsory.
- Avoid duplication of illustrations
- 1. Using any texts studied as a point of reference discuss the features ancient Greek drama.

(30 marks)

- 2. Assess the themes of **politics**, **feminism** and **fate** in *Antigone* by Sophocles. (20 marks)
- 3. Discuss how Dante explores divine justice in his poem *Inferno*. (20 marks)
- 4. "Man is responsible for his destiny". Validate this statement making reference to either the character Jason in *Medea*or Oedipus in *King Oedipus* (20 marks)
- 5. using any text studied in this course discuss how Christianity was presented in the middle ages. (20 marks)

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