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

**GEOG 424: TRANSPORT GEOGRAPHY** 

STREAMS: BED (ARTS) Y4S2 TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: WEDNESDAY 15/04/2020 11.30 A.M. – 1.30 P.M.

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer question ONE and any other THREE questions
- Illustrations, diagrams and examples should be used when necessary
- (a) Examine various modes of transportation studied in geography [12 marks]
  (b) Discuss the role of the transport sub-sector in socio-economic development [10 marks]
  (c) Explain any FOUR roles of the LAPPSET secretariat [8 marks]
  Discuss the main factors influencing investment in logistics and infrastructure by governments [20 marks]
- 3. (a) Examine how development of roads in rural areas is important. [12 marks]
  - (b) Discuss any FOUR factors considered in choosing a mode of transport [8 marks]
- 4. (a) Explain any criteria used in classifying roads in the country [6 marks]
  - (b) Justify why the government of Kenya is investing in the construction of air ports

[8 marks]

- (c) Explain THREE challenges facing the transport industry in Kenya [6 marks]
- 5. Discuss the concept 'sustainable transport' systems in the context of reducing greenhouse gases. [20 marks]

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