

P. O.Box 845-50400 Busia(K) principal@auc.ac.ke
Tel: +254 741 217 185 +254 736 044 469 off Busia-Malaba road

.. Bastion of Knowledge.

OFFICE OF THE DEPUTY PRINCIPAL ACADEMICS, RESEARCH AND STUDENT AFFAIRS

# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR

THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER REGULAR EXAMINATION

## FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF **EDUCATION (ARTS)**

**COURSE CODE: LIT 324** 

COURSE TITLE: WEST AFRICAN DRAMA

DATE: 3<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER, 2020

TIME: 9.00 AM -12.00 NOON

### INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

 SEE INSIDE THIS PAPER CONSISTS OF TWO PRINTED PAGES PLEASE TURN OVER



#### **REGULAR - MAIN EXAM**

#### LIT 324: WEST AFRICAN DRAMA

STREAM: BED (Arts)

**DURATION: 3 Hours** 

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- i. Answer Question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions.
- ii. Avoid duplication of material.
- iii. Do not write on the question paper.

#### **Question One**

- a. Briefly explain your understanding of African Drama. (10 Marks)
- b. Identify and explain the social historical phases/aspects that have shaped the written West African Drama. (20 Marks)

#### **Question Two**

Explain the writer's vision in Ola Rotimi's *The Gods are not to Blame*. (20marks)

#### **Question Three**

Discuss Joe de Graft's presentation of the African continent's historical experiences in Muntu.

(20 marks)

#### **Question Four**

Critically analyze Bole Butake's presentation of political oppression in his play Family Saga. (20marks)

#### **Question Five**

Explore Wole Soyinka's presentation of power struggle in *Kongi's Harvest*. (20 Marks)

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*