



GRETSA UNIVERSITY - THIKA

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS JANUARY - APRIL 2021 SEMESTER

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

COURSE CODE: COMD 307

COURSE TITLE: SOCIAL CHANGE

DATE: 07 MAY 2021

TIME: 8.00 AM – 11.00 AM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. SECTION A IS **COMPULSORY**.
2. SECTION B: ANSWER ANY OTHER **THREE** QUESTIONS.
3. **DO NOT** WRITE ANYTHING ON THIS QUESTION PAPER AS IT WILL BE AN EXAM IRREGULARITY.
4. ALL ROUGH WORK SHOULD BE AT THE BACK OF YOUR ANSWER BOOKLET AND CROSSED OUT.

CAUTION: All exam rooms are under CCTV surveillance during the examination period.

SECTION A: COMPULSORY

QUESTION ONE

- a) What does social change mean to you? **[5 Marks]**
- b) You have newly been appointed as director of a project in Murang'a County. How would you plan and implement social change projects? **[10 Marks]**
- c) Discuss some social changes you may have observed in your community and what do you think has caused them? **[5 Marks]**
- d) Do you think social changes and social movements are similar or different? Explain your answer using relevant examples. **[5 Marks]**
- e) According to you how does transformative change occur? Explain. **[10 Marks]**
- f) Human beings are social and they interact influencing each other. Who has contributed to your current status? **[5 Marks]**

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

QUESTION TWO

- a) With globalization, societies change every time. In light of the statement, giving examples illustrate how such changes can be managed? **[10 Marks]**
- b) Giving examples, illustrate how conflict theory can be identified in Kenyan societies. **[10 Marks]**

QUESTION THREE

- a) COVID 19 pandemic has introduced new social changes in the world. In light of that statement, briefly demonstrate emerging changes you have observed. **[10 Marks]**
- b) As a change agent you are bound to introduce some changes in an organization or the society you work with. Why do you think some people would accept changes while others resist? **[10 Marks]**

QUESTION FOUR

- a) Using relevant examples explain different types of social change policies you would recommend the government to undertake for the community you come from. **[10 Marks]**
- b) Kenyan clinical officers have been on the streets demonstrating about their governments' response to COVID 19. In light of the statement, discuss this kind of Social movement that you may have observed. **[10 Marks]**

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Giving relevant examples describe the role you think technology plays in social change in the community you come from? **[10 Marks]**
- b) How would you encourage developmental changes in a community of your choice? Discuss giving examples. **[10 Marks]**