



# **GRETSA UNIVERSITY - THIKA**

## **UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS JANUARY – APRIL 2020 SEMESTER**

### **CERTIFICATE IN SOCIAL WORK AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**COURSE CODE: CSWC 003**

**COURSE TITLE: BASIC SOCIOLOGY**

**DATE: 10 MAY 2021**

**TIME: 3:00 PM - 5:00**

**PM**

#### **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) Using examples, discuss different types of marriages in Kenya [10 Marks]
- b) With reference to a community you are familiar with, explain the characteristics of culture [10 Marks]
- c) Socialization in the society happens in different types. Discuss using clear examples. [20 Marks]

**SECTION B: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS**

**QUESTION TWO**

- a) Using a community, you are familiar with, explain the means by which children are socialized [14 Marks]
- b) Giving examples, explain the manifestations of culture shock in the society [6 Marks]

**QUESTION THREE**

Explain the application of conflict theory by Karl Marx in our society [20 Marks]

**QUESTION FOUR**

- a) Using relevant examples, outline the defining features of a family [10 Marks]
- b) Using a community, you are familiar with, explain the role that a family plays [10 Marks]

**QUESTION FIVE**

- a) Using examples, explain the various ways in which the society has categorized its members [10 Marks]

- b) Stratification entails certain defining characteristics. Explain [10 Marks]