



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION (ARTS)

AHT 0103: KENYAN POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT

DATE: 28/11/2019

TIME: 8.30-10.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Define the following concepts (10 marks)
- i. Nation
 - ii. Power
 - iii. Sovereignty
 - iv. State.
 - v. Legitimacy.
- b) Examine the structure, the composition and the function of Kenyan parliament according to the constitution of Kenya 2010 (20 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

Discuss the political organization of any kenyan community in the pre-colonial period.

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Evaluate the structure of the kenyan government at independence

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

Discuss the structure of colonial government in colonial Kenya and illustrate the key function of every level of government.

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Examine atleast TEN political and economic challenges facing devolution in Kenya.