



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF LINGUISTICS AND LANGUAGES

SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION

ALT 100: CRITICAL READING AND RESPONSE

Date:

Time:

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question One (Compulsory) and Any Other Two Questions

1. a) Using relevant examples from *Coming to Birth*, analyse the value of critical reading and response (12 marks)
b) Drawing your examples from the play *the Burdens*, respond to the notion that a writer only begins a book, a reader finishes it. (18 marks)
2. Analyse the play *I will Marry when I want* from New Criticism perspective (20 marks)
3. Using a character-oriented approach, analyse Ken Saro Wiwa's *Africa Kills her Sun*. (20 marks)
4. Present a contextual reading of *Kinjeketile*. (20 marks)
5. Present a textual reading of the short-story *Tekayo*. (20 marks)