



# **MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY**

**University Examinations for 2020/2021 Academic Year**

**SCHOOL OF HUMANTIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR**

**BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS**

**AHT 418: SELECTED ISSUES IN EAST AFRICAN HISTORY**

**DATE: 17/8/2021**

**TIME: 8:30 – 10:30 AM**

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## **INSTRUCTIONS.**

### **ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO**

1. a) 'East Africa is the Garden of Eden' discuss the correctness of this statement using archaeological examples to illustrate your answer. (15 marks)
- b) Discuss the relevance of migration and settlement patterns of East Africa in historical discourse. (15 marks)
2. Show how pre-colonial political organization nurtured democracy and transparency. (20 marks)
3. Discuss any three pre-colonial modes of production in East Africa. (20 marks)
4. Examine how gender, ethnicity, refugee and class constitute a challenge to the governance of the East African states today. (20 marks)
5. Discuss the challenges and prospects of regional integration in East Africa. (20 marks)