



**JARAMOGI OGINGA ODINGA UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY.
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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION WITH IT.
3RD YEAR 2ND SEMESTER 2016/2017 ACADEMIC YEAR
KISII CAMPUS – FULL TIME**

COURSE CODE: ARE 316

COURSE TITLE: NEW TESTAMENT I

EXAM VENUE: STREAM: (BED)

DATE: EXAM SESSION:

TIME: 2 HOURS

Instructions:

- 1. Answer Question ONE (COMPULSORY) and ANY other 2 questions**
- 2. Candidates are advised not to write on the question paper.**
- 3. Candidates must hand in their answer booklets to the invigilator while in the examination room.**

1. (a) Distinguish between the word Gospel and Epistle (10 marks).
(b) Using specific examples enumerate the different literary genres of the New Testament documents (20 marks).
2. With reference to the political history of Palestine discuss how the conquests of Alexander the Great contribute to the development of the New Testament documents (20 marks).
3. (a) What is a Canon? (5 marks)
(b) Discuss the Priority of Mark in the search for the solution to the Synoptic Problem (15 marks).
4. (a) Discuss the similarities and differences between the Fourth Gospel and the Synoptic Gospels (14 marks)
(b) Distinguish between Pauline Epistles and the Catholic Epistles (6 marks)
5. Explain the following words as used in the New Testament:
 - (a) Apocalypse (5 marks)
 - (b) Manuscript (5 marks)
 - (c) Synagogue (5 marks)
 - (d) Passover Feast (5 marks)