



**JARAMOGI OGINGA ODINGA UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
SCHOOL OF EDUCATION, HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCE
UNIVERSITY RESIT/SPECIAL EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS WITH IT**

MAIN CAMPUS - REGULAR

COURSE CODE: ZRE 3422

COURSE TITLE: AFRICAN RELIGIONS AND THEOLOGY

EXAM VENUE:

STREAM: (Bed. Arts)

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. Mbiti John (2015) asserts: "Africans are notoriously religious, and each people has its own religious system with a set of beliefs and practices". Discuss.
(30 marks)

2. Discuss the attributes of God's transcendence' and immanence as taught by any African indigenous community. (20 marks)

3. Describe a rite of passage of any African community apart from your own and explain the significance of the ritual involved in it.(20 marks).

4. Critically examine the following terms that were used to refer to African Religion:

- a) Ancestor worship.
- b) Animism
- c) Magic and Witchcraft
- d) Fetishism

(20 marks).

5. African Religion is "primitive", "pagan" and "archaic". Critically discuss the statement by citing appropriate examples. (20 marks).