



**JARAMOGI OGINGA ODINGA UNIVERSITY
OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION 2013/2014**

**3rd YEAR 1st SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION ARTS WITH IT
(SCHOOL BASED)**

MAIN

COURSE CODE: NGE 306

TITLE: URBAN GEOGRAPHY

DATE: 5/5/2013

TIME: 9.00-11.00AM

DURATION: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. This paper contains FIVE (5) questions**
- 2. Answer question 1 (Compulsory) and ANY other 2 Questions**
- 3. Write all answers in the booklet provided**

1. a. Explain the characteristics of urbanization (10 marks)
b. Distinguish between the urban and rural populations (20 marks)
2. Examine the relevance of the concentric model to urban development in Kenya (20 marks)
3. Citing examples, examine the view that the urban problems experienced in developing countries are as a result of poor planning (20 marks)
4. Assess the effects of poverty and population growth to the urban environments in Kenya (20 marks)
5. Explain how policy makers can mitigate the housing problems experienced in third world cities (20 marks)