



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2015/2016

FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS

AGD 100: INTRODUCTION TO GENDER AND DEVELOPMENT

DATE: Monday 14th December, 2015

TIME: 8.00 a.m - 10.00 a.m

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions

1. Using appropriate examples, define the following concepts;
 - i. Gender roles and sex roles (6 marks)
 - ii. Practical Gender Needs and Strategic Gender Needs (6 marks)
 - iii. Gender Equality and Gender Equity (6 marks)
 - iv. Empowerment (4 marks)
 - v. Development (4 marks)
 - vi. Gender analysis (4 marks)
2. With reference to the Global Entrepreneurship Summit recently held in Kenya, give five reasons why the government should promote both women and men empowerment. (20 marks)
3. (a) Define gender mainstreaming (3 marks)
(b) Discuss how gender mainstreaming has been effected in any two of the following sectors of development. (17 marks)
 - i. Education
 - ii. Agriculture
 - iii. Health
 - iv. Leadership
4. Citing examples from any African community, discuss any one rite of passage and how it is used to perpetrate gender inequalities. (10 marks)
5. The social construction of gender affects men and women differently. With reference to a community of your choice, discuss this statement. (20 marks)