



# KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2016/2017

**THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF  
BACHELOR OF ARTS AND BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)  
ARE 105: INTRODUCTION TO AFRICAN RELIGION AND CULTURE**

**DATE:** Monday, 24<sup>th</sup> July 2017

**TIME:** 11.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

**Answer THREE questions, at least ONE from each section.**

**SECTION I**

1. Name and explain THREE misleading terms associated with African Religion.
2. Discuss the uniqueness and functions of African Religion in any Kenyan community you are familiar with.
3. Write a letter to a non African friend explaining why Ancestral cult has survived in African Religious Heritage.

**SECTION II**

4. What is culture? Explain its function and characteristics.
5. (i) What is a rite of passage?  
(ii) Enumerate and explain at least three characteristics of social transformation.
6. Distinguish vertical from horizontal kinship.