



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

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DIGITAL SCHOOL OF VIRTUAL AND OPEN LEARNING

SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE CERTIFICATE IN SPORTS

ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT

HRS 011: TOURNAMENT FORMATS

DATE: WEDNESDAY 20TH JUNE 2018

TIME: 2.00P.M. – 4.00P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER QUESTION ONE(1) AND ANY TWO(2) QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE

Explain any six tournament formats used in sporting competitions. (30 marks)

QUESTION TWO

- i. Using examples, explain two principles applies in awarding a bye.(6 marks)
- ii. Discuss procedures you would use to break a tie during a tournament,(6 marks)
- iii. Explain situations when the following are best used.(8 marks)
 - a) Single elimination(2 marks)
 - b) Double elimination(4 marks)
 - c) Round robin(2 marks)

QUESTION THREE

Elucidate on advantages of the following tournament formats.

- i. Single elimination(10 marks)
- ii. Round robin(10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- i. Explain the rationale for seeding in a sport tournament.(8 marks)
- ii. Discuss the difference between double knockout and triple knockout.(12 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

Discuss the shortcomings of the following:

- a. Single elimination(10 marks)
- b. Round robin(10 marks)

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