



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR
THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES
BACHELOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AND
PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION**

**COURSE CODE: PSA 3234
COURSE TITLE: POLITICS AND GOVERNMENT
IN AFRICA**

DATE: 15TH APRIL, 2019

TIME: 1100 – 1300 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Questions **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions

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QUESTION ONE

- a) “The material conditions that influence and shape African politics include poverty, underdevelopment and dependence”. Explain **(20 marks)**
- b) Examine ways African leaders can use globalization for political benefits in Africa **(10 marks)**

QUESTION TWO

Discuss ways in which traditional African political institutions are relevant to modern governments in Africa **(20 marks)**

QUESTION THREE

Suggest ways African states can free themselves from constraints imposed by neo-colonialism in African politics **(20 marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

“No matter how benevolent, military rule is not an alternative to democratic governments in Africa” Discuss. **(20 marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

Suggest practical ways of enhancing the relevance of women in African politics **(20marks)**

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