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ENGLISH
PAPER 3
JULY/AUGUST 2014
TIME: 2 ½ HOURS

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HOMA-BAY SUB-COUNTY JOINT EVALUATION EXAM

Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education (K.C.S.E.)

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INSTRUCTIONS TO THE CANDIDATES

- Answer **three** questions only
- Questions **one** and **two** are compulsory.
- In question three choose **only one** of the optional texts, for which you have been prepared.
- Where a candidate presents work on more than one optional text, only the first to appear will be marked
- Each of your essay must not exceed **450** words

This paper consists of 2 printed pages. Candidates should check to ascertain that all pages are printed as indicated and that no questions are missing.

1. **Imaginative composition (Compulsory)** (20mks)

Either

- (a) Write a composition beginning with the words

That night was engulfed by pitch darkness that even the devil, the father of evil would be afraid to roam about.....

Or

- (b) Write a composition to illustrate the saying, “**Ignorance has no defence**”

2. **The compulsory set text** (20mks)

The Caucasian chalk circle- Bertolt Brecht

“Where there is a will, there is a way” Write an essay to show what extent you agree with this proposition giving illustration from the play The Caucasian Chalk Circle by Bertolt Brecht

3 **The Optional set text** (20mks)

- (a) The short story **When the Sun Goes Down and Other Stories**

With illustration from Goro wa Kamau’s short story “**When the Sun Goes Down**” Show the challenges people living with HIV/AIDS face

- (b) Dictatorship pushes citizens to the war and they are bound to react often in an extreme manner”.

Write an essay to illustrate this statement basing your answer on Franci’s Imbuga’s **Betrayal in the City**.

- (d) Write an essay illustrating the following saying “In Love all is well that ends well” Refer to the novel **The Whale Rider** by Witi Ihimaera