**FORM 4**

101/3

ENGLISH

PAPER 3

(Creative Composition and Essays based on Set Texts)

Time: 2 ½ Hours

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**Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education**

**Mock Examinations**

**English**

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Answer **three** questions only
2. Questions **one** and **two** are compulsory.
3. In question **three** choose only **one** of the optional texts you have prepared on.
4. Each of your essays must not exceed **450** words
5. All answers to be written in the answer booklet provided.

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| **Question** | **Maximum Score** | **Candidate’s Score** |
| Q1 | 20 |  |
| Q2 | 10 |  |
| Q3 | 30 |  |
| **Total Score** | **60** |  |

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

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER THREE QUESTIONS ONLY**

1. (a) Write a composition beginning with the words; with not tears quashing out, I began running; running ……………………….(20mks)

(b) Write a composition to illustrate the proverb: “Better the devil you know than the angle you do not know” (20mks)

2. Widowhood pushes women to a disadvantaged position in society. Write an essay in support of this statement basing your answer on The River and the Source by *Maragaret Ogola*. (20mks)

3.

1. Drama: Francis Imbuga ‘Betrayal in the City’

Write an essay to illustrate Mosese’s observation that they had killed their past and were busy killing their future. Draw illustrations from Francis Imbuga’s Betrayal in the City (20mks)

1. The Optional Novel ‘ The Whale Rider

Kahu’s love for Koro Apirana is genuine and unreserved. Write an essay to illustrate the truth of this statement, drawing your illustrations form Witi Ihimaera’s novel The Whale Rider (20mks)

1. “Rebels and terror gangs are a menace to any society” write an essay to illustrate the validity of this statement. Basing discussion on Moses Isegawas ‘The war of Ears (20mks)