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**PAPER 3**

**(CREATIVE COMPOSITION AND ESSAYS BASED ON SET TEXTS)**

**MARCH, 2019**

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**Instructions to candidates**

1. Answer **three** questions only.
2. Each of your essays must **not** exceed **450** words.
3. All answers should be written in the spaces provided in this question paper.
4. **Candidates should check the question paper to ascertain that all the pages are printed and no questions are missing.**
5. **Candidates must answer the questions in English**.

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| **Question** | **Maximum**  **Score** | **Candidate’s**  **Score** |
| **1** | **20** |  |
| **2** | **20** |  |
| **3** | **20** |  |
|  | **Total Score** |  |

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

**Either**

1. **Write a story ending with the words...**

“…it then dawned on me that perhaps this is why I had been born”

**Or**

1. **Write a composition agreeing or disagreeing with the statement**

**“**A good name is better than riches”

1. **The Compulsory Set Text H.R Ole Kulet, Blossoms of The Savannah**

**(20mks)**

“Bad decisions can adversely affect our lives”. Write an essay in support of the statement with illustration from the novel

1. **The Novel**

**John Steinbeck, The Pearl. (20mks)**

“The struggle for a share of the pearl brings out the worst in people” Support this statement using illustrations from the text.