101/3 ENGLISH

PAPER 3

TRIAL 2, 2019

TIME: 2½HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Write your details in the spaces provided above.
2. Answer **three** questions only
3. Questions **one** and **two** are **compulsory**
4. In question **three** choose only **one** of the optional texts you have prepared on.
5. Where a candidate presents work on more than one optional text, only the first one to appear will be marked.
6. Each of your essays must **not** exceed **450** words.
7. Candidates should check to ascertain that no questions are missing.

1. **IMAGINATIVE COMPOSITION (20MKS)**

   a) Write a composition ending with the following statement.

   ……a final look at her made me realize that choices have consequences.

   OR

   b) Write a composition to illustrate the proverb, "once beaten twice shy".

2. **COMPULSORY TEXT BLOSSOMS OF THE SAVANNAH H.R OLE KULET (20MKS)**

   Parenting should build an environment of trust and peace in a family. Write an essay that explores how this statement applies to the Ole Kaelo family in Blossoms of the Savannah

3. **OPTIONAL SET BOOKS**

   a) **Drama: David Mulwa: The Inheritance**

   Inheriting a top seat without merit only invites ridicule from subjects. Write an essay showing how satire has been used in The Inheritance by David Mulwa.

   b) **Short stories: Moran (ED) memories we lost.**

   Discuss the major issues highlighted by the writer in the story window seat by Benjamin Branoff.

   c) **John Steinbeck. The Pearl**

   The Pearl potrays humans as beings inherently greedy. Show the validity of this statement with reference to The Pearl.