



UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

SECOND SEMESTER 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

**SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN GEOGRAPHY**

GEOG 223: GEOGRAPHY OF DEVELOPMENT

STREAM: R

TIME: 2 HRS

DAY: TUESDAY [11.30A.M – 1.30P.M]

DATE: 16/04/2024

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF THREE (3) PAGES

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INSTRUCTION:

- (i) Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions
- (ii) Draw relevant diagrams where necessary

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Differentiate between economic development and economic growth **(4 Marks)**
- b) Explain any **FIVE** physical factors influencing economic development in Kenya **(10 Marks)**
- c) Discuss the role of the government in economic development of Kenya **(10 Marks)**
- d) Explain any **THREE** strategies used by the Government of Kenya to eradicate poverty **(6 Marks)**

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Explain any **FIVE** legislations or policies supporting economic development in Kenya **(10 Marks)**
- b) Discuss any **FIVE** political challenges hindering economic development in Kenya **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss the Malthusian Theory and its relevance in economic development **(10 Marks)**
- b) Examine any **FIVE** aspects of the Malthusian Theory **(10 Marks)**

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Using a diagram, explain the Burgess Model of Urban development **(10 Marks)**
- b) Outline any **FIVE** disadvantages of the Burgess Model of urban development **(10 Marks)**



QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Using a legislation or policy, explain the role of gender in development in Kenya **(10 Marks)**
- b) With reference to Kenya, discuss any **FIVE** negative effects of climate change on economic development **(10 Marks)**

