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MAIN EXAMINATION

JANUARY – APRIL 2019 TRIMESTER

FACULTY OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

REGULAR PROGRAMME

SNT 208: FAMILY AND KINSHIP

Date: APRIL 2019

Duration: 2 Hours

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions

- Q1. a) Explain the meaning of the term family and discuss how family relationships are important in the understanding of contemporary society. (20 marks)
- b) Examine the contributions to the making and unmaking of kin relations. (10 marks)
- Q2. Explain the concept of globalization and discuss its impact to marriage relationships and population growth in Africa (20 marks)
- Q3. Using clear illustrations, discuss the challenges facing family as a social institution in Africa. (20 marks)
- Q4. What challenges and opportunities do a gendered approach in parenting offer to studies of family and Kinship? (20 marks)
- Q5. Introduction of new reproductive technologies revolutionized child rearing. Identify its pros and cons in families and society. (20 marks)

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