



FACULTY: Education

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CAMPUS: SWC

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MARKS: 100

NUMBER OF PAGES: 3

INSTRUCTIONS:

1. This paper consists of three questions.
2. Please answer all the questions.
3. Number your answers according to the questions.
4. Write neatly and legibly.

QUESTION 1

Mapungubwe is one of the most significant historical landmarks in Southern Africa.

- 1.1 Mapungubwean society is thought by archaeologists to be the first class-based social system in Southern Africa. Discuss the social structure that existed at the time. (10)
 - 1.2 Is Mapungubwe important in South African, and African, history? Explain your answer. (10)
 - 1.3 Explain, using examples, the historical links between Mapungubwe and Great Zimbabwe. (5)
- (25)**

QUESTION 2

- 2.1 Ancient Egyptians believed in an afterlife. Discuss this process of getting to and living the afterlife. Your discussion should include the burial mummification processes (20)
 - 2.2 Evaluate some of the important scientific advances that were made in early Egyptian history and its significance in our world today. Provide examples to substantiate your answer. Your answer should be between 1 ½ to 2 pages. (20)
- (40)**

QUESTION 3

“After two decades of democracy, South Africa has become a vastly different place politically, racially and socio-economically from what it had been at the start of democracy in 1994. Some dreams of 1994 have been realized; others have been frustrated, put on hold or redirected.” (Booyesen, 2013, p. 12).

Critically evaluate Booysen's view of democracy over the years. In your discussion include:

- A brief background of the apartheid system and its impact on citizens.
- When and how democracy was achieved.
- The development of democracy and citizenship over the past 24 years in South Africa.
- The positive and negative critiques of democracy.

Your essay should be between 2-3 pages.

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TOTAL: 100

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