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**101/3**

**ENGLISH**

**JULY, 2019**

**PAPER 3**

**(Imaginative Composition & Essays based on Set Texts)**

**TIME: 2 ½ Hours**

**BUURI EAST STANDARDS**

***Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education***

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**Instructions to candidates.**

1. Answer three questions only.
2. Candidates must answer questions **One and Two.**
3. Candidates are advised to choose the **Third question** from one of the optional texts they have prepared.
4. In case of contravention of these instructions examiners will mark only the first of the options presented by the candidates and ignore the rest.
5. All your answers should take between 350 and 450 words.

1. **Imaginative Composition.**

**Either**

a) Write a composition which begins with;

***As I approached the gate, I decided to dial his number again…….***

***b) Discuss ways of curbing teenage pregnancies in Kenyan Schools.***

***2. Compulsory text.***

(Success is not a destination but a journey with deliberate delays and detours.” Referring to Resian in ‘ Blossoms of the Savannah’ discuss the validity of this statement.

3. a) Optional Texts

***Drama***

Inheritance – David Mulwa.

“ Poor leadership is the foundation of evil and suffering in any society.” Discuss this statement in relation to David Mulwa’s ‘ Inheritance’

b) Novel

The pearl/ John Steinbeck

“ Overcoming challenges in life is for the strong – willed’ Discuss this assertion in relation to the story.

c) Short Stories

Memories we lost and other stories

“ There is inner strength in every human being to push them through the most devastating experiences” Discuss. This statement drawing your illustrations from Mariatu Kamara’s ‘ The President’.

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