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**END OF TERM ONE EXAMINATION**

**FORM TWO**

**BUSINESS STUDIES**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS:**

a). Write your name, class and Admission number in the spaces provided above.

b).Answer all the questions

c). All answers must be written in the space provided in this booklet.

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TOTAL MARKS

1. Outline four sources of capital for a sole-proprietorship type of Business. (4mks)

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2. Classify the following trade as home trade or foreign trade.

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| Trade | Classification |
| a)Import trade |  |
| b)Retail trade |  |
| c) Export trade |  |
| d) Wholesale trade |  |

3. State four disciplines that are studied in Business studies. (4mks)

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4. List four ways in which government creates a viable working environment for business people. (4mks)

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5. Highlight four external factors that may negatively influence the operation of a business. (4mks)

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b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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6. Outline four characteristics of secondary wants. (4mks)

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7. Highlight four benefits of proper filling to a business organization. (4mks)

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8. Highlight four factors that may lead to success of a business. (4mks)

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9. Outline four advantages of division of labour. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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10. State four types of complaints that consumer organization may receive from consumers. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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11. State four circumstances under which co-operative society may be dissolved. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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12. List four forms of retail businesses that a school leaver may engage in. (4mks)  
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b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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13. Highlight any four personal attributes that a personal secretary should possess. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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14. A business opportunity exist where there is a market gap. Outline four such market gaps. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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15. In the spaces provided below, indicate the type of utility created by each of the following business

activities.

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| **Commercial activity** | **Types Utility** |
| 1. Selling goods to customers |  |
| 1. Transporting goods. |  |
| 1. Store keeping |  |
| 1. Making chair |  |

16. Give four differences between goods and services. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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17. State whether each of the following factors fall under micro-environment or macro-environment.

(4mks)

1. Competitive environment.
2. Legal-political environment.
3. Business structure
4. Business culture.

18. Give four public utilities that the county government of Meru provides to its citizens. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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19. List four contents of memorandum of association. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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20. Outline four circumstances under which a trader would prefer to be paid in cash rather than other means of payments. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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21. Outline four factors that should be considered before buying office equipment. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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22. Reasons why a business should prepare a business plan.

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b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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23. For each of the following production activities indicate whether it is a direct or indirect type of

Production.

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| Activity | Types of production |
| 1. An individual washing his own clothes |  |
| 1. An individual supplying beef. |  |
| 1. An individual operating a kiosk |  |
| 1. An individual producing maize for his family’s consumption |  |

24. State four roles of the Nairobi Stock Exchange Market as a market for securities. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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d) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

25. Outline four characteristics of a supermarket. (4mks)

a) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

b) ……………………………………………………………………………………………………………

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