



**MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF  
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY  
(MMUST)**

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**MAIN EXAM**

**THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER**

**FOR THE DEGREE  
OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)**

**COURSE CODE: HIS 112**

**COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO WORLD CIVILIZATION I**

**DATE: 18/12/2023**

**TIME: 03:00 – 05:00PM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

**ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**MMUST OBSERVES ZERO TOLERANCE TO EXAMINATION  
CHEATING**

1. a) By drawing relevant examples, assess the factors that make Africa be regarded as 'The Cradle Land of Humanity'. (15 Marks)  
  
b) Why is the so called Greek Philosophy considered to be 'Stolen African Legacy'. (15 Marks)
2. Give reasons that qualify Mesopotamia to be called 'The Cradle of World Civilization'. (20 Marks)
3. Examine the intellectual and social achievements associated with the Age of Renaissance in continental Europe (20 Marks)
4. 'The Africans of ancient Egypt created a civilization which forms the great opening chapter of the history of Africa we know today'. Assess this statement. (20 Marks)
5. How significant was The Agrarian Revolution in human civilization? (20 Marks)
6. Which role did Martin Luther play in the rise of the Age of Reformation? (20 Marks)