



**AFRICA
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**COLLEGE OF SOCIAL SCIENCES, THEOLOGY, HUMANITIES
AND EDUCATION**

NEFN100 SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION

END OF SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

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LECTURER: Dr. P. Muchemwa-Munasirei

DURATION: 3HRS

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- 1. Do NOT write your name on the answer sheet**
 - 2. Answer THREE questions only**
 - 3. Begin your answer for each question on a new page**
 - 4. Each question is worth 20 marks**
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1. Applying the knowledge and experience you have gained from learning this course, highlight the importance of taking sociology of education course.
2. Using practical examples, assess the role of socializing agents to individuals.
3. Compare and contrast the views of functionalist and conflict theories with regards to the function of education. Use examples to support your answer.
4. Examine the applicability of the functions of the family in contemporary society according to the functionalist perspective.
5. Analyze how the technological revolution is impacting the education system in Africa.