UNIVERSITY EXAMMINATION 2017/2018

SCHOOL OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF HUMANITIES

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

REGULAR

UNIT CODE: BHU3114 UNIT TITLE: HISTORY OF WEST AFRICA 1

DATE: 13TH AUGUST 2018 11.00PM MAIN EXAM TIME 2HRS

INSTRUCTIONS:

ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

1. a) Outline the importance of studying the history of Africa in parts (5marks)

b) What were the reasons for the formation of states in west africa (5marks)

c) Explain the importance of geographical features in west africa (10marks)

d) Give an account of the role of Sumni Ali towards Songhai rising to power (10marks)

1. a) Discuss the role of Sundiata Keita towards ancient mali rising power (10marks)

b) Why did mali decline from power (10marks)

1. Assess the factors that led to the scramble and partition of west African states (20marks)
2. Discuss the impacts of trans-atlantic trade on early inhabitants of west africa (20marks)
3. Examine the origin and the impacts of Islamic religion in west africa (20marks)