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KIBABII UNIVERSITY

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2019/2020 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER
MAIN EXAMINATION
FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS)**

COURSE CODE: HIS 212

COURSE TITLE: THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA SINCE 1775

DATE: DECEMBER 16, 2019

TIME: 3 – 5 PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions.

TIME: 2 HOURS

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QUESTION 1

- a) Explain the causes of the American war of independence (15 marks)
- b) Assess the impact of the American war of independence (15 marks)

QUESTION 2

Analyze the major contributions of James Madison as one of the founding fathers of the USA (20 marks)

QUESTION 3

- ✓ Describe the founding of the United States of America as a new nation (20 marks)

QUESTION 4

- ✓ Explain the factors that led to rapid industrialization in the USA after the Civil War (20 marks)

QUESTION 5

Critically, analyze the impact of Reconstruction on African-Americans in the USA (20 marks)