



# **THE KENYA POLYTECHNIC UNIVERSITY**

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**DEPARTMENT OF INSTITUTIONAL MANAGEMENT**

**DIPLOMA IN CLOTHING TECHNOLOGY**

**END OF YEAR I EXAMINATIONS**

**NOVEMBER 2007 SERIES**

**FASHION DESIGN**

**3 HOURS**

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*You should have the following for this examination.*

- *H pencils*
- *Coloured pencils or water colours*
- *Eraser*

*Answer any FIVE of the following SIX questions*

*All questions carry equal marks*

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1. a) Sketch FIVE types of skirt silhouettes and apply the following:
  - i) Godets
  - ii) Handkerchief hemline
  - iii) Accordion pleats
  - iv) Draped over wrap front
  - v) Cowl (15 marks)
- b) Describe THREE categories of collars (3 marks)
- c) Outline FOUR types of Lines (2 marks)
2. a) Draw a Bridal evening wear, include FIVE different suitable design details and name them.
- b) Shade the garment with suitable colours for the occasion
- c) Show THREE accessories required to complete the attire (20 marks)
3. Sketch fashion figures into the following poses:
  - i) While weight is on the right leg
  - ii) While figure is in motion but weight is distributed evenly (20marks)
4. a) Sketch a fashions figure in motion, cloth it and apply the following principles and elements of design in the garment
  - i) Rhythm
  - ii) Line
  - iii) Balance
  - iv) Focal point (20marks)
5. Different communities may have different names for garments they often wear. Describe and illustrate the following garments and state their community of origin.
  - i. Sari
  - ii. Bandana
  - iii. Poncho
  - iv. Kimono
  - v. Kitenge (20marks)
6. Illustrate the following design details
  - i) Keyhole neckline with cap sleeves

- ii) Pencil skirt with peplum
- iii) Puffed sleeve with drawstring cuff
- iv) Maxi shirt dress
- v) Mini skirt with accordion pleats (20marks)

7. a) Describe the design features of the garment sketched below (14marks)

b) Suggest the best kind of collar for the following types of people.

- i) One with a narrow chin and narrow shoulder.
- ii) One with a wide face and wide shoulders. (6marks)