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**PAPER 3**

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# KAPSABET BOYS HIGH SCHOOL KCSE TRIAL AND PRACTICE EXAM 2016

## PAPER 3

### (CREATIVE COMPOSITION AND ESSAYS BASED ON SET TEXTS)

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*Answer THREE questions only*

1. Imaginative Composition (Compulsory).

(20mks)

**Either**

- (a) Write a story ending with the following words:  
...‘The experience left a permanent scar in my heart.’

**Or**

- (b) Write a composition justifying or refuting this statement:  
“The Government is justified in its plan to provide laptops to pupils in class one.”

2. Novel (Compulsory)

The River and the Source is an exploration of African traditions as was bombarded by irresistible winds of change. Using the novel for your illustrations, write an essay to show the truth of this statement.  
(20mks)

3. Optional Set Texts

**Either**

- (a) Short Stories, When the sun Goes Down and other stories.

The reason that makes people want to leave home and go abroad is that their mother country pushes them away. Using illustrations from leaving by Moyez G, Vassanji, show the validity of this statement.  
(20mks)

**OR**

- (b) Drama, Francis Imbuga, Betrayal in the City.

“In a dictatorial regime; the prisoners are not only the incarcerated.” Drawing illustrations from Imbuga’s Betrayal in the City, write an essay to justify this statement. (20mks)

**OR**

- (c) The Novel, Witi Ihimaera, The Whale Rider.

“Change can sometimes be detrimental to the set order of things in a society.” Drawing your illustrations from Witi Ihimaera’s, The Whale Rider, Write an essay in support of this statement  
(20mks)