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<b>QUALIFICATION : BACHELOR OF ENGLISH</b>	
<b>QUALIFICATION CODE: 07BAEN</b>	<b>LEVEL: 6</b>
<b>COURSE CODE: LTD611S</b>	<b>COURSE NAME: LITERARY DRAMA</b>
<b>SESSION: JUNE 2019</b>	<b>PAPER: THEORY</b>
<b>DURATION: 3 HOURS</b>	<b>MARKS: 75</b>

<b>FIRST OPPORTUNITY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER</b>	
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>INSTRUCTIONS</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Indicate whether you are a FT, PT or DE student on the cover of your answer booklet.</li><li>2. Answer ALL the questions and number the answers correctly.</li><li>3. Write clearly and neatly.</li><li>4. You will be penalised for mistakes in grammar, spelling and punctuation.</li></ol>
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**THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF 2 PAGES (including this front page)**

**Answer ALL (3) of the following questions.**

**Question 1**

**(25 marks)**

Write an essay in which you compare and contrast the Elizabethan Age with life today in Namibia.

**Question 2**

**(25 marks)**

A Shakespearean comedy often involves complex twists of plot and usually ends in marriage. A Shakespearean tragedy involves a hero whose downfall is the focus of the play. British actor Peter Ustinov said once in an interview, "A comedy is just a tragedy gone wrong, and a tragedy is just a comedy gone wrong." Using evidence from the play, write a **persuasive** essay in which you convince your readers that *The Merchant of Venice* is either a comedy or a tragedy.

**Question 3**

**(25 marks)**

Write a review of the play *Romeo and Juliet* by William Shakespeare. (Do not merely retell the story.)

**(TOTAL: 75 marks)**

**End of question paper**