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DURATION: 3 HOURS	MARKS: 100

SUPPLEMENTARY/SECONDARY OPPORTUNITY EXAMINATION QUESTION PAPER	
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INSTRUCTIONS	
<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. This is an OPEN BOOK exam.2. Answer ALL the questions, related to the compulsory question.3. Write clearly and neatly.4. Number the answers clearly.	

PERMISSIBLE MATERIALS

1. Any material related to the subject.
2. Students have been issued with the exam paper before sitting for the exam.

THIS QUESTION PAPER CONSISTS OF 2 PAGES (Including this front page)

QUESTION 1

Select **five global trends** – one each from the five areas of development, namely:

- economics (producing products and services);
- politics (a common concern);
- aesthetics (inspiration and beauty);
- ethics (harmony, consciousness and peace);
- and education, science and technology (understanding and insight).

You are not allowed to select Climate Change, Covid 19 or HIV/AIDS, that affect most countries in the world and articulate what follow and discuss what follow.

- a) A **topic** that is clear and focused. (2)
- b) A short and concise **description of the topic** in the form of a paragraph, and a specific **timeframe (since which year approximately?)** associated with the trend based on valid and reliable proof. (3)
- c) Provide **empirical evidence in the form of quantitative (statistics) and qualitative proof** that what you propose is a global trend associated with a specific timeframe? (5)
- d) **What** will be the negative impact if **nothing is to be done** about it worldwide, with reference to individual states, and states in a regional block formation, e.g., the African Continental Free Trade Agreement (AFCFTA). (5)
- e) Develop five (5) **strategies** (answer the how question and explain them) that can be applied to harness the most **positive impact** of the trend. (5)

Every trend counts (20) marks.

Total (100)