

UNIVERSITY OF FORT HARE

HISTORY of Art

HAR 122

SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATIONS

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Time: 3 Hours
Subject: HAR 122
Marks: 100

This paper consists of 3 pages including the cover page

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INSTRUCTIONS

Answer FOUR (4) questions only
Start each question on a new page
Make sure you understand the question before you answer
Each question is worth 25 marks

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QUESTION 1

Discuss the historical background of Noria Mabasa and the challenges and she experienced leading to her being chosen as a sculptor.

In your discussions give your opinion in support of her (dream visions and her Venda Cultural Traditions) to explain the challenges she had encountered before she could be a sculptor. [25]

QUESTION 2

Discuss George Pemba as a township Artist, traditional portraits artist and Social Realism artist and the role he played during the apartheid era.

In your discussion support your opinion by explaining the style and subject matter used to approach his paintings that made him a Pioneer artist. [25]

QUESTION 3

Discuss the profile and the historical background of George Pemba and Gerard Sekoto and their influences and training as artists up to the time when they started working.

In your discussion compare and contrast their similarities and differences in their historical background and influences that were to shape their future up to the time when they started working. [25]

QUESTION 4

Discuss Noria Mabasa's early clay and wooden sculptures that she had made.

In your discussions support your opinion while explaining the stylistic representation that influenced her to make those sculptures. [25]

QUESTION 5

Discuss the paintings by Gerard Sekoto from the time when he arrived in Sophiatown, District Six, Eastwood and Senegal.

In your discussion clarify the role his subject matter and style of paintings, has influenced his paintings.

In your discussions while supporting your opinion explain the well-known paintings he has painted while in Sophiatown, District Six, Eastwood and Senegal. [25]