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EXAMINATION PAPER

COURSE CODE : ASW 214
COURSE TITLE : SOCIAL RESEARCH METHODS I
EXAMINER : MR MANZVERA
DURATION : 3 Hours
DATE : 28 NOV 2022
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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. Answer any THREE questions only.
2. Each question carries equal marks.
3. Start each question on a new page of your answer sheet..

Question 1

Examine any **three** key philosophies underpinning research

Question 2

The director in the Ministry of Public Service, Labour and Social Welfare has commissioned you to conduct a research on " factors causing increase in the number child-headed families in Epworth', justify the appropriateness of mixed methodology to conduct this study

Question 3

In not more than three hundred words write short explanatory notes on the following:

- a) confidentiality
- b) informed consent
- c) sampling

Question 4

Gatekeepers and politics are some of the main challenges you are likely to encounter while conducting a study in Kuwadzana, how will you mitigate those challenges

Question 5

Outline and discuss the limitations of secondary data when trying to come up with health policies

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