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EXAMINATION PAPER

COURSE CODE : ASW223
COURSE TITLE : Research Methods 2
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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:
THE PAPER CONTAINS TWO SECTIONS.**

SECTION A:

1. Question 1 is compulsory.

SECTION B:

1. Answer any **other two** questions from **SECTION B**.
2. Each question carries 100 Marks.
3. Start each question on a new page of your answer sheet.

QUESTION 1

Of late, suicidal issues have been rampant in Zimbabwe amongst the youths. Briefly examine components of a research proposal for this phenomenon.

SECTION B

QUESTION 2

Demonstrate how research ensures the trustworthiness, credibility, and validity of research findings.

QUESTION 3

Examine the sampling techniques for both qualitative and quantitative research.

QUESTION 4

There are various data collection methods that can be used when carrying out research. Justify the most suitable data collection method in a study of Corona Virus.

QUESTION 5

Discuss the philosophical assumptions that guide scientific research.

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