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INFORMATION AND DEVELOPMENT
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Second Semester Examination Paper

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This examination paper consists of 2 pages

Time Allowed: 3 hours

Total Marks: 100

Special Requirements: None

Examiner's Name: Mr. E. Mackina

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Answer any four (4) questions.
2. Give equal time to all questions you choose.
3. Each question carries 25 marks.
4. Importance is attached to clear presentation of ideas, good expression and legibility of handwriting.

MARK ALLOCATION

QUESTION	MARKS
1.	25
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1. Assess the link between information centres and Zimbabwe's national development. [25 marks]
2. Demonstrate the role of the following information principles in both personal and communal development:
 - 2.1 Multilingualism [5 marks]
 - 2.2 Preservation [5 marks]
 - 2.3 Research [5 marks]
 - 2.4 Literacy [5 marks]
 - 2.5 Policy making [5 marks]
3. Critique the activities through which citizen participation influences good governance. [25 marks]
4. Illustrate how the values of professional skills, transparency, access to information and neutrality are key in eradicating nepotism, embezzlement, censorship and the digital divide. [25 marks]
5. Evaluate how libraries have been instrumental in making young people to practice democracy in Zimbabwe. [25 marks]
6. Assess the impact of the following technologies have helped in developing communities:
 - 6.1 Drones [5 marks]
 - 6.2 Cloud Computing [5 marks]
 - 6.3 Social Media [5 marks]
 - 6.4 Open Source Software [5 marks]
 - 6.5 Vlogging [5 marks]