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TITLE OF PAPER

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TIME ALLOWED

TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. ANSWER ANY THREE (3) QUESTIONS.
- 2. ALL QUESTIONS CARRY EQUAL MARKS.

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OUESTION 1

Organizations assume different forms. Discuss, with examples from Swaziland.

QUESTION 2

Why is it important to look at organizations as systems? Illustrate with examples from Swaziland.

QUESTION 3

Diversity is a prerequisite for organizational survival in contemporary society. Discuss.

QUESTION 4

Explain how the United States of America integrated the Japanese philosophy of organizations.

QUESTION 5

Why is environmental uncertainty not good for organizations? Illustrate using examples from Swaziland.

QUESTION 6

Can leaders also be followers in organizations? Discuss, illustrating with examples from Swaziland.