**GROUP WORK (20 Marks)**Submit the word write-up and PowerPoint presentation by 8th June 2025

**Group 1**

**Presentation Date: 26th May 2025**

1. Lucy Wanjeri
2. David Gatei
3. Consolata Adipo
4. Lewis Kariuki
5. Murigi Victor

**Question:** How can cultural heritage be effectively preserved while ensuring accessibility for future generations?

**Guiding topics:**

1. Ethical considerations in preserving diverse cultural heritage materials
2. Strategies for documenting and preserving indigenous knowledge systems
3. Challenges of digital preservation for cultural heritage collections
4. Collaborative approaches between institutions and source communities
5. Impact of environmental conditions on cultural heritage preservation
6. Balance between access and conservation for rare cultural materials
7. Compare preservation methods for tangible versus intangible cultural heritage

**Group 2**

**Presentation Date: 26th May 2025**

1. Beatrice Kambo
2. Derick Arena
3. Nesta Sila
4. Kevin Mbugua
5. Zoreen Otieno

**Question:** What constitutes an effective disaster management plan for information resources?

**Guiding topics:**

1. Components of a comprehensive disaster plan for information repositories
2. Risk assessment methodologies for identifying potential threats to collections
3. Emergency response procedures for different types of disasters
4. Recovery strategies for various information formats after disaster events
5. Staff training requirements for effective disaster response implementation
6. Role of documentation in disaster recovery operations

**Group 3**

**Presentation Date: 9th June 2025**

1. Mercy Chemtai
2. Promise Mbalu
3. Ann Nyokabi
4. Philip Musumba
5. Joseph Kimani

**Question:** How can integrated pest management principles be effectively implemented in information resource environments?

**Guiding topics:**

1. Key components of an integrated pest management program
2. Monitoring techniques for early pest detection in collections
3. Prevention strategies for common pests affecting information materials
4. Treatment options that balance effectiveness with collection safety
5. Staff roles and responsibilities in pest management implementation
6. Documentation methods for tracking pest activity and interventions
7. Environmental modification approaches for pest control

**Group 4**

**Presentation Date: 9th June 2025**

1. Perpetuah Wanjiku
2. Brian Makori
3. Aloyce Dache
4. Aggatha Mwandurya

**Question:** What elements constitute an effective institutional preservation program?

**Guiding topics:**

1. Resource allocation strategies for sustainable preservation programs
2. Staffing models and training requirements for preservation activities
3. Assessment methodologies for measuring preservation program effectiveness
4. Integration of preservation concerns into overall institutional planning
5. Advocacy approaches for securing preservation funding
6. Relationship between preservation programs and institutional mission

**Group 5**

**Presentation Date: 16th June 2025**

1. Nicole Anyango
2. Michael Kuria
3. Odao Moureen
4. Shem Mutugi

**Question:** How are emerging technologies and environmental challenges transforming preservation practices for information resources?

**Guiding topics:**

1. Impact of climate change on preservation planning and practices
2. Challenges in preserving born-digital and social media content
3. Application of artificial intelligence in conservation decision-making
4. Blockchain and distributed systems for digital preservation
5. Ethical considerations in emerging preservation technologies