



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF FASHION DESIGN AND MARKETING

FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (COMMUNITY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT)

HCM 100: INTRODUCTION TO COMMUNITY RESOURCE MANAGEMENT

DATE: 27/1/2022

TIME: 8.30-10.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS

This paper consists of **five questions**.

Answer Question 1 and any other **two** questions

Question 1 carries 30 marks

Question 2-5 carry 20 marks each

QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY) (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain the following terms
 - i. Resource Management (2 marks)
 - ii. Community participation (2 marks)
 - iii. Sustainable development (2 marks)
- b) Differentiate between rural community and urban community (5 marks)
- c) Analyze Five Key principles of community resource management (5 marks)
- d) To make sure that community resources are sustainably managed, integrated social-economic and environmental dimensions of community development are key. Expound this using the three legged stool of sustainability. (6 marks)
- e) To fully appreciate and protect our environment, we need to consider all its value. Explain 4 value categories of environmental resource. (8 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) You have recently got employed by an organization working in Kajiado County. Giving examples, discuss the 4 steps you will follow to map out the community resources you're working with. (16 marks)
- b) Explain Four characteristics of a community (4 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

As an employee of Machakos County, which is promoting sustainable development, you're tasked to lead the sustainability program. Discuss giving examples the Four principles of sustainability which will guide your work

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Resilience is a term which is becoming common in the NGO world. As a community resource expert, discuss 5 actions you would take to build a resilient community. (10 marks)
- b) Explain Five indicators of a resilient community. (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

As a community Resource management practitioner, discuss the **Five (5)** principles of community resource management which guide your work in the community.