



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2013/2014

**FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIOLOGY WITH
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(CITY CAMPUS – EVENING)**

ASO 415: POLITICAL SOCIOLOGY

Date: 20th November, 2013

Time: 5.30 - 7.30 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer ANY THREE questions.**

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Answer **THREE** questions.

1. Examine the major functions of the state and explain how they affect families and local communities. (23.3 marks)
2. Citing relevant examples, discuss the three dimensions of state autonomy in the Kenyan society. (23.3 marks)
3. Discuss various factors that influence participation of citizens in political activities of their nation. (23.3 marks)
4. According to Max Weber, power holders tend to use power to further their own interests. Demonstrate how this influences welfare programs in Kenya. (23.3 marks)
5. Examine the effects of the International Criminal Court (ICC) on the current Kenyan politics. (23.3 marks)
6. Is globalization a blessing or a curse to the politics of developing countries? Support your answers with relevant examples. (23.3 marks)