



**MASENO UNIVERSITY**  
**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2013/2014**

**SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE  
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS (INTERIOR DESIGN) WITH  
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY  
(MAIN CAMPUS)**

**ADI 209: FLOWERS AND PLANTS FOR INTERIORS**

Date: 4<sup>th</sup> April 2014

Time: 11.15 a.m. – 1.30 p.m.

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer ALL questions from SECTION A (COMPULSORY) – 30 marks.
- Answer ANY TWO questions from Section B (20 marks).



## SECTION A (30 MARKS)

Answer ALL questions in this section in the answer booklets provided

1. Define the following terms as used in flowers and plants for interiors:
    - a) Plant
    - b) Moss
    - c) Landscape
    - d) Hedge (4 marks)
  2. a) Differentiate between:
    - i) Foliage and flower (4 marks)
    - ii) Succulents and cacti (3 marks)b) List three advantages of using red clay pots for flowers and plants (3 marks)
  - c) Suggest three points that guide the choice of containers for flowers and plants (3 marks)
3. a) Briefly expound on the importance of drainage for flowers and plants (5 marks)
  - b) Identify three activities a plant will be able to do in good compost (3 marks)
  - c) Give and explain five components of good compost (5 marks)

4. a) Explain the term climbers (1 mark)  
b) Identify two types of climbers (2 marks)

**SECTION B (20 Marks)**

Answer ANY TWO QUESTIONS from this section in the answer booklet provided. Begin each question on a new page

5. Enumerate the process of creating a landscape with cacti (10 marks)
6. Outline the use of the following in a garden:
- a) Roses (5 marks)  
b) Lawns (5 marks)
7. Describe the process of drying flowers using a desiccant (10 marks)
8. Expound on the basic guidelines for flower arrangement (10 marks)