



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2015/2016

**THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MUSIC WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

MAIN CAMPUS

ADT 305: ACTING I

Date: 7th January, 2016

Time: 11.00 - 1.00pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Attempt ANY THREE Questions..**



1. Why is it important that before a rehearsal or performance on stage, a performer must undertake exercises on relaxation and concentration? Describe of any one such exercises. [10 marks]

2. Movement has direction and strength. Give examples from any play you participated in on the course (ADT 305) to explain this statement. [10 marks]

3. Analyze one physical and one psychological obstacle that actors come across on stage and explain how they can surmount them. [10 marks]

4. Imagine that you are an adjudicator during the Kenya Schools Drama Festivals where many performers exhibited problems in crossing and turning. What comments would you make about crossing and turning to help them improve on their performances? [10 Marks]

5. Discuss how you can effectively employ gestures in acting by using the face and eyes. [10 Marks]