



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2016/2017

**FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN ANTHROPOLOGY WITH
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

CITY CAMPUS – EVENING

ASA 410: ANTHROPOLOGY OF POVERTY

Date: 21st November, 2016

Time: 5.30 - 8.30pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer ANY THREE Questions.



1. Discuss the anthropological view of poverty in terms of not only economics, but also capability and social exclusion. (23.3marks)
2. Explain how Participatory Poverty Assessment can strengthen the understanding and response to poverty in developing countries. (23.3 marks)
3. Discuss factors that have led to the continued poverty experienced in various parts of Kenya despite having been singled out at independence as one of the worst enemies to fight. (23.3 marks)
4. Explain why agribusiness initiatives aimed at reducing poverty among the youth in Kenya show slow take off. (23.3 marks)
5. Assess any ONE critical theory that explains poverty in developing countries. (23.3 marks)
6. Explain the role of civil organizations in poverty reduction in Kenya. (23.3 marks)