



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2016/2017

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

CITY CAMPUS – REGULAR

ASO 401: CLASS, POWER AND INEQUALITY

Date: 21st November, 2016

Time: 9.00 - 12.00pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer ANY THREE Questions.



1. Using examples, discuss the class differences that exist in any seven aspects of life. 23.3 marks
2. Explain any five reasons for disparities that exists in the social stratification ladder in Kenya. 23.3 marks
3. Analyze the manifestations of power relations in family characteristics in the Africa. 23.3 marks
4. Discuss the concept of class and inequality as posited by Pierre Bourdieu. 23.3 marks
5. Examine how the four general approaches to explaining poverty can be attributed to class. 23.3 marks
6. Give a critique of Marx's utopian view of a classless society. Use examples from Kenya to support your answer. 23.3 marks