



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2016/2017

**FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE
POST-GRADUATE DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION**

CITY CAMPUS – SCHOOL BASED

EDF 512: SOCIOLOGY AND COMPARATIVE EDUCATION

Date: 21st December, 2016

Time: 7.00 - 10.00 am

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer ANY THREE questions at least ONE from each section.

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SECTION A: Sociology of Education

1 "Management of the examination process must reflect integrity aspirations of the nation", Using the conflict theory of sociology of education, identify key issues with the management of examinations in Kenya and measures taken to address them. **(23.3 Marks)**

2 a) Using relevant examples, discuss the relationship the concepts of socialization process and education. **(10 Marks)**

b) Discuss the socialization role of school as an agent of formal socialization of secondary students in Kenya. **(13. 3 Marks)**

3 Using examples from your community, explain how the leadership style of the teacher in the classroom influences his influence and authority in the class and school. **(23.3Marks)**

Section B Comparative Education

4. a) Give any TWO definitions of Comparative Education. **(5 Marks)**
b) Outline Five Contributions of comparative Education to teacher trainees **(15marks)**
5. Select any TWO methods in the study of Comparative Education, giving the advantages and the disadvantages of each. **(20 Marks)**
6. a) Enumerate at least FIVE problems that face women in Leadership in higher education in Kenya. **(10 marks)**
b) Suggest ways in which women leadership in higher education can be enhanced **(10marks)**