



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2015/2016

**SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN ENVIRONMENTAL
SCIENCE WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

MAIN CAMPUS

NES 201: SOCIAL DIMENSIONS OF DEVELOPMENT

Date: 10th January, 2016

Time: 11.00 - 1.00 pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions.



1. a. Briefly, explain the term Social Dimensions of Development. (10 marks)
b. Differentiate between the following:
 - (i) Health disparities and health care disparities. (4 marks)
 - (ii) Gender and gender roles. (4 marks)c. Gender inequalities in rural African households expose women to greater risks of poverty as compared to men."Justify this statement. (12 marks)
2. "Socio-economic disparities and environmental risks operate in a circular fashion." Discuss with examples. (20 marks)
3. Explain the role played by the 2009 Kenya Economic Stimulus Programme (ESP) in addressing food security and youth empowerment. (20 marks)
4. Environmental conservation is a key priority area for poverty reduction in developing Countries." Discuss. (20 marks)
5. Explain the major bottle-necks of globalization of resources. (20 marks)
6. Kisumu County Government has allocated Kshs. 100 million to a water and sanitation project in Migosi Estate. You have been appointed to spear-head this project. Explain how you would apply the concept of "participation as an end" to ensure the success and sustainability of this project. (20 marks)