



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2016/2017

**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DIPLOMA
IN SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION**

CITY CAMPUS

**EDSE 0111: EDUCATIONAL ASSESSMENT AND EARLY
INTERVENTION**

Date: 9th June, 2017

Time: 2.00 - 5.00 pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions.



QUESTION ONE

(a) Explain the term "Educational assessment" (2 marks)

(b) List three types of assessments (3 marks)

(c) Explain any three roles of the following professionals in the assessment process

(i) Teacher (2 marks)

(ii) Psychologist (2 marks)

(iii) Ophthalmologist (2 marks)

(d) Explain any three reasons why background information is necessary before a child is assessed? (6 marks)

(e) State any three activities you may use to test a child with motor difficulties? (3 marks)

(f) Explain any three reasons why a child should be born in the hospital (3 marks)

(g) What is a small home (2 marks)

QUESTION TWO

(2) Explain how the E test is used to measure vision to a 5 year old child? (15 marks)

QUESTION THREE

- (2) Discuss any five objectives of setting up Educational Assessment and Resource Centers in Kenya. (15 marks)

QUESTION FOUR

- (3) Explain any five activities that may be undertaken by an assessor after the administration of a tests to a child with a disability (15 marks)

QUESTION FIVE

4. You have been invited to a seminar of parents who have children with special needs. Discuss five ways you may counsel them in reference to Causes and prevention of disabilities? (15marks)