

MASENO UNIVERSITY **UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2015/2016**

THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

MAIN CAMPUS

AEN 310: RESEARCH METHODS

Date: 29th April, 2016

Time: 11.00 - 1.00 pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions.

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- Design a sample questionnaire to research a specific research problem. (30 mks)
- Explain how the following are arrived at and indicate their significance in language research:
 - a) Range
 - b) Mean
 - c) Median
 - d) Mode

(20 mks)

- With appropriate illustrations, explain the concept 'research variable'. (20 mks)
- Illustrate the relationship between research objectives and statement of the problem in research. (20 mks)
- Identify and explain the use of any THREE data collection methods. (20 mks)