

MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF ARTS & SOCIAL SCIENCES**

**BACHELOR OF ARTS (SOCIAL WORK)**

**COURSE CODE: SWK 3122**

**COURSE TITLE: ADOLESCENCE**

**DATE: 3RD DECEMBER, 2018 TIME: 0830 – 1030 HRS**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

* Question **1** is compulsory.
* Answer any other **TWO** questions

*This paper consists of 2 printed pages please turn over.*

1. a) Discuss the common health problems in adolescents, and explain how they can be prevented? **(10 marks)**

b) Explain the factors determining the wellbeing of adolescents.

**(10 marks)**

c) Citing relevant examples describe how adolescents can be facilitated to find a place in the world by establishing a career direction and economic independence. **(10 marks)**

# a) Explain Piaget's Stages of Cognitive Development and demonstrate the relevance of every stage in the cognitive development of an adolescent. (10 marks)

b) Describe Ericson’s Psychosocial Stages of Personality Development.

**(10 marks)**

1. a) Explain how a social worker can foster healthy relationships between parents and adolescent children**. (10 marks)**

b) Describe the Generalist Intervention Model (GIM) with adolescents and demonstrate the relevance of every stage. **(10 marks)**

1. Discuss the essential areas of knowledge about family dynamics that a social worker should be acquainted with to better serve families bringing up adolescent sons and daughters. **(20 marks)**
2. Demonstrate how administrators of youth services agencies can establish a conducive environment, policies, procedures, and guidelines necessary for effective social work practice with adolescents. **(20 marks)**

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