



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2017/2018

**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN URBAN & REGIONAL
PLANNING WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

CITY CAMPUS -REGULAR

PUR 113: SOCIAL CONCEPTS FOR PLANNING

Date: 14th February, 2018

Time: 9.00 - 12.00pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer Question ONE and any other TWO.



PUR 113 : Social Concepts for Planning

Answer Question 1 and any other 2

1. a) Define Culture and explain its elements. **(15 Marks)**
b) Explain why its important to understand a communitys' culture for development planning. **(15 Marks)**
2. Discuss the social functions of the family in community development. **(20 Marks)**
3. Discuss the impact of crime and violence to social development. **(20 Marks)**
4. Briefly explain the following terms :
 - a) Social Inequality **(5 Marks)**
 - b) Public opinion **(5 Marks)**
 - c) Genocide **(5 Marks)**
 - d) Peer groups **(5 Marks)**
5. Define bureaucracy and explain its consequences. **(20 Marks)**
6. Discuss the indicators of urban poverty in Kenyan cities. **(20 Marks)**