

### **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

### REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

# SCHOOL OF EDUCATION BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (REGULAR)

## COURSE CODE: EGC 3212 COURSE TITLE: PSYCHOLOGICAL TESTING AND ASSESSMENT

DATE: 15/4/2019 TIME: 8:30 AM - 10:30 AM

#### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE**

Question ONE is Compulsory. Answer any other two questions.

#### **OUESTION 1**

a) Explain the following types of tests as used in Psychology.

i)Integrity tests (5 marks)

ii)Aptitude tests (5 marks)

iii)Personality tests (5 marks)

b) Discuss **five** relevance of psychological testing to practicing counsellors and teachers. (15 marks)

#### **QUESTION 2**

a) Distinguish between achievement and performance tests, giving two examples in each case. (8 marks)

b) Explain any **six** assumptions of psychological tests. (12 marks)

#### **OUESTION 3**

**a)**Explain the following in relation to testing and assessment:

i)Wechsler intelligence tests (6 marks)

ii)Personality assessment (6 marks)

b)Briefly explain the significance of the concepts of reliability and validity in psychological testing. (8 marks)

#### **QUESTION 4**

a)Provide explanations to the following concepts as used in psychological testing and assessment

i)Neuropsychological assessment (8marks)
ii)Computer assisted psychological assessment (8marks)

iii)Career assessment (4marks)

#### **Question five**

a)Discuss **three** ways in which psychological tests may be used inappropriately. (10 marks)

b)Clearly, explain **three** social, ethical, and diagnostic implications of psychological assessment techniques. (10 marks)