



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

**SCHOOL OF NATURAL RESOURCES, TOURISM
AND HOSPITALITY**

**BACHELOR OF URBAN AND REGIONAL
PLANNING**

COURSE CODE: URP 1104-1

**COURSE TITLE: HISTORY OF URBAN AND
REGIONAL PLANNING**

DATE: 1ST APRIL 2022

TIME: 1430-1630HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **ALL** questions in Section A and any other **THREE** questions from Section B

SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS (20marks)

1. Define the following terms as used in urban planning:
 - a. Planning (2Marks)
 - b. Sustainable development (2Marks)
 - c. Peri-urbanization (2Marks)
 - d. Urbanization (2Marks)
 - e. Planning movements (2Marks)
2. Using appropriate examples, state two major factors that shaped cities during the pre-classical era. (2Marks)
3. State three aspects that shapes cities during postmodernism era. (3Marks)
4. Outline five reasons why town planning is important. (5Marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS (30marks)

5. Discuss the early planning movements according to urban planning pioneers. (10Marks)
6. Citing relevant examples, discuss any five effects of urban sprawl in Kenya. (10Marks)
7. Discuss five core aspects of new urbanism as one of the contemporary urban planning approaches in Kenya. (10Marks)
8. Using relevant examples, explain 5 push factors of urbanization in Kenya (10Marks)

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