



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

**SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES SOCIAL
SCIENCES & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES**

PHD-LINGUISTICS

COURSE CODE: LIN 9103

COURSE TITLE: MORPHOLOGY

DATE: 3RD FEBRUARY 2023

TIME: 9.00-12.00

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions

This paper consists of 2 printed pages. Please turn over

Question ONE

- I. With examples discuss the interaction of Morphology and other levels of Linguistics. **(15mks)**
- II. Using illustrations compare the various verbal inflections between your first language and English. **(15mks)**

Question TWO

With examples, discuss the contributions of structuralism to the study of Morphology. **(20 mks)**

Question THREE

Evaluate Lexical Morphology as an explanatory tool of morphological phenomena. **(20 mks)**

Question FOUR

With examples, discuss the contributions of generative Morphology to the morpheme study. **(20 mks)**

Question FIVE

Examine Prosodic Morphology as a theory of analyzing morphemes. Provide relevant illustrations. **(20 mks)**

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