



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR
THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF TOURISM AND NATURAL
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT
BACHELOR OF SCIENCE**

**COURSE CODE: ENS 2207/EEM 2217
COURSE TITLE: DISASTER MANAGEMENT
RESPONSE AND PREPAREDNESS**

DATE: 10TH DECEMBER 2018

TIME: 0830 – 1030 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **ALL** questions in section **A** and any other **THREE** in section **B**.

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SECTION A (25 MARKS)

1. Define the following terms.
 - i. Disaster management (2 marks)
 - ii. Disaster preparedness (2 marks)
 - iii. Resilience (2 marks)
 - iv. Disaster risk reduction (2 marks)
 - v. Vulnerability (2 marks)
2. Outline two emergencies due to human induced hazards. (4 marks)
3. state any five positive roles of media in disaster management. (5 marks)
4. a) state three reasons why women are considered vulnerable to disasters. (3 marks)
b) list three ways of gender strengthening in communities to reduce vulnerability. (3 marks)

SECTION B (45 MARKS)

5. Narok town has annually experienced floods, with examples discuss how effective disaster management can be achieved to reduce such disasters. (15 marks)
6. Discuss the unique role of the draft national policy for disaster management in Kenya in reducing disaster. (15 marks)
7. Citing concrete examples, discuss the disaster management cycle. (15 marks)
8. All disasters affect communities negatives due to their destructive nature. With examples discuss economic impacts of natural disasters to the affected communities. (15 marks)

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