

#### **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

## REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

### SCHOOL OF NATURAL RESOURCES, TOURISM AND HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT

# BACHELOR OF TOURISM MANAGEMENT COURSE CODE: BTM 4107 COURSE TITLE: COASTAL AND MARINE TOURISM

DATE: 4<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2022 TIME:1430-1630

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES** 

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

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#### SECTION A: (30 MARKS) ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION

#### **Question 1**

**a)** Describe **THREE** marine ecosystems.

[6 Marks]

- b) Coastal and Marine Tourism is the future for the tourism industry.Explain.[6 Marks]
- c) Discuss THREE reasons why tourists choose to visit the coastal region of many countries.[6 Marks]
- **d)** Explain **THREE** reasons why you would encourage education management strategy for Marine Tourism activities. [6 Marks]
- e) Describe THREE roles local community play in the management of coastal and marine resources [6 Marks]

#### **SECTION B- 40 MARKS (ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS)**

#### **Question 2**

- a) "Tourism at the coastal regions is destroying the same resources it thrives on". Critique.[10 Marks]
- b) Illustrate the measures you would put in place to revert the situation in Q2a above.[10 Marks]

#### **Question 3**

- a) Discuss tourism as a tool for poverty alleviation among the coastal people[10 Marks]
- b) Eco –tourism is a tool for sustainable coastal and marine tourism.Analyze. [10 Marks]

#### **Question 4**

- a) The County Government of Mombasa has appointed you to present a paper in a conference entitled "The Future of our Coastal and Marine Resources are in our hands". What would you include? [10 Marks]
- b) As a manager, discuss FIVE measures you would put in place in an effort to encourage research for coastal and marine resources.[10Marks]

#### **Question 5**

- a) The establishment of community managed conservation areas have led to members of the local community benefiting greatly from conservation efforts being practiced. Analyze.
   [10 Marks]
- b) Illustrate FIVE strategies you would adopt in the management of Marine Tourism Resources. [10 Marks]

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