



# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR**

***SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER***

**SCHOOL OF ARTS HUMANITIES SOCIAL  
SCIENCES & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES  
COMMON COURSE**

**COURSE CODE: CMJ 2104-1**

**COURSE TITLE: FUNDAMENTALS OF  
PHOTOGRAPHY**

**DATE: 4/12/2023**

**TIME: 0830-1030 HRS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Undertake the project in groups of two persons

## QUESTIONS

1. a) Define the term shutter speed **(2 MARKS)**

b) With the aid of **four** relevant pictures taken from subjects within your locality, demonstrate how fast and slow shutter speeds are useful in photography. **(8 MARKS)**

2.) Using the pictures taken above **(1b)**, explain the following aspects of image composition

a) Camera shots. **(4MARKS)**

b) Camera angles. **(4 MARKS)**

3.) 'White balancing is of essence in photography,' justify this statement with the aid **two** pictures taken under the following conditions:

a) In the sun **(6 MARKS)**

b) Under incandescent light **(6 MARKS)**

4) Explain the concept of light in photograph by taking **two** pictures to reflect the following three aspects

a) Under exposure **(4 MARKS)**

b) Over exposure **(4 MARKS)**

c) Normal exposure **(4 MARKS)**

5) Take **four** photos to explain the concept of focus in photography.

**(8 MARKS)**

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