



MASASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY
EXAMINATIONS
2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR
SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
BACHELOR OF EDUCATION IN
SPECIAL NEEDS**

**COURSE CODE: SNE 3219
COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO
RESEARCH
IN SPECIAL
EDUCATION**

DATE: 15/4/2019
8:30 - 10:30AM

TIME:

INSTRUCTIONS

ALL Questions in Section “ A” are Compulsory

Answer any THREE (3) Questions in section “B”

SECTION A: 25 MARKS

ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN SECTION “A”

- 1 (a). Define the term Research **(3 marks)**
- (b). Differentiate between Educational and action research **(2 marks)**
- (c). List the set of philosophies approaches as used in research **(3 marks)**
- (d). State any three principles of research **(3 marks)**
- (e). Define the term population and cite at least two examples **(3 marks).**
- (f). Give the contrast between variable and parameter **(2 marks)**
- (g). What is hypothesis and name the two types **(3 marks)**
- (h). State the methods of collecting data in educational research from the field and other sources **(2 marks)**

(i). Describe the research process with the support of a diagram as cited in research

(4 marks)

(j). Define the word hypothesis

(1

mark)

SECTION B: 45 MARKS

ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS.

(2). Discuss at least five characteristics of an educational research.

(15 marks).

(3). Describe the measurement of scales.

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marks)

(4). Discuss with appropriate educational examples the various research designs

(15

marks)

(5). Discuss the conditions for a good research statement.

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