



# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

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

**SCHOOL OF TOURISM AND NATURAL  
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT  
DIPLOMA IN TOURISM AND WILDLIFE  
MANAGEMENT**

**COURSE CODE: NDTW 125  
COURSE TITLE: COMMUNITY BASED  
CONSERVATION**

**DATE: 26<sup>TH</sup> AUGUST, 2019**

**TIME: 0830 - 1030 HRS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

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

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## **SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS (25 MARKS)**

1. Explain what is meant by Community Based Natural Resource Management (CBNRM)? (3 marks)
2. Community Based NRM across the world faces various challenges, from conception to implementation. Briefly highlight any 5 of these challenges. (5 marks)
3. What is your understanding of Community participation in natural resource management? (2 marks)
4. Why is community participation important in CBNRM? (4 marks)
5. Briefly define who primary stakeholders are in CBNMR are, and give any three examples. (5 marks)  
What are the sources of revenue /income for a CBO? (6 marks)

## **SECTION 2: ANSWER ANY 3 QUESTIONS (45 MARKS)**

6.
  - a) Define Community Based Organisation (CBO) and explain their importance (5 marks)
  - b) For a CBO to be effective and sustainable, various factors / characteristics must be considered by the members. Exhaustively highlight these factors (10 marks)
7.
  - a) As a CBNRM Manager, briefly illustrate three approaches you would use to estimate the abundance of wildlife in your conservancy (9 marks)
  - b) In CBNRM, there is need for proper planning and monitoring of natural resources. Briefly explain 3 participatory tools you would use, with examples (6 marks)
8.
  - a) What is a human wildlife conflict? (2 marks)
  - b) Briefly explain the direct and indirect impacts of human wildlife conflicts on a community (7 marks)
  - c) c) As a CBNR Manager, briefly discuss the measures you would implement to reduce human wildlife conflict incidents in your conservancy (6 marks)
9. Financial management in CBNRM is essential. What is your understanding of the four key principles of financial management by CBOs/conservancies and how will you implement them? (15 marks)

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