



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2022/2023 ACADEMIC YEAR
FIRST YEAR, SECOND SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, SOCIAL
SCIENCES & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES
DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL WORK**

**COURE CODE: DSS 1201
COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO
PHILOSOPHY**

DATE: 9TH DECEMBER, 2022

TIME: 1430-1630

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATE

Answer Questions **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions

This paper consists of TWO printed pages .Please turn over

QUESTION ONE

a) Explain the following terms:

- i. Philosophy (5marks)
- ii. Empiricism (5marks)
- iii. Sound argument (5marks)
- iv. Fallacy (5marks)

b) Explain the relevance of philosophy to you. (10marks)

QUESTION TWO

What is knowledge? Discuss THREE conditions for human knowledge.

(20marks)

QUESTION THREE

Discuss the distinction between knowledge *apriori* and knowledge *aposteriori*.

(20marks)

QUESTION FOUR

Discuss the basic aspects of morality as a philosophical concept showing how each relates to Social Work.

(20marks)

QUESTION FIVE

“Not all that which glitters is gold.” With reference to this viewpoint assess the importance of distinguishing reality from appearance in our day to day lives and professional practice.

(20 marks)

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