



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR SEMESTER TWO

**SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, SOCIAL
SCIENCES AND CREATIVE INDUSTRIES
MASTER OF ARTS IN PUBLIC POLICY AND
ADMINISTRATION.**

COURSE CODE: PSA 8210

**COURSE TITLE: QUANTITATIVE AND
QUALITATIVE DATA PROCESSING.**

DATE:

TIME:

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions

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QUESTION ONE

Examine the reasons why critical theories are significant for post modernism and structuralist investigations. **(20 marks)**

QUESTION TWO

To what extent is mixed method research important for intertwining quantitative and qualitative research tools. **(20 marks)**

QUESTION THREE

Discuss the significance of paradigms for social science researchers. **(20 marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

Discuss the significance of the Chicago school of social studies for enhancing developing and transformation scheme investigations. **(20 marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

To what extent are the comparative predictive and explanatory types of study questions valuable for a researcher undertaking studies in determining cases for poor academic performances in some schools of North Eastern Kenya? **(20 marks)**

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