



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2020/2021 ACADEMIC YEAR FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL WORK

COURSE CODE : DSW 1106

COURSE TITLE : INTRODUCTION TO PSYCHOLOGY

DATE: 27TH MAY, 2021

TIME: 1430 – 1630 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- *Answer question ONE (compulsory) and any other TWO questions.*
- *Question one carries 30 marks*
- *All other questions carry 20 marks*

QUESTION ONE

- a) Briefly state the importance of psychology in social work as a discipline. **(10marks)**
- b) Discuss how social learning takes place using a suitable example. **(10marks)**
- c) State and explain the Gestalt principles of perception. **(10marks)**

QUESTION TWO

Discuss the major causes of psychological disorders and suggest therapeutic measures that would you take to assist someone who has these disorders? **(20marks)**

QUESTION THREE

- a) Psychology has many branches, briefly state and discuss five subfield of psychological **(10marks)**
- b) Giving examples briefly discuss the of goals psychology **(10marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

Explain the stages of Erikson's psychosocial theory with relevant examples in relation to psychology. **(20marks)**

QUESTION FIVE

- a) Describe the role of language in social integration and communication **(10marks)**
- b) Critically asses the major function s of attitude. **(10marks)**

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