



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

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

**SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, SOCIAL
SCIENCES & CREATIVE INDUSTRIES
BACHELOR OF ARTS (SOCIAL WORK,
COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT, CRIMINOLOGY
AND SOCIOLOGY)**

**COURSE CODE: SOC 1105-1
COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL
SCIENCES**

DATE: 7TH DECEMBER, 2022

TIME: 0830 – 1030 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- Question 1 is compulsory.
- Answer any other **TWO** questions

1. Write short notes about the following concepts.
 - a) Social science. **(4 Marks)**
 - b) Social networks **(4 Marks)**
 - c) Using relevant examples explain the difference between quantitative research and qualitative research. **(12marks)**
2. Identify and discuss various factors that led to the development of Social Sciences. **(15 marks)**
3. State and explain using various contributions from philosophers the related fields of social sciences **(15 Marks)**
4. a) With relevant examples, differentiate between primary group and secondary group in human society **(10 Marks)**
b) Examine the changes brought about by the advent of ICT in the Social Sciences. **(5 Marks)**
5. a). Citing relevant examples, explain the nature of Social sciences and Natural sciences. **(10 Marks)**
b). Outline the methods of data collection in qualitative research **(5 Marks)**

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