



MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY

RESIT/SPECIAL UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

FOURTH YEAR SECOND SEMESTER

**SCHOOL OF NATURAL RESOURCE,
ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES &
AGRICULTURE**

**BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN WILDLIFE
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT**

COURSE CODE: WRM 4238-1

COURSE TITLE: PARK MANAGEMENT

DATE:

TIME

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer **All** the Questions in Section A and any **THREE** IN SECTION B
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SECTION A (20 MARKS)

1. Differentiate between the following terms;
 - i) Inventory and monitoring (1 Mark)
 - ii) Buffer and intensive use zone (1 Mark)
 - iii) Housekeeping and preventive maintenance (1 Mark)
 - iv) Master plans and development plans (1 Mark) v)
 - Subsistence harvesting and poaching (1 Mark)

2. State five reasons why scheduling work is important in the management of protected areas. (5 Marks)

3. Explain five sources of revenue in a national park. (5 Marks)

4. List five regulations applied to check the negative effects of population expansion in enclave settlements within protected areas. (5 Marks)

SECTION B (30 MARKS)

5. 'Protected area management requires a multi-disciplinary approach.' Discuss this statement. (10 Marks)

6. Discuss potential adverse environmental effects of tourism in national parks and reserves of Kenya. (10 Marks)

7. Discuss ways in which national parks and reserves can bring valuable benefits to local communities. (10 Marks)

8. Discuss the advantages and disadvantages of staff recruitment from among the local community (10 Marks)