



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2019/2020 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF ENVIRONMENT AND NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT

DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCES

FOURTH YEAR SPECIAL/SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION FOR
BACHELOR OF ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES (COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT)

ECD 423: COMMUNITY ASSET BUILDING & SOCIAL ENTREPRENEURSHIP

DATE: 21/1/2021

TIME: 2.00-4.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain the following concepts.
- i. Community assets. (2 marks)
 - ii. Community wellbeing. (2 marks)
 - iii. Social entrepreneurship. (2 marks)
 - iv. Asset building (2 marks)
- b) Explain five principles of asset-based approach to community development (10 marks)
- c) Compare and contrast social engineers and social bricoleurs (12 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss five examples of social enterprises in clearly showing the contribution of each to sustainable community development (10 marks)
- b) Explain five characteristics that make social entrepreneurs succeed in their role as change agents in social sector (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Using practical examples, describe five approaches you can use to build the assets of women in your community

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

Discuss the merits and demerits of using asset-based approach in community development.

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Suppose you are asked to map assets for your community. Using appropriate examples in each category describe five asset inventories you will develop to achieve this.