



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2020/2021 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY & SPECIAL NEEDS

EDUCATION

FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION)

ESN 410: VOCATIONAL REHABILITATION AND CAREER GUIDANCE

FOR PERSONS WITH DISABILITIES

DATE: 10/8/2021

TIME: 11.00-1.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Write your answers in the answer booklet provided
2. SECTION A is compulsory
3. Answer any other TWO questions from section B

SECTION A: COMPULSORY (30 MARKS)

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Discuss five adaptive skills that are important during rehabilitation for persons with disabilities. (10 marks)
- b) Explain the features of the work-based learning component of the US School to work Act of 1994. (10 marks)
- c) Outline ten reasons why it is hard for persons with disabilities to get jobs. (10 marks)

Section B (Answer any two questions)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss five factors that make transition from school to work difficult for persons with disabilities. (10 marks)
- b) Explain five reasons why jobs are important for persons with disabilities (10 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Explain the importance of career education for learners with disabilities. (10 marks)
- b) Discuss how equipping persons with disabilities enhances their chances of getting jobs. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Outline five job-seeking skills for persons with disabilities (5 marks)
- b) Discuss the socio-economic effects of disability on the society. (5 marks)
- c) Describe Five requirements for persons with disabilities in the new job -seeking model (10 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Explain the benefits of cooperative work experience to:

- a) The students (10 marks)
- b) The employer/industry (10 marks)