



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY, SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION

THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF EDUCATION

ESN 321: COMMUNICATION SKILLS FOR HEARING IMPAIRED 1

DATE: 4/12/2019

TIME: 8.30-10.30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question One and Any Other Two Questions

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Explain the two ways a word is presented when using manual communication (4 marks)
- b) Describe why Abbe Charles Michael de IEpee is credited with the invention of the French sign language (4 marks)
- c) Explain what is the Rochester method (3 marks)
- d) State three disadvantages of sign language (3 marks)
- e) Differentiate between sign language and finger spelling (4 marks)
- f) State four disadvantages of fingerspelling (4 marks)
- g) Explain how pad and pencil method of communication is used in the communication for the deaf (4 marks)
- h) Define the following terms
 - i. communication (2 marks)
 - ii. Total communication (2 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

Explain the rationale for simultaneous communication

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Discuss five importance of total communication

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

With the help of relevant examples explain how body language help to clarify the meaning of a sign

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

Discuss the following methods of communication

- a) Manualism (10 marks)
- b) Oralism (10 marks)