



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY COLLEGE

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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION

DEPARTMENT OF

.....SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR DIPLOMA IN EDUCATION

EFN 204: SOCIOLOGY OF EDUCATION

Date: SCHOOL BASED

Time:

INSTRUCTIONS

Answer Question One and Any Other Two Questions

1.
 - a) Define the following sociological concepts
 - i) Socialization process. (2 marks)
 - ii) Social phenomena. (2 marks)
 - iii) Social institution. (2 marks)
 - iv) Social mobility (2 marks)
 - v) Social interaction. (2 marks)
 - b) Explain four (4) factors which contributed to the rise of sociology as a distinct discipline in late 19th century. (8 marks)
 - c) Sociologists classify the school as a formal social organization .Outline six features of a school which make it a formal social organization. (12 marks)
2.
 - a) Identify three types of socialization processes. (3 marks)
 - b) “Socialization and education are synommouS”.Discuss the validity of this assertion using appropriate examples. (17 marks)
3.
 - a) Define the concept social stratification. (3 marks)
 - b) Explain how social –economic status of families influence the educational achievement of learners in Kenya. (17 marks)

4. a) Distinguish between 'Exogenous social change and Endogenous social change".
(4 marks)
- b) Discuss the role of education in National Development. (16 marks)
5. "HIV/AIDS Pandemic affects Kenyan National Development negatively in various ways. Using relevant examples explain how HIV/AIDS has affected the education sector in Kenya. (20 marks)