



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2022/2023 Academic Year

SCHOOL OF HUMANITIES AND SOCIAL SCIENCES

DEPARTMENT OF SOCIAL SCIENCES

SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR

BACHELOR OF ARTS COUNSELLING PSYCHOLOGY

APS 215: PSYCHOLOGY OF GENDER

DATE: 20/4/2023

TIME: 8:30 – 10:30 AM

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer QUESTION ONE and any other TWO QUESTIONS.

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Citing relevant examples, explain three types of aggression. (9 marks)
- b) Appraise four behavioral manifestations of aggression. (16 marks)
- c) Outline five common examples of domestic or intimate partner violence. (5 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Citing relevant examples, appraise the meaning of a stereotype threat. (8 marks)
- b) Explain the negative impact of the four horses of the apocalypse on relationships. (12 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Evaluate the impact of the focus educators place on children depending on their gender. (10 marks)
- b) Describe the process of gender transitioning. (10 marks)

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss the negative outcomes of fixation at each of the first three stages of development according to Sigmund Freud. (12 marks)
- b) Explain the paradox that women tend to have a higher diagnostic rate of health disorders, yet a lower rate of mortality. (8 marks)

QUESTION FIVE (20 MARKS)

- a) Appraise the gender differences in alcohol consumption and effects. (10 marks)
- b) Evaluate the effects of the glass cliff phenomenon in organizations. (10 marks)