



MACHAKOS UNIVERSITY

University Examinations for 2024/2025 Academic Year

**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION
DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL PSYCHOLOGY AND SPECIAL NEEDS
EDUCATION**

**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR
Ph.D. IN EDUCATIONAL COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGY**

**ECT937: CONTEMPORARY & EMERGING ISSUES IN ENGLISH LANGUAGE
EDUCATION**

DATE: 18TH JANUARY, 2025

TIME: 2.00 PM – 5.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS:

*Answer question **ONE** (Compulsory) and any other **TWO** questions*

QUESTION ONE

- i. Pin-point at least Five (5) New Technologies used in Teaching English Language
(5 Marks).
- ii. Explain the Application of New Technologies you have highlighted in Question One(i)
above.
(15 Marks).

QUESTION TWO

Expound on the Challenges affecting the teaching of English Language in the 21st Century.
(15 Marks).

QUESTION THREE

Explain how you would address individual learners' differences when Teaching Language
Education.
(15 Marks).

QUESTION FOUR

Byram's Process (Deardorff) Models address contemporary issues in relation to Language
Teaching. Discuss.
(15 Marks).

QUESTION FIVE

Explain the Main competencies that Language Teachers should develop for an effective teaching
learning climate when teaching Language students across different cultures
(15 Marks).