

MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (MMUST)

MAIN CAMPUS

MAIN EXAMINATIONS

2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

MAIN EXAMINATIONS

FOR

THE BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN DISASTER PREPAREDNESS AND ENVIRONMENTAL TECHNOLOGY

COURSE CODE:

DPE 102

COURSE TITLE:

MAN AND ENVIRONMENT

DATE: 26/04/2022

TIME: 12 - 2PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question 1(ONE) and any other TWO Questions

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating

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Question ONE

- (a) Environment influences the life of human beings and also human beings modify their environment. Discuss. (15 Marks)
- (a) Human beings use natural resources like land, water, soils, minerals, plants and animals for their survival. Describe how each of the above contribute to environmental degradation. (15 Marks)

Question TWO

(a) Explain the difference between renewable energy and non-renewable energy.

(10 Marks)

(b) Is fish a renewable or non-renewable resource? (10 marks)

Question THREE

Describe how pesticides and fertilizers from farms washed into rivers and leach into soils and ground water pollutes the environment. (20 Marks)

Question FOUR

Explain how e-waste from discarded electronic gadgets such as mobile phones can contain toxic substances that are likely to cause human health problems. (20 Marks)