# MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND **TECHNOLOGY (MMUST)**

### UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

## FIRST YEAR THIRD SEMESTER EXAMINATION

### MAIN EXAM

FOR

# THE MASTER OF EDUCATION DEGREE (SPECIAL NEEDS EDUCATION)

COURSE CODE: MSE 804

COURSE TITLE: ASSESSMENT AND INTERVENTION OF

**EXCEPTIONAL CHILDREN** 

**DATE:** 01/08/2022

**TIME:** 2.00 – 4.00 PM

INSTRUCTIONS

**Answer any Four Questions** 

- 1. (a) Explain six advantages of informal assessment (6 marks)
- (b) Citing relevant examples, describe unstructured assessment techniques that a teacher may use in evaluating learners (9 marks)
- 2. (a) You have been tasked to develop an assessment plan for a learner. Describe the steps that you will follow in developing the plan in order to improve the student learning (10 marks)
- (b) Citing relevant examples analyze the pre referral /screening team members that you would include in assessing a learner with motor difficulties (5 marks)
- 3. (a) Differentiate between assessment and screening (3 marks)
  - (b) citing relevant examples, analyze six stages of assessment process (12 marks)
- 4. (a) Describe any **Eight** tests that you may use to assess exceptional learners for the purpose of intervention (8 marks)
- (b) Explain why professionals in SNE prefer the use of the term exceptional children over the term children with disabilities (9 marks)
- 5. (a) Citing relevant examples analyze the challenges facing assessment of exceptional children (10 marks)
- (b) Describe the nature of children who are exceptional (5 marks)
- 6 (a) Describe any six characteristics of nature of needs of exceptional children (12 marks)
  - (b) Explain how you would carry out screening for auditory for pupils in grade one (3 marks)