



# MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY (MMUST)

### MAIN CAMPUS

# UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER UNDERGRADUATE EXAMINATIONS

### **FOR**

### THE DEGREE OF

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN: CONFLICT RESOLUTION AND HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE & EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT AND HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE

COURSE CODE: DEM 310

**COURSE TITLE: RURAL SOCIOLOGY** 

**DATE**: 06/12/2023

TIME: 3-5PM

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES** 

ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER TWO QUESTIONS

TIME: 2Hours

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating



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# **QUESTION ONE (COMPULSORY)**

Defend the assertion that rural sociology studies the social interactions, institutions and activities and social changes that take place in the rural society. (25 marks)

# **QUESTION TWO**

The rural community has distinct characteristics from the urban community. Examine this claim by use of appropriate examples. (17.5 Marks)

# **QUESTION THREE**

Provide an in depth analysis of the scope of rural sociology.

(17.5 Marks)

## **QUESTION FOUR**

Examine the nature of rural sociology as a science.

(17.5 Marks)

# **QUESTION FIVE**

The term organization is used in sociological studies and researches today to stress the importance of arrangement of parts and their interdependence in groups and in societies. Interrogate this in light of the rural household. (17.5 Marks)