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

MAIN CAMPUS

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION  
FOR THE CERTIFICATE**

**IN**

**SOCIAL WORK AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**COURSE CODE: CSD/0314/444/8A**

**COURSE TITLE: SOCIAL WORK METHODS**

**DATE: 20/12/2023**

**TIME: 9:00 – 11:00AM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer question one (compulsory) and any other two questions

TIME: 2 Hours

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating

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### **QUESTION ONE**

a) Define the term theory as used in social work and state the importance of theory. (12 marks)

b) Name and explain six common theories of social work practice. (18marks)

### **QUESTION TWO**

Define community development and state the importance of community participation.

### **QUESTION THREE**

Discuss the challenges of community development in Kenya? (10marks)

What are the indicators of an empowered community (10marks)

### **QUESTION FOUR**

i) Write short notes on the following concepts

a) Social casework (5 marks)

b) Social group work (5 marks)

ii) State the importance of research in social work (10marks)

### **QUESTION FIVE**

a) Define social work skills (5marks)

b) What skills are needed in social work? Explain. (15marks)