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UNIVERSITY EXAMINATION FOR:

DEGREE

BMC 4251: SIGN LANGUAGE II

END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION

SERIES:AUGUST2019

TIME:2HOURS

DATE:Pick DateSelect MonthPick Year

Instructions to Candidates

You should have the following for this examination

-Answer Booklet, examination pass and student ID

This paper consists of **FIVE** questions. Attemptquestion ONE (Compulsory) and any other TWO questions.

Do not write on the question paper.

Question ONE

- a) Who is a deaf person (2 marks)
- b) Name four causes of deafness (4 marks)
- c) Describe three categories of deafness (6 marks)
- d) List ten aspects of deaf culture (10 marks)
- e) Define a sign language interpreter (2 marks)
- f) Indicate whether the following statement are true or false: (6 marks)
 - i. Sign language is Universal
 - ii. Sign Language is broken English
 - iii. Figure spelling is sign Language
 - iv. Kenya sign language as its own grammer
 - v. Hands and other body parts are used in KSL to produce meaning
 - vi. Hands are the active articulate in KSL

(30 Marks)

Question TWO

- a) Define Kenya sign language (2 marks)
 - b) Name for elements of a sign (4 marks)
 - c) List any four phases of articulation and for each give one example of a word/ sign that can be used (8 marks)
 - d) Present the following sentences in KSL (6 marks)
 - i. Where is Tana River
 - ii. The boy is playing Football
 - iii. My father will travel to Mombasa tomorrow
- (20 marks)**

Question THREE

Describe the following handshake and direction of the following signs

- SUNDAY (2 marks)
 - MOTHER (2 marks)
 - SORRY (2 marks)
 - NOW (2 marks)
 - AEROPLANE (2marks)
 - Explain the importance of finger spelling in KSL dialogue (10 marks)
- (20 marks)**

Question FOUR

- a) Discuss the benefit of KSL to the community (10 marks)
 - b) Explain the risk of using unclear water in KSL (10 mark)
- (20 marks)**

Question FIVE

- a) Discuss challenges facing spread of KSL (10marks)
 - b) Suggest strategies for enhancing spread of KSL (10 marks)
- (20 marks)**