



**MASENO UNIVERSITY**  
**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2016/2017**

**FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR  
THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN  
ANTHROPOLOGY WITH INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY**

**CITY CAMPUS – REGULAR**

**ASA 401: BIOLOGICAL ANTHROPOLOGY**

Date: 21<sup>st</sup> November, 2016

Time: 9.00 - 12.00 noon

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer ANY THREE questions.



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**(KISUMU CAMPUS, REGULAR)**

Answer any **THREE** questions.

1. Examine the concept of race as one of the basic themes of inquiry that characterized Biological Anthropology in the early decades of twentieth century. (23.3 Marks)
2. Citing examples, discuss how culture stimulates ongoing human evolution. (23.3 Marks)
3. Explain why the "Order Primates" is an important area of focus in Biological Anthropology. (23.3 Marks)
4. Discuss the relevance of anthropometry in the study of human growth and development. (23.3 marks)
5. Explain sickle cell trait as a human biological response to Malaria. (23.3 Marks)
6. Assess application of bio-cultural knowledge in forensic science. (23.3 Marks)