



# **MURANG'A UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY**

## **SCHOOL OF HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM MANAGEMENT**

**DEPARTMENT OF HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT**

**UNIVERSITY ORDINARY EXAMINATION**

**2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR, DIPLOMA IN  
HOSPITALITY MANAGEMENT**

**DHM 053 – FOOD AND BEVERAGE SERVICE I**

**DURATION: 2 HOURS**

**DATE:**

**TIME:**

**Instructions to candidates:**

1. Answer question One and Any Other Two questions
2. Mobile phones are not allowed in the examination room.
3. You are not allowed to write on this examination question paper.

**SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION**

**QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)**

- a) Highlight six attributes of food and beverage service personnel (6 marks)
- b) State two duties of each of the following food and beverage personnel
  - i. Headwaiter (2 marks)
  - ii. Carver (2 marks)
  - iii. Apprentice (2 marks)
  - iv. Bar manager (2 marks)
  - v. Restaurant manager (2mks)
- c) Explain any five advantages of using disposable linen in catering establishment (10 marks)
- d) State any four table accompaniments (4 marks)

**SECTION B - ANSWER ANY TWO QUESTIONS IN THIS SECTION**

**QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)**

- a) Differentiate between table d' hote and ala' carte menu (10 marks)
- b) Explain five factors to consider when purchasing service equipmentS. (10 marks)

**QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)**

- a) Explain the relationship of food service area and the following departments
  - i. Housekeeping (2 marks)
  - ii. Front office (2 marks)
  - iii. Kitchen (2 marks)
  - iv. Maintenance (2 marks)
  - v. Human resource (2 marks)
- b) Explain five components of meal experience (10 marks)

**QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)**

- a) Identify four items which are part of big five of a waiter/waitress (4 marks)
- b) Discuss functions of the following ancillary departments of food service areas
  - i. Stillroom (2 marks)
  - ii. Hotplate (2 marks)
  - iii. Silver room (2 marks)
  - iv. Linen store (2 marks)
- c) Explain four reasons why a customer may prefer to eat out in a restaurant rather than cook at home (8 marks)