# UNIVERSITY OF DAR-ES-SALAAM.

# COLLEGE OF INFORMATION AND COMMUNICATION TECHNOLOGIES

### DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE AND ENGINEERING

#### COURSE: IS 258: PC MAINTENANCE.

# TEST ONE (15 MARKS) TIME: 45 MINUTES

- 1. With the example, explain three elements of computer systems. (3 marks)
- 2. What are the procedures for resetting a password for the users who doesn't remember completely the password to access a machine? (2 marks)
- The Electrical power in most of developing countries is still unstable. Explain
  any two possible solutions that might be used to protect personal computers
  (2 marks)
- Personal Computer components require special handling or disposal procedure.
   What is the best way to find disposal information? (1 mark)
- Describe the following terms:
  - i. Clock
  - ii. Bus
  - iii. Cache

(3 marks)

- 6. Explain any two differences Differentiate between Internal and External moderns? (2 marks)
- 7. What are Systems Resources? Mention any three system resources. (2 marks)