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MAIN EXAMINATION PAPER

PROGRAMME: DIPLOMA IN AGRICULTURE III

COURSE CODE: AEE 303

TITLE OF PAPER: COMMUNITY AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

TIME ALLOWED: TWO (2) HOURS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL (4) QUESTIONS

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QUESTION 1

- (a) Discuss three (3) factors that indicate that your community is developing.
(15 Marks)
- (b) Discuss two (2) factors that indicate that, in some ways, your community is backward.
(10 Marks)
[25 Marks]

QUESTION 2

Community development can be defined in different ways in order to accomplish different purposes. Compare and contrast three (3) definitions of rural and community development and indicate when you would use each one of these definitions.

[25 Marks]

QUESTION 3

Discuss five (5) basic assumptions that are made in community and rural development.

[25 Marks]

QUESTION 4

Discuss ways in which you would help your community to deal with the following challenges that it is experiencing:

- (a) Food insecurity (9 Marks)
(b) The need for piped water for domestic use (8 Marks)
(c) The HIV/AIDS pandemic. (8 Marks)

[25 Marks]