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FINAL EXAMINATION PAPER

- PROGRAMME** : **FOOD SCIENCE, NUTRITION AND TECHNOLOGY YEAR III**
- COURSE CODE** : **FNS305**
- TITLE OF PAPER** : **PRODUCT DEVELOPMENT AND FORTIFICATION**
- TIME ALLOWED** : **TWO (2) HOURS**
- INSTRUCTIONS** : **ANSWER QUESTION ONE (1) AND ANY OTHER TWO (2) QUESTIONS.**

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QUESTION 1 (COMPULSORY)

- a) Explain the functions and deficiency diseases associated with the following nutrients:
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| i. Iron | v. Vitamin D |
| ii. Folic acid | vi. Zinc |
| iii. Riboflavin | vii. Vitamin A |
| iv. Vitamin B12 | |
- b) Differentiate between enrichment and restoration. **(28 Marks)**
- c) Discuss the three reasons for developing a new product. **(6 Marks)**
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- [TOTAL MARKS = 40]**

QUESTION 2

- a) Explain the difference between product-oriented food product development and market-oriented food product development. **(20 Marks)**
- a) Using **five (5)** points, describe the criteria when selecting a vehicle for food fortification. **(10 Marks)**
- [TOTAL MARKS = 30]**

QUESTION 3

- a) Define new product development **(3 Marks)**
- b) Discuss **two (2)** limitations of fortification. **(5 Marks)**
- c) Describe the **three (3)** essentials of new product development. **(6 Marks)**
- d) Describe **three (3)** categories of a new product. **(6 Marks)**
- e) Discuss the following in fortification technology: **(10 Marks)**
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|---------------|---------------|
| i. Dry mixing | iii. Addition |
| ii. Spraying | iv. Coating |
- [TOTAL MARKS = 30]**

QUESTION 4

- a) It is possible that the development of your new products does not succeed, discuss **five (5)** reasons why your new product might fail.

(15 Marks)

- b) Using **five (5)** points, justify the importance of performing market research in new product development.

(15 Marks)

[TOTAL MARKS = 30]