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MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY

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MAIN CAMPUS

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS

2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR

**THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER MAIN EXAMINATIONS
FOR DIPLOMA IN GENERAL AGRICULTURE /DIPLOMA IN
HORTICULTURE**

COURSE CODE: DAG 093

COURSE TITLE: SOIL AND WATER CONSERVATION

DATE: 22ND APRIL, 2022

TIME: 8-10AM

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THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER MAIN EXAMS FOR DIPLOMA IN GENERAL
AGRICULTURE**

COURSE CODE: DAG 094

COURSE TITLE: ENTREPRENEURSHIP

DATE: 21ST APRIL, 2022

TIME: 12-2PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

Answer all questions in section A

Answer any ONE questions in section B

Total marks=70

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SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS (50 MARKS)

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a) Define the term entrepreneurship (2 marks)
- b) State and explain four ways of identifying business opportunities (8 marks)
- c) Describe what a market is (2 marks)
- d) Explain how markets determine the success of an enterprise (8 marks)
- e) Describe 5 functions of the entrepreneur in society. (10 marks)

QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)

- a) Elucidate 5 reasons why the government of Kenya is encouraging entrepreneurship in schools
- b) (10 marks)
- c) Outline four advantages of a business plan (4 marks)
- d) Explain 3 gaps that may create a business opportunity in the market (6 marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY ONE QUESTION (20 MARKS)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

Assuming that you have the required resources (financial), as an entrepreneur identify a business activity you will pursue in your area. Give reasons and process of identifying the activity.

(20 marks)

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Most small-scale enterprises carry out trading activities at a central location. Outline the measures an entrepreneur would take to gain a competitive edge over her competitors (10 marks)
- b) Explain 5 internal factors that motivate a person to become an entrepreneur 10 marks

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

- a) Discuss the commonalities between creativity, innovation and entrepreneurship (10 marks)
- b) Examine the various sources of innovations (10 marks)



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SECOND YEAR SECOND SEMESTER MAIN EXAMS FOR DIPLOMA IN GENERAL
AGRICULTURE AND HORTICULTURE**

COURSE CODE: DAG 080

COURSE TITLE: EDUCATION EXTENSION

DATE: 21ST APRIL, 2022

TIME: 12-2PM

INSTRUCTIONS TO STUDENTS

Answer all questions in section A

Answer any ONE questions in section B

Total marks=70

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SECTION A: 50 MARKS

Question One (20 Marks)

- a) Define the following terms as used in extension(10 Marks)
- i) Non-formal education
 - ii) Informal education
 - iii) Formal education
 - iv) Extension services
 - v) Extension program
- b) Outline 5 reasons why the study of education extension is encouraged in Universities (5 Marks)
- c) Distinguish between extension system and extension methods and give an example in each (5 Marks)

Question Two (30 marks)

You are hired to initiate and operate an extension programme in your county.

- a) Discuss 5 reasons why you should consider agriculture as a system(10 Marks)
- b) Explain 5 basic ethics that will guide the discharge of your mandate(5 Marks)
- c) Describe 5 responsibilities you expect to deliver (10 Marks)
- d) Briefly explain 5 extension strategies you may use to ensure success of the programme (5 Marks)

SECTION B: ANSWER ANY ONE QUESTIONS (20 MARKS)

Question Three (20 marks)

Discuss extension approaches used in Kenya

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Question Four (20 marks)

Discuss the steps involve in extension programme development process

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COURSE CODE: DAG 098

**COURSE TITLE: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION, ORGANIZATION AND
MANAGEMENT**

DATE: 11/1/22

TIME: 3-5 PM

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Answer ALL questions in section A and B

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SECTION A: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

QUESTION ONE (15 MARKS)

- (a) What do you understand by the following terms: 6Marks
- i Agricultural organization
 - ii Administration
 - iii Management
- (b) Use a table to differentiate between theory X and theory Y 6 Marks
- (c) State the 3 techniques to succeed in management according Sun Tzu 3 Marks

QUESTION TWO (15 MARKS)

Suppose you have been appointed at the Ministry of Agriculture to be in charge of agricultural extension services in Kakamegacounty;

- (a) State 5 management functions that you will be involved in your managerial work. 5 Marks
- (b) Identify 5 types of management competences/skills you will require at this level. 5 Marks
- (c) Identify 5 challenges you expect in your managerial work. 5 Marks

SECTION B: ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)

A newly appointed Cabinet Secretary for Agriculture plans to create structures and systems for effective management of the ministry.

- (a) Explain 5 reasons why the Cabinet Secretary should consider the Ministry as a management system. 10 Marks
- (b) Indicate using a diagram, 4 subsystems that the Cabinet secretary should ensure are in place. 10 Marks

QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)

- (a) There are 3 sub-theories of classical theory of management. Distinguish the sub-theories and explain the relevance of each to agricultural manager. 15 Marks
- (b) Identify 5 hygiene factors according to Herzberg's two factor theory 5 Marks