

**Uganda Martyrs University**

**Faculty of Agriculture**

**Special and supplementary examination**

Bachelor of Science in Agriculture Year One

**BASG 1206 AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION**

Time: 2:30pm to 5:30pm

Date: 26<sup>th</sup> July 2018

**Instructions**

Attempt any four questions

All questions carry equal 25 marks

Time: 3hrs

1 Principles of extension help extension workers to execute their duties. Giving relevant examples explain the different principles indicating how they simplify and make their job relevant. (25 marks)

2/ a) The work of extension staff has always not been appreciated in different parts of Uganda. Explain the causes of the situation. (15 marks)

b) Women and youth have always been isolated in receiving extension services. Explain how these vulnerable groups of people can be helped to also get access to information. (10 marks)

3. Discuss the different group extension methods you would employee when carrying out extension services in your district. (25 marks)

4. a) In your view explain how technology development and ICT have improved the agricultural sector in Uganda (15 marks)

b) Explain the factors that affect effective communication in extension service delivery. (10 marks)

5. a) Extension advisory service providers have an ethical code of conduct which guides them. Explain the different values they are supposed to follow when doing their work. (15 marks)

b) How have extension service providers abused the ethical values? (10 marks)

6. Considering the failure of different extension organizations in Uganda. Highlight their weaknesses and suggest recommendations to improve them. (25 marks)

7. During the annual national symposium that took place this year at hotel Africana, extension improvement was mentioned as the way to go to improve food security and nutrition. Explain how this can be achieved. (15 marks)

b) Explain how extension services delivery can be improved in Uganda. (10 marks)

8. a) Discuss the different tools that can be used for audio, visual and audio-visual when extending extension services. (15 marks)

b) Explain the factors that affect the choice of a tool to use when delivering extension services. (10 marks)

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