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DEPARTMENT OF GEOGRAPHY

SEMESTER TEST

GRP 322: POPULATION STUDIES

2016/2017, RAIN SEMESTER

Time: 30 mins

Instruction: Answer any two questions

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1. Why is the study of population important in a country
  2. Write notes on the following:
    - (i) Over population
    - (ii) Optimum population
    - (iii) Under population
  3. Account for the rapid growth in the population of Nigeria
  4. Enumerate the economic significance of the age structure of the population of a country
  5. What are the problems associated with the conduct of a national census in a developing country like Nigeria
  6. Examine the natural and social causes of migration
  7. Examine the contributions of Thomas Malthus to the field of demography
  8. Discuss population census, sample survey and population register as sources of population data
  9. Write notes on the following:
    - (i) Total fertility rate
    - (ii) Life expectancy at birth
    - (iii) Infant mortality rate
  10. What are the salient issues in population policies in developing nations