

## NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND LAGOS MARCH/APRIL 2016 EXAMINATION SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURAL SCIENCES

COURSE CODE: AEM719

COURSE TITLE: EXTENSION METHODS AND COMMUNICATION

Time Allowed: 2 hours

Instruction: Answer any four (4) questions

1. a) Explain the concept of agricultural extension education.

- b) State the different types of group methods.
- c) List in ten (10) sequential order the steps to effective method of demonstration planning.
- d) Enumerate the advantages of Television Method.
- 2. a) Explain the mass media theory.
  - b) Briefly explain the magic bullet theory.
  - c) Describe the two step flow theory.
  - d) Discuss the use and gratification theory.
- 3. a) Conceptualize teaching and learning in extension.
  - b) State the characteristics of learning and teaching in extension.
  - c) List five ways of achieving transfer of learning.
  - d) Discuss the factors affecting learning.
- 4. a) Define the term motivation.
  - b) Enumerate the general principles of perception in extension.
  - c) Explain non-formal education in extension.
  - d) State Adebayo and Adedoyin (2003), Bittner (1989) views on communication.
- 5. a) List the process skills that are needed to facilitate a more people centered approach to communication.
  - b) State five major elements for which extension teaching should provide learning situations
  - c) List four elements of communication processes.
  - d) Explain the feedback mechanism in communication process.
- 6. a) Explain linear or mathematical model
  - b) Describe the problem solver model

- c) Differentiate social interaction model from diffusion model
- d) Explain induced innovation model relevance to communication.