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MARCH/APRIL 2016 EXAMINATION

SCHOOL OF HEALTH SCIENCES

COURSE CODE: EHS 319
COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO DEMOGRAPHY
TIME ALLOWED: 2 hours
INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ALL THE QUESTIONS

- 1a. Define demography 2mks
- b. State three (3) objectives of demography 3mks
- c. Explain the three main aspects of demography 15mks
2. Demography is one of the areas in sociology that treats things from the practical point of view and is seen in our live every day. Discuss the relationship of demography with the environment 15mks
- a. Demography and Politics
 - b. Demography and Government
 - c. Demography and Business
- (5mks each)
3. Describe the following population variables of demography. 20mks
- a. Fertility
 - b. Mortality
 - c. Death Rates
 - d. Migration
- (5mks each)
4. Write briefly on these three population theories 15mks
- a. Optimum Population Theory
 - b. Demographic Transition Theory by C.P Blacker.
 - c. The Malthusian Theory of Population
- (5mks each)