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Faculty of Agricultural Sciences
Dept. of Agricultural Economics and Extension
2020_2 Examination

Course Title: LEADERSHIP AND RURAL DEVELOPMENT

Course Code: ARD 511

Credit Unit: 2 Units

Total Score: 70 Marks

Time Allowed: 2 ½ hrs

Instruction: Answer Question one and three other questions

- 1a. (i) Who is a leader (2marks)
(ii) What is leadership? (2marks)
(iii) Mention four (4) basic elements in leadership relationships (2marks)
- b. State five (5) differences between leadership and headship (5marks)
- c. (i) What is Situation as an element of leadership relationships (2marks)
(ii) State five components of Situation as an element of leadership relationships (5marks)
- d. (i) Explain Task as an element of leadership relationship? (3marks)
(ii) State four (4) qualities that should be inherent in a good leader (4marks)
2. a Explain the concept of visibility of leaders (3marks)
b. Discuss briefly the three (3) types of leaders by visibility (9marks)
c. What are the features of the covert power elites? (3marks)
- 3a. Leaders can be classified as Generalists or Specialists. Discuss (5marks)
b. Distinguish between Action leaders and Opinion leaders (5marks)
c. How can you differentiate a Local leader from a Cosmopolitan leader? (5marks)
- 4a. Discuss five (5) main characteristics of a good leader (10marks)
b. What are the four conditions under which leadership can be affirmed (5marks)
- 5a. Discuss Five (5) ways of selection of a leader (10marks)
b. What are the Limitations of the use of local leaders in rural development? (5marks)
- 6a. State the various Guidelines for Using and selecting Local Village Leadership (7 ½ marks)
b. What are the Importance of Local Leaders in Rural Development? (7 ½ marks)