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Faculty of Agricultural Sciences, Dept. of Agricultural Economics and Extension,

PoP Examination Questions, 2021_2 Academic Session¹²³⁴⁵

Course Title: RURAL COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT

Course Code: ARD 504

Credit Unit: 2 Units

Total Score: 70 Marks

Time Allowed: 2: Hours

INSTRUCTION: Answer 3 questions.

QUESTION ONE

- a. List four effects of social change on human relations 6 marks
- b. What are the sociological indicators of a developed society 5 marks
- c. Enumerate the different types of development theories 5 marks
- d. State the Benefits of Differentiation Theory 4 marks
- e. Itemize four (4) forms that Social change may assume in any community 4 marks

Total = 24 marks

QUESTION TWO

- a. Clearly explain some of the problems encountered in the process of Rural Community Development **15 marks**
- b. State the factors that facilitates social change in rural community development

8 marks

Total = 23 marks

QUESTION THREE

- a. What is rural community 4 marks
- b. Outline the factors that determine settlement patterns in rural communities **9 marks**
- c. Explain the two major types of settlement patterns in Nigeria **10 marks**

Total = 23 marks

QUESTION FOUR

- a. Identify the factors that are responsible for the rate of societal changes in rural communities **12 marks**
- b. What do you understand by the term “ Social change” 2 marks
- c. Outline three Sources of Social Change **9 marks**

Total = 23 marks