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Course Title: Rural Youth Programmes in Agricultural Extension

Course Code: AEM512 Credit Unit: 2 Units Total Score: 70 Marks Time Allowed: 2 Hrs

INSTRUCTION: Answer Three Questions Only

OUESTION ONE

- a. Write short note on Rural Youth Club (8 mks)
- b. Establish the Social-Personal definition of who a youth is, and expatiate on the implications of the definition (8 mks)
- c. Rural Youth Clubs would have achieved more than it has if not for some leadership problems plaguing it. List and explain four (4) of such known problems (8 mks)

QUESTION TWO

- a. Advance five (5) major factors that militated against the progress and continuity of the Young Farmers Club. (7 $\frac{1}{2}$ mks)
- b. The pre–colonial/colonial era of rural youth extension programmes was characterized by missionary extension activities in the rural areas. State four (4) of the major activities that the missionaries carried out during the era. (8 mks)
- c. The Farm Settlement Scheme was established with some objectives behind it. State five of them (7 ½ mks)

OUESTION THREE

- a. Differentiate between the events of Pre-colonial/Colonial period and Post-Colonial periods of the of rural youth programmes in agricultural extension (7 mks)
- b. The importance of Rural Youth Programme cannot be over emphasized. Standing on this assertion, narrate four (4) roles of the programme (8 mks)
- c. Describe four (4) objectives Rural Youth Programme is aimed to achieve for the rural people (8 mks)

OUESTION FOUR

- a. Mention six (6) important positions or official positions that need to be occupied or voted for in Rural Youth Club (3 mks)
- b. Narrate any three (3) merits of the Songhai-Delta to the people of Delta State. (6 mks)
- c. State four (4) educational objectives of rural youth programmes in agricultural extension (6 mks)

d. The formation of rural youth programme in agricultural extension is guided by some philosophical foundations. Discuss four (4) of them (8 mks)