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FOURTHYEAR FIRST SEMESTER REGULAREXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION (ARTS/BUSINESS STUDIES)

COURSE CODE:

GEO 410

COURSE TITLE:

AGRICULTURAL GEOGRAPHY

DATE:

27/1/2022

TIME: 9-12PM

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES

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INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

- i. Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions.
- ii. Maps, sketches and diagrams should be used whenever they serve to illustrate the answer.
- iii. Do not write on the question paper.

Question One

a) Define the term food insecurity (2 Marks)

b) Highlight parameters used to determine agricultural systems. (8 Marks)

c) With reference to Kenya, explain the importance of agriculture on the environment.

(20 Marks)

Question Two

a) What is green revolution? (2 Marks)

b) Highlight FOUR characteristics of green revolution. (8 Marks)

c) 'Africa achieved little benefits, if any, from green revolution'. Discuss the validity of this statement. (10 Marks)

Question Three

Describe any TWO of the following systems of farming:

a) Intensive farming system. (10 Marks)

b) Commercial farming system. (10 Marks)

c) Pastoral farming system. (10 Marks)

Question Four

a) Explain FIVE technological constraints which affect agricultural productivity in Kenya.

(10 Marks)

b) Suggest workable interventions to the above (4a) constraints. (10 Marks)

Question Five

Discuss the factors determining food situation in sub-Saharan Africa. (20 Marks)
