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MAIN EXAMINATION PAPER

PROGRAMME:

DIPLOMA IN AGRICULTURE II

DIPLOMA IN HOME ECONOMICS II

COURSE CODE:

AEE 206

TITLE OF PAPER:

EXTENSION TEACHING METHODS

TIME ALLOWED:

TWO [2] HOURS

INSTRUCTION:

ANSWER ALL FOUR [4] QUESTIONS

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QUESTION 1

Result demonstrations are important in facilitating learning by farmers. In Swaziland, there are a number of factors that constrain the use of this method of teaching.

[a] Discuss three [3] factors that constrain the use of the result demonstration in helping farmers to adopt agricultural innovations.

[15 Marks]

- [b] How would you prepare for teaching farmers using the result demonstration? [5 Marks]
- [c] How would you use the result demonstration to teach farmers or home-makers? [5 Marks]

[Total: 25 Marks]

QUESTION 2

Explain when an extension worker/officer uses the following methods of teaching in extension:

- [a] farm and home visit
- [b] discussion
- [c] field trip
- [d] field day
- [e] Radio

[25 Marks]

QUESTION 3

Explain how you can prepare for and conduct a field day for a group of farmers/home makers. What are the advantages of this method of teaching adults?

[25 Marks]

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QUESTION 4

[a] Explain how you can use a method demonstration to teach a group of farmers/home makers.

[15 marks]

[b] What are the advantages of this method of teaching in agricultural extension?

[10 Marks]

[Total: 25 Marks]