

# UNIVERSITY OF SWAZILAND SUPPLEMENTARY EXAMINATION PAPER

**PROGRAMME** 

DIPLOMA IN AGRICULTURE YEAR I,

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EDUCATION YEAR I, DIPLOMA IN HOME ECONOMICS YEAR I AND DIPLOMA IN HOME ECONOMICS EDUCATION YEAR I

COURSE CODE

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TITLE OF PAPER

**ZOOLOGY** 

TIME ALLOWED

**TWO HOURS** 

INSTRUCTIONS

: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS

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#### **QUESTION ONE**

- a. Give an account of the characteristics of living organisms. (10 Marks)
- b. Explain the autotrophic and heterotrophic types of feeding and indicate the type of living organisms carrying out each of these types of feeding.

(5 Marks)

c. Describe how the grouping and naming of living organisms are carried out in the process of classification. (10 Marks)

# **QUESTION TWO**

- a. Name the three (3) main parts of an animal cell. (5 Marks).
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- b. List the cytoplasmic organelles found in an animal cell and indicate the functions of each of these organelles. (15 Marks)
- c. Explain the relationships among the functions of these organelles.

(5 Marks)

#### **QUESTION THREE**

Describe the process of protein synthesis indicating the roles of deoxyribonucleic acid (DNA) and ribonucleic acid (RNA) in this process. (25 Marks)

#### **QUESTION FOUR**

- a. Describe the process of ova genesis in a ewe with 54 diploid numbers of chromosomes. (20 Marks)
- b. Indicate the differences between ova genesis and spermatogenesis as occurs in sheep. (5 Marks)

# **QUESTION FIVE**

- a. Using the cell as the unit of the structure of the body of farm animals, indicate how the animal body is organized. (5 Marks)
- b. List the types of epithelial tissue found in the bodies of farm animals. (10 Marks)
- c. Describe the structure of a typical tubular organ found in the bodies of farm animals. (10 Marks)

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# **QUESTION SIX**

- a. Describe how glands develop and indicate the main difference (s) between an exocrine gland and an endocrine gland. (15 Marks)
- b. List the five (5) hormones secreted by the anterior pituitary gland and indicate the function (s) of each of these hormones. (10 Marks)