

**UNIVERSITY OF KABIANGA**

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2016/2017 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**THIRD YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS/AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION EDUCATION**

**COURSE CODE: ARE 360**

**COURSE TITLE: RURAL DEVELOPMENT**

**TIME: 3 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

Answer any **FIVE** Questions. All Questions carry equal marks.

**Question One**

Enumerate problems of rural development that are:

1. People related. (7 marks)
2. Administrative. (3 marks)
3. Leadership related. (3 marks)
4. Agriculture related. (7 marks)

**Question Two**

1. Outline the key areas of agricultural policy concern in Kenya. (5 marks)
2. Outline the main policy goals of the agricultural sector. (5 marks)
3. Outline constraints which result from an accumulation of poor past policies in agriculture. (10 marks)

**Question Three**

1. Define two ways of measuring development. (2 marks)
2. Briefly discuss indicators of economic development. (18 marks)

**Question Four**

Briefly discuss elements that can support rural livelihoods at the national level. (20 marks)

**Question Five**

1. Strategy implementation for poverty alleviation can be directed towards six issues, name them. (6 marks)
2. Discuss the objectives of poverty alleviation. (8 marks)
3. Briefly discuss international level elements that can support rural livelihood development. (4 marks)
4. Define rural development. (2 marks)

**Question Six**

Discuss the theory of globalization in development. (20 marks)