INTERNATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF EAST AFRICA

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PROGRAMME: HEC
YEAR/SEM: YEAR 1/SEMESTER 1
COURSE CODE: FDN 1104
NAME: DEVELOPMENT STUDIES

DATE:
TIME:

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

SECTION A

Answer All

Question 1:

Explain development as a human condition.....2 Marks

Question 2:

Describe development as an academic study.....2 Marks

Question 3:

Define sustainable development.....2 Marks

Question 4:

What is development assistance?.....2 Marks

Question 5:

What do we mean by stakeholders in development?.....2 Marks

Question 6:

What is ecological footprint?.....2 Marks

Question 7:

What is economic growth?.....2 Marks

Question 8:

Define economic development?.....2 Marks

Question 9:

Define metrics.....2 Marks

Question 10:

Define Trade.....2 Marks

Question 11:

Explain primary goods.....2 Marks

Question 12:

What are tertiary goods?.....2 Marks

Question 13:

What is legal development?.....2 Marks

Question 14:

Explain Technological development.....2 Marks

Question 15:

Discuss economic indicators of development.....2 Marks

Question 16:

Discuss demographic indicators of development.....2 Marks

Question 17:

What is SDG?.....2 Marks

Question 18:

Write on the criteria of economic development.....2 Marks

Question 19:

How do we quantify economic growth.....2 Marks

Question 20:

What are examples of sustainable development.....2 Marks

SECTION B

Answer Any Three

Question 1:

a. Define climate issues.....5 Marks

b. How does ecological footprint affect environmental sustainability.10 Marks

c. List five technologies that are climate friendly.....5 Marks

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Question 2:

a. Write on the history of the United Nations.....5 Marks

b. Write on the mandate of the United Nations.....5 Marks

c. List at least 10 sustainable development goals of the UN.....10 Marks

Question 3:

a. Why do we measure development?.....5 Marks

b. Write on any three indicators of development.....10 Marks

c. Mention 10 agencies collecting data to measure development.....5 Marks

Question 4:

a. What is a development economic theory?.....5 Marks

b. List and explain any three development economic theories.....7 Marks

c. Explain environmentalism in connection with capitalism as development theories.....8 Marks

Question 5:

a. Explain the following as factors affecting sustainable development:

Sustainable Economy.....3 marks

Social Equity.....3 Marks

Green Environment.....3 Marks

b. What are the three factors which affect development?.....6 Marks

c. Describe development as a process.....5 Marks

Question 6:

a. Create a comparative analysis of a developed and developing country indicating the components with positive and negative indicators of development.....10 Marks

b. What models of analysis do you know?.....5 Marks

c. Give your definition of development.....5 Marks

Question 7:

a. Explain Trade or Aid debate as routes towards development.....6 Marks

b. Write on advantages of Trading towards development.....7 Marks

c. Write the advantages of receiving Aid to develop.....7 Marks

Question 8:

a. How has globalization affected development?.....8 Marks

b. Write on issues and opportunities in Globalization.....7 Marks

c. List five technologies that have been drivers of globalization.....5 Marks

Question 9:

a. Why was the United Nations created?.....5 Marks

b. Write the differences between MDGs and SDGs.....10 Marks

c. Mention five subsidiaries of the United Nations.....5 Marks

Question 10:

a. Explain the following:

Development Theory.....3 Marks

Development Policy.....3 Marks

Development Practice.....3 Marks

b. List and explain five stakeholders to development.....5 Marks

c. What factors are currently affecting the meaning of development..6 Marks