



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
University Village, Nnamdi Azikiwe Expressway, Plot 91, Cadastral Zone, Jabi, Abuja
Faculty of Agricultural Sciences,
Dept. of Agricultural Economics and Extension,
2025_2 EXAMINATIONS

Course Title: Agricultural Extension, Administration and Supervision

Course Code: AEM711

Credit Unit: 2

Total Score: 70 Marks

Time Allowed: 2 Hours

Instruction: Answer compulsory question 1 (30 marks) and other 2 questions (20 marks each).

Question 1:

- i. Explain the concept of Administration (5 marks)
- ii. Enumerate any 5 possible problems facing or plaguing extension development in the present-day Nigeria. (5 marks)
- iii. State 4 necessary conditions that are capable of ensuring Staff loyalty in extension organization (6 marks)
- iv. List important factors to take into consideration when designing an effective organization structure (6 marks)
- v. An ideal extension policy document is made up of different components. Explain 4 of these components (8 marks)

Question 2:

- i. Discuss the concept of Agricultural Extension (5 marks)
- ii. Express any 7 various areas or reasons why a properly conducted Staff Appraisal can help an Extension (7 marks)
- iii. Using 4 reasons, Justify why it is necessary for a researcher or an administrator to write a report at the end of any project carried out by him/her (8 marks)

Question 3:

- i. State any 2 basic concerns or aims of Agricultural Extension (4 marks)
- ii. Define Personnel Management and enumerate 5 of its function in the extension services (8 marks)
- iii. The Extension Administrator is saddled with some essential tasks which makes his work to be cumbersome. Describe 4 of these tasks (8 marks)

Question 4:

- i. Define Coordination in Agricultural Extension (3 marks)
- ii. Identify the prime or real aim of Appraisal Staff in Extension Organization (3 marks)
- iii. Agricultural Extension is governed by some principles. Discuss 4 of these principles (8 marks)
- iv. State giving 4 reasons or importance that underscores Supervision as an essential task in Agricultural Extension. (6 marks)