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Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Development Studies Part 1 Semester 1

COURSE CODE : ADS118
COURSE TITLE : Rural Development
DURATION : 3 Hours
DATE : 29 NOV 2024

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:

1. Answer any 3 Questions.
2. Each question carries 25 Marks.
3. Start each question on a new page of your answer sheet.
4. Use relevant examples or case studies in answering your questions.

1. Present a paper to a multi-stakeholder conference discussing the view that 'rural development is promoted not only through agriculture but through the diversity of rural livelihoods.'
2. Explain to the aspiring Minister of Agriculture of Zimbabwe how limited access to finance and markets affects the failure of rural agriculture to ignite sustainable rural development in developing countries.
3. As a leading rural development consultant in Zimbabwe, account for the successes and failures of rural growth point strategy in rural development giving reference to Zimbabwe.
4. For development to take place, especially in Agro-based countries, it will have to start in the rural areas and the agricultural sector. As a development practitioner, write a paper discussing practical methods of eradicating rural poverty in Southern African countries.
5. The Sustainable Resources Management and Use program develops, implements, and monitors policies on managing and using land and water resources in agriculture. As a leading Development Practitioner, explain the benefits and costs of Community-Based Natural Resource Management (CBRM).

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