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**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS
2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER
MAIN EXAMINATION**

**FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN AGRICULTURE
AND BIOTECHNOLOGY**

COURSE CODE: AEX 211

COURSE TITLE: RURAL SOCIOLOGY

DATE 14TH DECEMBER 2023

TIME: 9 – 11 AM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions.

TIME: 2 Hours

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1. (a) Distinguish between Rural Sociology and Urban Sociology (4 Marks)
(b) Compare and contrast rural and urban communities with respects to farming
(6 marks)
(c).Discuss the importance of rural sociology in farming (20 Marks)
2. Outline the importance of rural sociology to agricultural extension service providers in
Kenya (20 Marks)
3. (A) Outline the importance of social networking in financing of agriculture projects in
Kenya (10 Marks)
(B) State Five Factors that influence performance of community-based agricultural
organizations in Kenya (10 Marks)
4. A. Discuss how peer influence affects success of agricultural projects (10 Marks).
B. Discuss the social impacts of a selected farming project in given (10 Marks).
5. State and explain the social responsibilities of agriculture extension service providers
(20 Marks).