

YALE HIGH SCHOOL

END OF TERM III EXAMINATIONS 2015

S.1 AGRICULTURE

TIME: 2 HRS

INSTRUCTIONS

- Answer all questions in this paper
- All questions carry equal marks.
- Mind the time as indicated on the paper

QUESTIONS

1(a). Agriculture comes from a Greek word **AGROS NOMOS** meaning. (2mks)

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(b). Give reasons why Agriculture is regarded both science and an Art subject? (4mks)

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2(a). List down five Branches of Agriculture (5mks)

(i).....

(ii).....

(iii).....

(iv).....

(v).....

(b). State five (5) reasons of studying Agriculture. (5mks)

(i).....

(ii).....

(iii).....

(iv).....

(v).....

3(a). List down five (5) problems that affect the farmers who carry out Agriculture. (5mks)

(i).....

(ii).....

(iii).....

(iv).....

(v).....

(b). Give five (5) solutions for the above listed problems. (5mks)

(i).....

(ii).....

(iii).....

(iv).....

(v).....

4(a).List down four (4) various uses of land in the economy of the country.(4mks)

(i).....

(ii).....

(iii).....

(iv).....

(b).Outline five (5) ways of acquiring land for farming.(5mks)

(i).....

(ii).....

(iii).....

(iv).....

(v).....

5(a).List down the five (5) uses of forests to the economy of the country.(5mks)

(i).....

(ii).....

(iii).....

(iv).....

(v).....

(b). Outline three (3) disadvantages of forests.(3mks)

(i).....

(ii).....

(iii).....

6(a).Define the following as used in farming practices.(5mks)

(i).Shifting Cultivation

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(ii). Mixed farming

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(iii). Subsistence farming

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(iv). Plantation Farming

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(v).Pastoralism

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(b). List down five (5) advantages of mixed farming. (5mks)

- (i).....
- (ii).....
- (iii).....
- (iv).....
- (v).....

7(a).Define weathering. (2mks)

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(b).List down three types of weathering.(3mks)

- (i).....
- (ii).....
- (iii).....

c). State five factors that affect the soil formation.(5mks)

- (i).....
- (ii).....
- (iii).....
- (iv).....
- (v).....

8(a).Outline five (5) constituents/compositions of soil.(5mks)

- (i).....
- (ii).....
- (iii).....
- (iv).....
- (v).....

(b).State two (2) uses of Air in the soil.(2mks)

- (i).....
- (ii).....

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WISH YOU GOOD LUCK.