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AFB 2111: Introduction to Food Security

SECTION A

Answer all questions from this section (3 marks each)

- 1. "Agriculture remains the largest employment sector in Kenya". True or False? Explain your choice citing examples.
- 2. Why is it important for community health workers to know the various foods and food habits of different communities?
- 3. Give 4 reasons why we need nutrients to build the body.
- 4. Which body in Kenya is responsible for ensuring that imported food products are of acceptable quality and safe to eat?
- 5. Name a toxin produced by moulds that grow in cereals and legumes. Explain how the growth of this mould may be controlled?
- 6. "Agro processing is the largest manufacturing sub sector in Kenya." True or False? Explain your choice citing examples.
- 7. "Severe hunger without food" is one way of measuring the degree of Food Insecurity. True or False?
- 8. "Culture influences our food habits." True or False? Explain your choice.
- 9. Define the term "Hunger"
- 10. 'All individuals of the same age and gender need the same amount of food nutrients'. True or False? Explain your choice.

SECTION B

Answer any TWO questions from this section (15 marks each)

- 1. Explain the meaning of the following terms as used in the Pillars of Food Security and give examples in your explanation.
 - a) Food use
 - b) Food access

c) Food availability

- 2. Define Food and Nutrition security. You may use examples to explain your answer.
- 3. Name 4 factors that hinder food production in Kenya and show how the government is working to address these.
- 4. Explain 4 factors that hinder development of the food industry in Kenya.
- 5. Why is food processing important? Give two examples of processed foods.