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2023 /2024 ACADEMIC YEAR

FOURTH YEAR FIRST SEMESTER REGULAR MAIN EXAMINATION

FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF EDUCATION SCIENCE

COURSE CODE: SBL 401EE

COURSE TITLE: ENTOMOLOGY AND PARASITOLOGY

DATE: 5th DECEMBER, 2023

TIME: 9.00 A.M - 12.00 P.M

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

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SBL 401EE: ENTOMOLOGY AND PARASITOLOGY

STREAM: BED (SCIENCE)			DURATION: 3 Hours	
INST	RUCT	TIONS TO CANDIDATES		
i.	Answ	Answer ALL questions from section A and any FOUR from section B.		
ii.	Diag	Diagrams should be used whenever they deserve to illustrate the answer.		
iii.	Do no	Do not write on the question paper.		
SECT		(30 MARKS)		
	tion Or			
a.		is adaptive radiation?	(2 Marks)	
b.		he FIVE main characteristics of parasites?	(5 Marks)	
c. Describe the following types of organism relationships:				
	i.	Parasitism	(2 Marks)	
	ii.	Commensalism	(2 Marks)	
	iii.	Symbiosis	(2 Marks)	
d.	Is pati	hogenicity similar to virulence? Explain.	(3 Marks)	
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a)		rentiate between the following types of parasites:	(2 Mayler)	
		oloparasite,	(2 Marks)	
1		emiparasite,	(2 Marks)	
11		acultative parasite,	(2 Marks)	
iv	. Ol	bligate parasite,	(2 Marks)	
1	. Er	ndoparasite,	(2 Marks)	
V	i. Ec	ctoparasite.	(2 Marks)	
b) List any TWO ways of controlling external parasites. (2 Marks)				

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ECTION B (40 MARKS)

Question Three

a. List any TWO human diseases caused by protozoan parasites.

(2 Marks)

b. Using any example, describe the life cycle of a protozoan parasite.

(8 Marks)

Question Four

In order to infect a host, parasites apply techniques to aid in their evasion of the protection arising from the host's immune and integumentary systems.

Elaborate on the strategies employed by parasites.

(10 Marks)

Question Five

Using specific parasite examples, discuss the following types of hosts:

(10 Marks)

- a. Definitive host
- b. Intermediate host
- c. Reservoir host
- d. Paratenic host

Question Six

Account for the various ways through which transmission of parasites happen.

(10 Marks)

Question Seven

Through which strategies can the spread of arthropods be controlled?

(10 Marks)
