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SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN HOSPITALITY AND TOURISM MANAGEMENTE

AFH 3204: LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL CULINARY ART

DATE: DECEMBER 2024 TIME: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS:

• Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions

QUESTION ONE (30 MARKS)

- a). Define the following terms as applied in food preparation, production techniques and give two types of dishes produced using these particular methods:
 - i). Deep-frying. (2 marks).
 - ii). Stewing. (2 marks)
 - iii). Cook-chill and Cook-freeze. (2 marks).
- b). i) What do you understand by the word FOOD? Outline two sources and in each category give two examples qualities. (5 marks)
 - ii) Define 'butcher's meat and describe the animal slaughtering process in an abattoir.

(5 marks).

- iii). Define **game** for culinary purposes as applied in food service industry? Outline two classifications of game and in each type give two examples. (4 marks).
- c). i) Explain the meaning of confectionery goods and name four sugar products that are used in sweet production. (5 marks).

ii) Outline the classification groups of convenience foods in hospitality industry and explain the three	
advantages and two disadvantages of these foods.	(5 marks).
QUESTION TWO (20 MARKS)	
a). Describe the importance of a good standard recipe in food preparation and production	process in a
hotel kitchen.	(10 marks).
Outline the main types of chemical compound that influence taste, and indicate on which parts of	
the tongue each compound may be experienced.	(10 marks)
QUESTION THREE (20 MARKS)	
a). Discuss two different types for each of the following commodities and identify two cu	ılinary use
for each type as applied in food production,	
i) Nuts.	
ii) Oil.	
iii) Raising agents.	
iv) Rice.	
v) Sugar.	(10 marks)
b). Draw a meat distribution channel once the animal has been slaughtered.	(10 marks)
QUESTION FOUR (20 MARKS)	
a). Explain how you would prevent the following foods from becoming contaminated in the	the kitchen.
	(10 marks)
i) cooked rice	
ii) eggs	
iii) pork sausages	

v) vegetable salads		
b). Discuss the five contents of milk outlining the factors which can affects its good qualities.		
	(10 marks)	
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iv) raw chicken