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## National Open University of Nigeria Plot 91, Cadastral Zone, Nnamdi Azikwe Express Way, Jabi- Abuja Department of Arts and Social Sciences Education Faculty of Education 2021\_1 Examination

Programme: PGDE
Course Code: EDU 768

**Course Title: Social Studies Method** 

Credit Unit: 2 Units Time Allowed: 2 Hours

Instruction: Answer Question 1 and any other 2 questions

- 1. (a) Social Studies is an interdisciplinary subject. Discuss this statement with four (4) points. (10 marks)
  - (b) Analyse four (4) concepts that could be used to delineate the nature of Social Studies. (12 marks)
  - (c) Social Studies is a subject designed to promote values. State four (4) values that students can achieve through Social Studies education in the school. (8 marks)
- 2. (a) Effective utilization of instructional resources can be achieved through some basic principles. Discuss four (4) of those principles. (12 marks)
  - (b) State four (4) points of the acronym of Lawal (1997) tagged "MR. GLOPPOC concerning the skills that a Social Studies teacher needs to acquire when improvising instructional resources. (8 marks)
- 3. (a) Enumerate two (2) categories of community resources for effective teaching and learning Social Studies in school. (8 marks)
  - (b) Analyse four (4) stages of role play instructional resources recommended by SuSSCED (2003). (12 marks)
- 4. (a) Examine three (3) forms of discussion method of teaching and learning Social Studies in schools. (12 marks)
  - (b) Using two (2) points, explain the link between the philosophical background of Social Studies and National Policy on Education (8 marks)