



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
DEPARTMENT OF RELIGIOUS STUDIES
FACULTY OF ARTS
2020_1 EXAMINATION

Programme: B.A Christian Religious Studies
Course Code: CRS 491 **3 Credit Units**
Course Title: African Traditional Religion and Culture
Time Allowed: 2 ½ hrs.
Instruction: Answer Question one (30 Marks) and any other two (20 Marks each)

- 1 (a) Give justifiable reasons for the Study of African Traditional Religion
- (b) Identify the characteristics of witches and wizards in African traditional religion
- 2 (a) Mention the factors that posed problems to the study of African traditional religion
- (b) Outline the different classifications of the theories of origin of African traditional religion and explain the first three.
- 3(a) Enumerate and explain different functions of religion in African traditional society.
- (b) Evaluate the role of culture in the study of African traditional religion.
- 4(a) Examine the various approaches to the study of African traditional religion
- (b) Assess the relationship between God and the divinities in African traditional religion.
- 5(a) What are the sources for the study of African traditional religion?
- (b) Evaluate the contributions of the early Christian missionaries to the study of African traditional religion and culture