



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
Faculty of Arts
Department of Languages
2020_1 EXAMINATIONS

COURSE CODE: ENG321
COURSE TITLE: CONTEMPORARY ENGLISH USAGE
CREDIT UNITS: 3
TIME ALLOWED: TWO HOURS

INSTRUCTION: Answer **Three** Questions. **1** extra mark will be awarded for clarity of expression

1. With hypothetical illustration, briefly discuss the concepts of **form** and **function** in language use. (23 marks/40 minutes)
2. Discuss the historical development of King's or Queen's English. (23 marks/40 minutes)
3. Comment on the historical development of English language in America. (23 marks/40 minutes)
4. Write short notes on the following categorisations of the English language pedagogy:
 - a. English as a native language (ENL) – 5 marks
 - b. English as a second language (ESL) – 6 marks
 - c. English as a foreign language (EFL) – 6 marks
 - d. English as a lingua franca. (ELF) – 6 marks(23 marks/40 minutes)