



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
Faculty of Arts
Department of Languages
2021_2 EXAMINATION

COURSECODE: ENG353

COURSE TITLE:

English Language In Nigeria

CREDIT UNIT:3

TIME ALLOWED: THREE HOURS

Instructions: Answer any four questions. Clarity in writing and logical presentation will be rewarded. each question carries equal marks (17 1/2 marks).

1. Discuss the advent of English language in Nigeria, explaining the factors responsible for it.
2. Discuss the multilingual situation in Nigeria, explaining how it has enhanced the development of
the English language in the country.
3. Write for or against the proposition, "English should be the national language in Nigeria".
4. Identify and discuss the functions of English language in Nigeria.
5. Is there indeed a variety of English known as Nigerian English? Discuss, citing relevant authorities.