



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

COURSE CODE: ENG 852

COURSE TITLE: Advanced Discourse Analysis

COURSE UNIT: 3 Credit Units

COURSE DURATION: 3HRS

Instruction: Answer any four question

1. Earlier approaches to the study of language were formalistic, Critically discuss this assertion with relevant examples. **(40Mins; 17.5marks)**
2. List and discuss the three language metafunctions by Halliday and Matthiessen (2004) **(40Mins; 17.5marks)**
3. Cohesion can be achieved in texts through: reference, ellipsis, conjunction and lexical organization, with examples explain**(40Mins; 17.5marks)**
4. Explain Ethnomethodology as an early approach to the study of earliest approaches to the study of what social interaction does, write notes on Indexicality and reflexivity as central ideas in ethnomethodology **(40Mins; 17.5marks)**
5. What is Critical Discourse Analysis (CDA)? Explain the approach of three proponents to CDA **(40Mins; 17.5marks)**