



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF MASS COMMUNICATION
2021_2 EXAMINATION**

COURSE CODE: JLS 711
COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO JOURNALISM
UNITS: 3
TIME: 3 HOURS
INSTRUCTION: ANSWER QUESTION ONE AND ANY OTHER THREE QUESTIONS.

1. Trace technological developments that impacted journalism from the introduction of writing to Gutenberg's invention of the printing press. **(25 Marks)**
2. Elaborate on the different rules which guide writing of court stories by the journalist. **(15 Marks)**
3. Missionaries played major roles towards the development of journalism in Nigeria. Elaborate. **(15 Marks)**
4. Courts in Nigeria may be classified in two ways. What are the two classifications and reasons for them? **(15 Marks)**
5. What are the roles and responsibilities of the personnel in the editorial and production units of a newsroom? **(15 Marks)**