



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA**  
**DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE**  
**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
**2019\_1 EXAMINATION QUESTIONS**

**COURES CODE:** INR391  
**COURSE TITLE:** NIGERIA'S FOREIGN POLICY 1  
**CREDIT UNIT:** 2  
**TIME ALLOWED:** 2 HRS  
**INSTRUCTION:** ANSWER ANY THREE QUESTIONS

**Question 1:** (a) What is foreign policy?  
(b) Explain the basic components of foreign policy? (23 marks)

**Question 2:** 'On the whole,... Nigeria's external relations under Shehu Shagari is that it was conservative, low profile and...lacked direction.'(Aworawo; 2003:403). Assess critically. (23 marks)

**Question 3:** How effective are Nigeria's oil and military capability instruments in foreign policy? (23 marks)

**Question 4:** What is the significance of NIPPS in Nigeria's foreign policy formulation? (23 marks)

**Question 5:** What are the benefits of Nigeria's membership of OPEC? (23 marks)