



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE
2023_1 EXAMINATIONS.**

COURSE CODE: POL 322

COURSE TITLE: COMPARATIVE FEDERALISM

CREDIT UNIT : 3

TIME ALLOWED : THREE HOURS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS (All questions carry 17.5 marks each)

1. Write short notes on any four of the following types of federal political system (17.5 Marks)
 - i. Competitive Federalism
 - ii. Dual Federalism
 - iii. Cooperative Federalism
 - iv. Confederation
2. Mention and explain any five (5) functions of the Executive Branch
3. Explain the cabinet system of Government and four key aspects of Dual Federalism?
4. Define the term 'Federation' and discuss Consociational Federalism
5. Trace the Evolution of Nigeria's Federalism