



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA, ABUJA**  
**FACULTY OF ARTS**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH**  
**2024 1 EXAMINATION**

**COURSE CODE: ENG 454**  
**COURSE TITLE: Multilingualism**  
**COURSE UNITS: 3 Credit Units**  
**Time allowed: Three (3) hours**  
**Instruction: Answer any four questions.**

- 1 a. Using appropriate examples, distinguish between lingua franca and national language.  
b. Explain the two levels of multilingualism.
  
- 2 a. Explore the reason(s) for controversy in the choice of a national language in Nigeria.  
b. Explain the issues of multilingualism with reference to education taking Nigeria as a case study.
  
- 3 a. Discuss individual level of language choice as an aspect of language planning.  
b. Distinguish between status planning and prestige planning.
  
- 4 a. Explain the term domains of language and exemplify three of them.  
b. Explain the following strategies of language management
  - i. content strategies
  - ii. form strategies
  - iii. channel strategies
  
- 5 a. Discuss the role of the following as responsible for rapid attrition of minority languages
  - i. speakers' attitudes towards their languages
  - ii. a change in the speech community's perception of its identity  
b. Discuss the concept of endogenous and exogenous languages in Nigeria with appropriate examples.

ii. Explain the reason for connecting geophones in arrays to each recording channel when the depth of investigation is small.

#### **QUESTION 4**

ai. What is the angle at which the ray that is critically refracted at the lowermost interface leaves the ground surface in the case of more one interface?

ii. Give a brief explanation on spread, and array.

b. Discuss centre shots in refraction survey

#### **QUESTION 5**

a. Describe the following;

Common midpoint traces,

Multiple reflection, and

Fold coverage

b. Write a short note on the principal refractors

Question 5:

- (a) Identify the five (5) key elements of any organisation. **(5marks)**
- (b) Describe the technology component of an organizational structure. **(10marks)**
- (c) i) What is MIS? **(2marks)**
  - ii) Discuss any three (3) objectives of MIS. **(3marks). Total 20marks.**