



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

**COURSE CODE: ENG 812**

**COURSE TITLE: Contrastive Linguistics**

**COURSE UNIT: 3 Credit Units**

**Time allowed: Three (3) Hours**

**Instruction: Answer any four questions.**

1. What are the major pre-occupations of contrastive linguistics in language teaching and learning? (45 Minutes, 17.5Marks)
2. Clearly illustrate how contrastive studies as a discipline is related to science. (45 Minutes, 17.5 Marks)
3. Identify the necessary steps involved in the methodological framework for contrastive studies. (45 Minutes, 17.5Marks)
4. What is the predictive power of contrastive analysis? (45 Minutes, 17.5Marks)
5. The grammatical CA is a necessity in Contrastive Studies. How true is this assertion? Justify. (45 Minutes, 17.5Marks)