



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA  
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES (FSS)  
DEPARTMENT OF DEVELOPMENT STUDIES  
2025\_2 EXAMINATIONS.**

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**Course Code: DES 317**

**Course Title: Public Policy & Governance**

**Credit Units: 2CU**

**Time Allowed: 2Hrs**

**Instructions: Question no. 1 is Mandatory and carries 30marks. While, any other two (2) questions of your choice you answer carry 20marks each.**

**Indicate your Matric. number clearly. Write legibly, coherently & in an orderly manner.**

**QUESTIONS:**

- 1) (a) What is the meaning of Public Policy? (b) List and discuss three (3) types of Public Policy that you know? (c) Provide an overview of Nigeria's post-colonial public policy from 1960 to 1966? [30marks]**
- 2) Discuss how Evidence-based Planning will help improve the policymaking process of Nigeria? [20marks]**
- 3) Clearly explain the Policy Legitimization, Policy Implementation and Evaluation levels of the Stages in the Heuristic Model of Policy making process? [20marks]**
- 4) Fully discuss the Multiple-Streams Framework as a policy making process? [20marks]**

**Good Luck!**