



**National Open University of Nigeria
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2025_1 EXAMINATION**

COURSE CODE: EGC803 (2 CREDIT UNITS)

COURSE TITLE: DEVELOPMENTAL PSYCHOLOGY

TIME: 2 HRS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER QUESTION 1 AND ANY OTHER 2

- 1a. Explain the factors that affect personality development in childhood. 10marks.
- 1b. Distinguish between the identical and Non-identical babies in twin's development. 15marks
- 1c. The decline in sex hormones that ensues during the climactic seems to have limited sexual effects on men. Enumerate five (5) factors accountable for this. 5marks.
- 2a. A number of approaches have been used to explain the process of aging. Briefly explain any TWO (2) of them. (10marks).
- 2b. How can the school and the home facilitate emotional well-being among adolescents? (10marks).
- 3a. Explain how teachers and parents can assist adolescents in coping with the changes occurring in the adolescence period. 10marks.
- 3b. i). Define the term "EMOTION". ii). Explain four (4) causes of emotion. (10marks).
- 4a. Define the following concepts:
 - (i). Development (5marks)
 - (ii). Developmental psychology (5marks)
- 4b. Itemize five (5) developmental tasks of adolescents and explain the role of the teacher in guiding students on how to cope with the tasks. (10marks).