

## FACULTY OF HUMANITIES DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH

FIRST SEMESTER EXAMS 2020/2021 ACADEMIC SESSION

COURSE CODE: ENG 309 UNIT: 3 DURATION: 2Hours

COURSE TITLE: THE ENGLISH LANGUAGE IN NIGERIA

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INSTRUCTION: Answer any three questions.

1. Discuss the factors that led to the advent and implantation of the English language in Nigeria.

- 2. "Notwithstanding the fact that the English language is not indigenous to Nigeria, it still has a guaranteed place in the Nigerian linguistic environment, despite the availability of many indigenous languages." Discuss.
- 3. Discuss domestication of English and show how it has affected the variety of the language in Nigeria.
- 4. In which areas is the English language in Nigeria different from world Standard English?
- 5. Identify and discuss the varieties into which the English language in Nigeria may be classified?