



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
Faculty of Arts
Department of Languages
2019_2 EXAMINATION

COURSE CODE: ENG423
COURSE TITLE: LITERATURE OF THE ROMANTIC PERIOD
CREDIT UNITS: 2
TIME ALLOWED: TWO HOURS

INSTRUCTION: Answer Question One (1) and any other one (1) question

QUESTION 1

- a) List notable Romantic writers across the genres of poetry and prose.
- b) Give one example of each writer's work.
- c) Discuss in detail one poem and one prose work with emphasis on literary features which depict the work as a product of the Romantic period.

(1 hour, 35 marks)

QUESTION 2

- a) With at least one example each, enumerate the major themes of the Romantic period.
- b) Using a poetic work or novel of your choice analyse how the writer expresses the Romantics' skepticism over science and technology or the industrial revolution.

(1 hour, 35 marks)

QUESTION 3

- a) Discuss briefly the two immediate pre-Romantic periods.
- b) Write briefly on two immediate post Romantic periods.

(1 hour, 35 marks)