



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA**  
**Plot 91, Cadastral Zone, Nnamdi Azikiwe Express Way, Jabi, Abuja**  
**Faculty of Education**

**Course Code:** EDU724  
**Course Title:** Fundamentals of Guidance and Counselling  
**Credits Unit:** 2  
**Time Allowed:** 2 Hours  
**Instruction:** Answer Question 1 and any other two questions

1. (a) How would you explain the term career to a senior secondary school student?  
(5 marks)
- (b) Categorize the two major areas of importance where information is needed for career guidance.  
(10 marks)
- (c) Relate the three stages in the theory of vocational development. (15 marks)
  
2. (a) Outline at least five principles that should be borne in mind in an attempt to introduce a guidance programme in the school setting?  
(10 marks)
- (b) Describe the activities a counsellor should carry out at the pre-planning stage in the attempt to introduce a guidance programme in the school setting.  
(10 marks)
  
3. (a) Assess at least five problems of continuous assessment (10 marks)  
(b) Identify the three categories of tests that may be used in career guidance.  
(10 marks)
  
4. (a) Critically examine the concept “guidance” (10 marks)  
(b) In a tabular form, show the distinction between guidance and counselling  
(10 marks)