



**National Open University of Nigeria**  
**91 Cadastral Zone Jabi Abuja**  
**Faculty of Education**  
**2023\_1 POP EXAMINATION**

**COURSE CODE: EDA 856**

**COURSE TITLE: PROBLEMS AND ISSUES IN HIGHER EDUCATION**

**CREDIT UNIT 2**

**TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS: ANSWER QUESTION 1 (ONE) AND ANY OTHER TWO (2) QUESTIONS**

1. National University Commission (NUC) and two other agencies has been deeply involved in the maintenance of Minimum Academic Standards in Nigerian Universities. Discuss this assertion in relation to quality assurance **(20 marks)**  
  
(b) There are different strategies for the realization of higher education in Nigeria. Explain ten (10) of such strategies. **(10 marks)**
2. Enumerate all the principal officers of the university and critically discuss on any three (3). **(20 marks)**
3. Comprehensively assess five (5) possible solutions to the challenges confronting administration of student affairs in higher education **(15 marks)**  
  
(b) Explain the concept curriculum **(5 marks)**
4. Critically examine three vibrant environmental factors that can enhance institutional accountability. **(20 marks)**