



NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA
FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES
DEPARTMENT OF POLITICAL SCIENCE
2021_2 POP EXAMINATION⁵⁶⁷⁸

COURSE CODE: POL 341

COURSE TITLE: PUBLIC ADMINISTRATION IN NIGERIA

COURSE UNIT: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 3HRS

INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS

- 1a. Give two scholarly definitions of public administration. (7.5 Marks)
- b. Enumerate five (5) principles of administration (10 Marks)

2. Examine the major school of thoughts that justify the need for the creation of local government (17.5 Marks)

- 3a. What are the approaches to the study of public administration? (7.5 Marks)
- b. Highlight three (3) scopes of public administration (10 Marks)

- 4a. What is civil service? (2.5 Marks)
- b. List and explain five (5) attributes of career civil service (15 Marks)

5. Public service reform is a deliberate and planned intervention towards improving public administration. Substantiate this statement by stating the goals of public service reform in Nigeria. (17.5 Marks)