

**LEAD CITY UNIVERSITY, IBADAN**  
**FACULTY OF ARTS AND EDUCATION**  
**DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATIONAL MANAGEMENT**

**COURSE PARTICULARS**

**Course Code:** SSE 112  
**Course Title:** Introduction to Nigeria Cultural Environment  
**No of Units:** 2  
**Status:** Compulsory

**LECTURER DETAILS**

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**Course Description:** Man as the focus of social studies. Socialization agencies and institutions, marriage, religion, health, legal and civic obligations. Civic rights and responsibilities.

**Course Objectives:** At the end of the course, students should be able to discuss intellectually what the cultural environment of Nigeria is all about.

**Teaching/Course Plan:**

Week 1: Introduction, General Direction of Cultural Policy.  
Week 2: Financing and planning of cultural activities.  
Week 3: History, colonization, independence, civil war.  
Week 4: Government and politics – foreign relations, military.  
Week 5: Geography – environmental issues.  
Week 6: Economy – key sectors.  
Week 7: Science and Technology.  
Week 8: Demographics – Ethno-linguistic groups.  
Week 9: Language and Religion  
Week 10: Culture – Literature, music.  
Week 11: Test

**Course Requirement/Assessment**

Test/Continuous Assessment	30%
Examination	70%
<b>Total</b>	<b>100%</b>

**Reading List:**

[www.wwcd.org/policy/Clink/Nigeria.html](http://www.wwcd.org/policy/Clink/Nigeria.html)  
[en.wikipeida.org/wiki/Nigeria](http://en.wikipeida.org/wiki/Nigeria)

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**TUTORIAL QUESTIONS**

1. Discuss the various supports by both the civilian and military governments to develop the culture of Nigeria.
2. Nigeria is one of the culturally most diversified African countries. Discuss.
3. Highlight the three largest ethnic groups and discuss them extensively.
4. How many ethnic groups are there, and what is the culture of Nigeria like?
5. 'Nigeria is home to a variety of religions'. Discuss.
6. "Despite the mining of petroleum, Nigeria is faced with a number of social issues". Discuss ten (10).  
Out of them
7. Is Nigeria home to a network of organized crime? Discuss.
8. Discuss religious persecution and how it has become endemic in Nigeria.
9. Discuss the Nigerian music and film industry.
10. Critically appraise five (5) citizens and their contributions to Nigeria.
11. Discuss briefly, health care and general living conditions in Nigeria.
12. Elucidate if there is a state of neglect of education in Nigeria and why this course is profitable to you as an undergraduate.

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**MARKING GUIDE**

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2. Nigeria is one of the culturally most diversified African countries. Discuss. **20marks**
3. Highlight the three largest ethnic groups and discuss them extensively. **4 marks x 5 points = 20marks**
4. How many ethnic groups are there, and what is the culture of Nigeria like? **20marks**
5. 'Nigeria is home to a variety of religions'. Discuss. **20marks**
6. "Despite the mining of petroleum, Nigeria is faced with a number of social issues". Discuss ten (10). Out of them **2 marks x 10 points = 20marks**
7. Is Nigeria home to a network of organized crime? Discuss. **20marks**
8. Discuss religious persecution and how it has become endemic in Nigeria. **20marks**
9. Discuss the Nigerian music and film industry. **10 marks x 2 points = 20marks**
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