



CIVIC EDUCATION SCHEME

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SN	TOPIC	CONTENT
1.	Values	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Integrity <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Meaning ✓ Attributes ✓ Examples of people of integrity in the society ✓ Need for ✓ Consequences of lack of integrity.
2.	Values	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Contentment <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Meaning ✓ Attributes ✓ Effects of lack of contentment.
3.	Values	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discipline <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Meaning ✓ Attributes ✓ Benefits ✓ Consequences of undisciplined behaviour. • Courage <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Meaning ✓ Types ✓ Attributes ✓ Some courageous steps taken by students.
4.	Nigeria As A Federation	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meaning • History • Need for • Characteristics • Danger of failure • Relationship between Federal, State and Local governments: Nature and

		Differences.
5.	Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meaning • Need for • Symbols of authority of the three arms of government • Functions and powers of government
6.	Government	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Functions and powers of the three arms of government • Doctrine of checks and balances • Doctrine of separation of powers • Reasons for separation of powers

7.	Leadership	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meaning • Types and attributes • Qualities of good leadership and followership • Responsibilities of good leaders • Consequences of bad leadership and followership
8.	Protection of Human Rights and the Rule of Law	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition • Three principles of rule of law • Benefits of rule of law • Punishment for breaking the law • Offences punishable under the law • Limitation to the application of the concept.
9.	The State and the Rule of Law	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Institutions engaged in the enforcement of rule of law in Nigeria • Their functions • Roles of individuals and groups in the protection of human rights.
10.	Representative Democracy	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition • Features • Democratic institutions in Nigeria and their roles • Importance of democracy • Pillars of democracy • Pressure groups and their roles in the society.
11.	Election and Voters' Responsibilities	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Definition

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Types of election • Differentiate between direct and indirect election • Basic qualification for election • Voters' responsibilities • Procedure for voting • Importance of election.
10.	Electoral Malpractices	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Meaning • Forms • Causes • Consequences • Solutions

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11.	Constitutional Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Historical background • Pre-colonial political administrative structures • Pre-independence constitutional development: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The Lagos Legislative Council, 1862 ✓ The Nigerian Council, 1914 ✓ The Clifford Constitution, 1922
12.	Constitutional Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The Richard Constitution, 1946 ✓ The Macpherson Constitution, 1951 ✓ The 1953 London Constitutional Conference ✓ The 1954 Lagos Constitutional Conference ✓ The Lyttleton Constitution, 1954 ✓ The 1957 London Constitutional Conference ✓ The 1958 Lagos Constitutional Conference ✓ The Independence Constitution, 1960
13.	Constitutional Development	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Post- independent constitution: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ The Republican

		Constitution, 1963 ✓ The 1979 Presidential Constitution ✓ Differences between the 1963 and 1979 constitutions ✓ The 1989 Presidential Constitution ✓ The 1999 Presidential Constitution • Features of post-independence constitutions of Nigeria
14.	Supremacy of the Constitution	• Meaning • Reasons
15.	Social Issues	• Illiteracy: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Meaning ✓ Causes ✓ Consequences ✓ Solutions
16.	Social Issues	• Religious Tolerance: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Meaning ✓ What one can do (citizens obligations).