**PROPSED LESSON PLAN FOR WEEK IV ENDING 3RD FEBRUARY2023**

Term: 2nd Term

Week: Week 4&5

Date: 30/01/2023 -03/02/2023

Class: J.s.s 2

Subject: History

Topic: Difference between different centre of civilization in

Pre- colonial Nigeria

Sub- Topic: Political Structure

Period: 1st Period

Time: 8:10- 8:50

Duration: 40 Minutes

Number in class: 11  
Average Age: 12 years

Gender: Mixed

**Behavioural Objectives**: By the end of the lesson students should be able

1. Define political Structure
2. List the different type of political structure that emerged
3. Explain the Different political structure that emerged

**Rationale:** To ensure Students have the knowledge of the topic under

Study.

**Previous Knowledge:** Students had been taught the inter relationships of some

Centres of civilization in the pre- colonial Nigeria

**Instructional Materials:** Charts showing the Oba of Benin, the Alafin of oyo and

the Oni of Ife

**Reference Material:** Effective History for Junior secondary school book 2

**LESSON DEVELOPMENT**

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| Steps | Teacher’s Activities | Learner’s activities | Learner’s Point |
| Introduction | Introduces the topic by revising the previous topic | Actively participate in class | To arouse the learner’s interest |
| Step 1 | Guides the students to define political structure | Define political structure | For better understanding |
| Step 2 | Guides the students to state the difference in the political structure of some centres of civilization in the pre- colonial Nigeria | State the different political structure that emerged | For better understanding |
| Summary | Summarizes the lesson thus:  **Political structure**  A political structure is referred to as the organization of power and authority in a state. In the pre-colonial Nigeria different types of political structures emerged some of them were as follows:   1. **The system of government:** Some states developed a centralized system of government, such as the Hausa states, Kanem-Bornu, Benin, Oyo, Calabar, and Itsekiri, while others developed a non centralized system of government such as the Igbo, some Niger delta state such as the Ijaw, the Urhobo, the Anang, and the Ibibio, and some states in the middle belt such as the Idoma and the Tiv 2. **Hierarchy of Administration:** In the Centralized states, the structure of political organization was hierarchical. For example, there were kings, councils of chiefs and others. Whereas in the non centralized state, the political structure was decentralized. 3. **Egalitarian System of Administration:** There was the existence of egalitarian system of administration in the non centralized states. Each member of a centralized state played important role in the political administration of the state. Whereas in the centralizes states power were highly concentrated in the hands of the kings at the centre. 4. **Dispersed Nature of power and authority:** The nature of power and authority in the non centralized state was dispersed between the functionaries of the government, such as between the council of elders and other title holder, while in the centralized states, power and authority were not dispersed they were concentrated in the rulers of the state such as Emirs, the Obas and the Shehus. 5. System of ascension of throne in the pre colonial Nigeria, the system of ascension of the throne differed. Some states had kingmakers who played an important role in the enthronement of kings such as Oyomesi in Oyo Empire and the Uzama in the Benin Kingdom in other states, in the pre-colonial Nigeria, the process of ascension was not clearly defined. However in Benin Kingdom, the process was primogeniture in spite of the existence of the Kingmakers. |  |  |
| Evaluation | Evaluates the students thus:   1. Define Political structure 2. List the different political structures that emerged | Answer the questions asked | To ascertain the attainment of the behavioural objectives |
| Conclusion | Concludes the lesson by marking and correcting the students Notebooks | Do the Necessary correction | For consolidation of lesson |
| Assignment | Gives assignment as follows:   1. Define political structure 2. List the different political structures that emerged | Do the given assignment | For continuity of learning |



3RD FEBRUARY 2023

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NB: APPROVED!