

NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA 14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND, LAGOS SCHOOL OF ARTS AND SOCIAL SCIENCES JANUARY/FEBRUARY 2013 EXAMINATION

PROGRAMME: BA French and International Studies

COURSE CODE: INR 412

COURSE TITLE: FOREIGN POLICIES OF THE GREAT POWERS

CREDIT UNIT: 3

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTIONS: Answer 4 questions in all.

- 1. Outline the events that changed the course of American foreign policy from isolationism to interventionism
- 2. Discuss the impacts of the two world wars on traditional principles of British foreign policy.
- 3. Assess the impact of the Second World War on the decolonization process in the British Empire
- 4. Examine the factors that gave rise to French's *La Francophonie* policy in Africa after decolonisation and evaluate the impact of the policy in Africa
- 5. To what extent is it true to state that the principles of Soviet Union's foreign policy were hinged on geographical location and ideology?
- 6. How relevant are the Chinese's five principles of peaceful coexistence in contemporary international relations