



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA**  
**14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND LAGOS**  
**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**  
**OCTOBER 2013 EXAMINATION**

**COURSE CODE: EDU 731**

**COURSE TITLE: Curriculum Development Theory and Practice**

**Course Units: 2**

**Time: Two hours.**

Instructions: Answer Question 1 and any other two questions.

Questions:

1(a). Explain your definition of curriculum  
(10 marks)

1 (b). Discuss any two differences between curriculum and each of the following:

(i). Syllabus

(ii). Scheme of work.

(iii). Lesson Plan.

(iv). Programme of study  
marks).

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2(a). Choose any topic in your teaching subject  
(2marks).

2(b). State and discuss one behavioral objective on the topic in each of the three domains of educational objectives  
(18 marks).

3(a). List and define the three educational programmes  
(8 marks).

3(b). Discuss any four features of any of the programmes  
(12 marks).

4. List and discuss any five principles you must consider in selecting curriculum contents  
(20 marks).