



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA**  
**14-16 AHMADU BELLO WAY, VICTORIA ISLAND LAGOS**  
**SCHOOL OF EDUCATION**  
**SEPTEMBER/OCTOBER 2015 EXAMINATION**

**COURSE CODE: EDT811**  
**COURSE TITLE: THEORIES OF COMMUNICATION AND**  
**PHILOSOPHICAL BASIS OF INSTRUCTIONAL MEDIA**  
**TIME ALLOWED: 3HOURS**  
**INSTRUCTION: ANSWER 1 AND ANY OTHER 3 QUESTION**

1. a.) Analyze the principles you consider pertinent in communication  
(13Marks)  
b.) Comment elaborately on the various situations on which communication will occur  
(12Marks)
2. a.) Explain critically the various conditions that could enhance communication in the classroom.  
(8Marks)  
b.) Discuss the various types of instructional media at your disposal as a classroom teacher.  
(7Marks)
3. a.) Analyze the factors that could constitute barriers to effective classroom communication  
(15Marks)

4. Discuss the following branches of philosophy

a.) Metaphysics

b.) Epistemology

c.) Axiology

(15Marks)

5. List and discuss ten (10) of the communication theories

(15Marks)