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SCHOOL OF EDUCATION  
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**COURSE CODE: EDU 426**

**COURSE TITLE: Special Education (2 Units)**

**Time: 2hours**

**Answer question 1 and any other 2 questions.**

1. (a) Give a brief description of special education? (10 marks)  
(b) Discuss five challenges facing research activities in special education in Nigeria (20 marks).
2. Discuss any five methods of educating children with intellectual retardation in Nigeria.
3. (a) Define the term *giftedness*? (5marks).  
(b) Give five characteristics of gifted children in Nigeria (15 marks).
4. (a) What is language disorder? (5marks).  
(b) Discuss any five characteristics of children with language disorders (15marks).