

## NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA FACULTY OF SCIENCES

## DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE AND RESOURCE MANAGEMENT Plot 91, Cadastral Zone, Nnamdi Azikwe Expressway, Jabi, Abuja 2021\_2 EXAMINATIONS...

**COURSE CODE: EMT417** 

COURSE TITLE: SCIENTIFIC WRITING AND PRESENTATION IN

**ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE** 

**CREDIT: 2 Units** 

**TIME ALLOWED: 2 Hours** 

**Instruction:** Attempt question number ONE (1) and any other THREE (3) questions. Question number one (1) carries 25 marks, while the other questions carry (15) marks each.

- 1a. What is a descriptive study? (8 marks)
- 1b. Explain experimental study. (9 marks)
- 1c. Describe hypothesis (8 marks)
- 2a. What is Postulation? (7 marks)
- 2b. Briefly explain assumptions (8 marks)
- 3a. Explain the roles of hypothesis in research (12 marks)
- 3b. Why is there need for citation and referencing in research? (3 marks)
- 4a. List the importance of hypothesis (12 marks)
- 4b. What are the three components of hypothesis? (3 marks)
- 5a. Highlight the main sources of hypothesis for research (6 marks)
- 5b. Name the various types of hypotheses (9 marks)