



**BOWEN UNIVERSITY, IWO**  
**(OF THE NIGERIAN BAPTIST CONVENTION)**  
**COLLEGE OF MANAGEMENT AND SOCIAL SCIENCES (COMSS)**  
**SOCIOLOGY PROGRAMME**  
**B.Sc. SOCIOLOGY DEGREE**  
**2022/2023 SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

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**COURSE CODE: SOC 226**

**COURSE TITLE: SOCIOLOGY OF KNOWLEDGE, SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY**

**COURSE UNIT: 2HRS, 30 MINUTES**

**TIME: 2 HOURS, 30 MINUTES**

**INSTRUCTIONS: ATTEMPT QUESTION 1 AND ANY OTHER 2 QUESTIONS**

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- 1a. Information technology (IT) is the recent revolution in communication system in the world that has successfully turned the world to a global village. Expatiate. (10marks)
- b. Analyze what you considered as the role of science and technology in our contemporary society. (10marks)
- c. As a university student, explain how Internet services could enhance your learning (10marks)
- 2a. Enumerate Nigerian National Development Plan for Science, Technology and Society with their respective dates. (8marks)
- b. The benefits of science and technology in solving practical problems have become so necessary that have made science, technology and society an interrelated discipline. Discuss. (12marks).
- 3a. Elucidate how science and technology knowledge could be misused. (10marks)
- b. What are the opportunities that Nigeria as a nation would derive from biotechnology? (10marks)
- 4a. Discuss the socio-economic implications of poor health care system in a nation. (10marks)
- b. Describe various ways by which the knowledge of HIVAIDS can be disseminated to all nooks and crannies of the nation. (10marks)
- 5a. Draw up a guideline on strategies that Nigerians can use to cope with technological problems arising from underdevelopment. (10marks)
- b. Suggest how you as an individual can cope with the fast technological changes taking place around you. (10marks)