

**BOWEN UNIVERSITY, IWO OSUN STATE
FACULTY OF HUMANITIES
DEPARTMENT OF ENGLISH
2018/2019 FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATION**

COURSE CODE: ENG 113

COURSE TITLE: DRAMA AND ITS CONTEXTS

TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS

INSTRUCTION: Answer any THREE questions in all. QUESTION ONE is COMPULSORY.

1. (a) "The dominant school of thought believed that drama originated from ritual." Discuss.
(b) What is the relationship between drama and theatre? (30 marks)

2. Compare and contrast the features and characteristics of Greek and Elizabethan tragedy, using TWO plays that you have studied as illustration in your answer. (20 marks)

3. Discuss the major themes in J. P Clark's *Masquerade*. (20marks)

4. *The Lion and the Jewel* highlights the virtues of youth and virtues of age. With copious examples, discuss the merits and demerits of both. (20marks)

5. Critically appraise Femi Osofisan's techniques employed in *Morountodun*. (20marks)