## TRADE NAME: SALESMANSHIP CODE 430

## SUBJECT NAME: PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE OF SALESMANSHIP

## 1. MODULE A: CSM II, CONSUMER BEHAVIOUR

AIM: On completion of this module, the students should be able to explain the psychological behaviour of buyers in a free enterprise.

MODULE B: CSM 12, BUSINESS LAW

AIM: On completion of this module, the students should be able to describe when and how to apply the basic principles of law which affect business relationship and transactions.

MODULE C: CSM 13, PRINCIPLES AND PRACTICE OF SELLING

AIM: On completion of this module, the students should be able to apply the basic knowledge involved in principles and practice of selling.

## 2. EXAMINATION SCHEME:

One paper of three hours, twenty minutes duration that will have two sections.

SECTION A: Fifty minutes duration for fifty multiple choice type questions. The marks allocated to this section will be twenty-five percent of the total marks.

SECTION B: Two hours, thirty minutes duration with ten question to answer five. Seventy-five percent of the total marks is allocated to this section.

Topics/Objectives	Contents	<b>Teachers Activities</b>
1.0 Consumer Behaviour (1) Identify the psychological and economic factors affecting consumer behaviour.	<ol> <li>Meaning of consumer behaviour.</li> <li>Distinguish between consumers and customers.</li> <li>Factors that influences consumer baheviour e.g.</li> <li>knowledge of commodity.</li> <li>business cycle.</li> <li>peer group, taste, priority.</li> <li>rational, attitude by income etc.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Explain consumer behaviour.</li> <li>State the differences between consumers and customers.</li> <li>Identify and explain the factors that influences consumer behaviour.</li> </ul>
2.0 Social Groups and Consumer Behaviour (1) Explain the influence of social group on consumer behaviour.	<ol> <li>Meaning of social group.</li> <li>Different classes of social group.</li> <li>Influence of social group on consumer behaviour.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Explain consumer behaviour.</li> <li>State the differences between consumers and customers.</li> <li>Identify and explain the factors that influences consumer behaviour.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>3.0 Culture and Buying Habit</li> <li>(1) Identify various cultures and their impact on consumer/buying habit.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Meaning of culture with emphasis on customs and tradition.</li> <li>Influence of culture on buying habit.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Explain the meaning of social group.</li> <li>State the influence of:</li> <li>(a) Religion</li> <li>(b) Economy (family status) on buying habit.</li> <li>Explain belief on buying habit.</li> <li>Education on buying habit.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>4.0 Personality and Consumer Behaviour         <ol> <li>Mention the kinds of personality and their roles in behaviour.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Meaning of personality.</li> <li>Kinds of personality</li> <li>How personality influence consumer bahviour.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Explain the meaning of personality</li> <li>State the different kinds of personalities         <ul> <li>introvert and extrovert.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Explain how each of 2 above influence consumer behaviour.</li> </ul>
<b>5.0 Motivation and</b> <b>Consumer Behaviour</b> (1) Explain how motivation can	<ol> <li>Meaning of motivation.</li> <li>Theories of motivation.</li> <li>Techniques of</li> </ol>	- Explain the theme and importance of motivation.

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influence buyers.	<ul><li>motivation.</li><li>4. Theme of motivation.</li><li>5. Importance of motivation.</li></ul>	
<ul> <li>6.0 Principles of Law of Contract</li> <li>(1) Identify the basic principle of law of contracts, and its usefulness to salesmanship.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Meaning of contract.</li> <li>Essential elements of a valid contract.</li> <li>Definition of contract terms.</li> <li>Types of contract.</li> <li>Meaning of consideration and types of consideration.</li> <li>Termination of contract e.g. consideration, mistakes, misrepresentation etc.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Define contract with relevant examples.</li> <li>Explain the essential elements of a valid contract.</li> <li>List and explain the various terms of contract e.g. Consideration, Acceptance, Offer, Offeree, Mistakes, Misrepresentation etc.</li> <li>Explain the ways by which contract can be terminated.</li> </ul>
<ul><li>7.0 Sale of Goods</li><li>(1) Mention the principles involved in sale of goods.</li></ul>	<ol> <li>Meaning of sales of goods.</li> <li>Terms of sales of goods.</li> <li>Types of sales of goods.</li> <li>Breach on sales of goods.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Explain the meaning of sales of goods.</li> <li>List and explain the terms involved in the sale of goods.</li> <li>Define breach</li> <li>State the conditions that could lead to breach of sales of goods.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>8.0 Hire Purchase <ul> <li>Mention the instruments in sales and reasons for hire purchase, and the different between hire purchase and auction sales.</li> </ul> </li> <li>9.0 Negotiable</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Meaning of Hire Purchase and Auction sales.</li> <li>Hire purchase Act of 1965.</li> <li>Differentiate between Hire purchase and Auction Sales.</li> <li>Meaning of Negotiable</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Define hire purchase.</li> <li>Define Auction sale.</li> <li>State the differences between hire purchase and auction sale.</li> <li>Explain the provisions in the hire purchase Act of 1965.</li> <li>Explain the meaning</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>Instruments</li> <li>(1) Identify the various instruments involved in sales.</li> <li>10.0 Agency</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Wearing of Negotiable instruments</li> <li>Qualities of a valid negotiable instruments.</li> <li>Types of negotiable instruments:         <ul> <li>(a) Bill of exchange</li> <li>(b) Cheques</li> <li>(c) Promissory Note</li> </ul> </li> <li>Meaning of</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Explain the meaning of negotiable instrument.</li> <li>List and explain the essentials of a valid negotiable instrument.</li> <li>Explain the types of negotiable instruments.</li> <li>Explain the meaning</li> </ul>

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(1) Explain agency and	Agency/Principal.	of agency.
their role in sale.	2. How to create Agency.	- Narrate how agency
(2) State the parties	<ol> <li>Types of Agency.</li> <li>Duties of Various</li> </ol>	<ul><li>can be created.</li><li>List and explain the</li></ul>
involved in Agency.	4. Duties of various Agents.	- List and explain the various types of
	5. Duties of Principal	agents.
	6. Termination of	- Explain the duties of
	Agency.	agents to principal.
	8	- Factors that could
		lead to termination of
		agency.
11.0 Business	1. Formation of a	- Explain the various
Organization	business.	business units and
(1) List and explain the	2. Partnership.	their formations.
types of Business	3. Limited liability	- Define partnership.
Organization.	company.	Explain partnership
(2) Distinguish the forms of Business	4. Distinguish between	deed (Provisions). - Define limited
Organization.	partnership and limited liability company.	liability company.
Organization.	5. Advantages and	- Differentiate between
	disadvantages of the	partnership and
	various business	limited liability
	organization stated	company.
	above.	- Explain the process of
	6. Liquidation process of	liquidation in business
	<ul> <li>business organization.</li> </ul>	organization.
12.0 Labour Relation	1. Meaning of labour	- Explain the meaning
(1) Explain Trade	relation.	of labour relations as
unionism and its	• 2. Meaning of labour	it relates to
importance to	code (Regulations).	salesmanship.
salesmanship	3. Trade unionism and its limitation.	- Explain labour code
	illintation.	<ul><li>with emphasis on:</li><li>(i) Duties of employer to</li></ul>
		employee.
		(ii) Duties of employee to
		employer.
		(iii) Workman
		compensation Act.
		(iv) Limitation of trade
		unionism.
		- Advantages an
		disadvantages of
1200	1 Marshar C III	trade unionism.
13.0 Principles and	1. Meaning of selling.	- Explain the meaning
<b>Practice of Selling</b>	<ol> <li>Importance of Selling.</li> <li>Qualities of a good</li> </ol>	of selling.
(1) Explain the importance of selling,	3. Qualities of a good salesman.	- List and explain the importance of selling.
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and the features of a	4. Sales carrier.	- Identify the features
good salesman.		of a good salesman.
14.0 Importance of	1. The importance of	- Explain the
Product Knowledge	product knowledge in	importance of product
in Selling	selling.	knowledge.
(1) State the reasons why a	2. Reasons for choice of	- State the reasons for
salesman should	product.	choice of a product.
identify the product he	3. Things to avoid in	- Enumerate things to
wants to sell.	selling.	avoid in selling.
	4. Terms in buying and	- List and explain the
	selling e.g.	terms in buying and
	contingency, benefits,	selling.
	suggestions, logical	
	reasoning,	
15.0 December 41	rationalization etc.	
<b>15.0 Prospecting</b>	<ol> <li>Meaning of prospects, leads etc.</li> </ol>	- Explain the meaning
(1) Apply the principle of prospecting in sales.		of prospects, leads etc.
prospecting in sales.	2. Prospecting system and method.	- Explain some
	3. problems of	common prospecting
	prospecting.	system and method.
	prospecting.	- Enumerate the
		problems of
		prospecting.
16.0 Principles of Pre-	1. Meaning of pre-	- Explain the meaning
Approach in Planning	approach in planning.	of pre-approach in
the Sales	2. Sources of information	planning.
(1) Explain the basic	pre-approach planning.	- List and explain the
principle of Approach	• 3. Benefits of pre-	sources of
in Selling and the	approach in planning	information for pre-
various methods of	sales.	approach planning.
Approach in Selling	4. Problems of pre-	- State the benefits of
	approach in planning.	pre-approach
		planning
		- State the problems of
		pre-approach
		planning.
17.0 Principle of	1. Meaning of Approach	- Explain the meaning
Approach Selling	in selling.	of approach in selling.
(1) Explain the basic	2. Objectives and	- Enumerate the
principle of Approach	importance of	objectives and
in selling and the	Approach in Selling.	importance of
various methods of	3. Methods of Approach	approach in selling.
approach in selling	in Selling.	- State the method of
	4. Essentials of a Good	approach in selling.
	Approach in Selling.	- Highlight the
		importance of good

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		approach in selling.
<ul> <li>18.0 Presentation in Selling</li> <li>(1) Explain the Basic Strategies required in presentation of Selling</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Meaning of presentation in Selling.</li> <li>Basic Strategies of presentation.</li> <li>Methods of developing presentation.</li> <li>Problems of sales presentation.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Explain the concept of presentation in selling.</li> <li>List and explain the methods of developing presentation.</li> <li>Identify the problems associated with sales presentation.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>19.0 Handling Objection in Selling         <ul> <li>(1) Explain the Various Objection Methods in Sales and their Roles in Selling</li> </ul> </li> <li>20.0 Close of Sales and after Sales Follow-up         <ul> <li>(1) Mention the Various Ways of Closing Sales.</li> <li>(2) Identify the need for after Sales follow-up.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ol> <li>Meaning of objection in selling.</li> <li>Types of objection in selling</li> <li>Methods of handling objection in selling</li> <li>Problems of objection and how to overcome such problems.</li> <li>Meaning of close of sales.</li> <li>Identification of basic closing techniques methods.</li> <li>Meaning of after sales.</li> <li>After – sales - follow - up</li> <li>Advantages of after -</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Define objection.</li> <li>State the type of objection.</li> <li>Enumerate the methods of handling objection.</li> <li>Identify and explain the problems of objection and how to overcome such problems.</li> <li>Define close of sales.</li> <li>State the method of closing sales.</li> <li>Define after sales.</li> <li>Enumerate the benefit of after sales.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>21.0 Legal and Ethical Problems in Selling</li> <li>(1) Explain Legal and Ethical Responsibilities in Selling.</li> <li>(2) Identify the problems in social responsibilities and how to solve them.</li> </ul>	<ol> <li>sales follow up</li> <li>Meaning of legal/ethical problems in selling.</li> <li>Importance of identifying legal and ethical problems in selling.</li> <li>Solution to legal and ethical problems of selling in Nigeria.</li> </ol>	<ul> <li>Explain the terms legal and ethical problems.</li> <li>State the importance of knowing legal and ethical problems.</li> <li>Enumerate ways of solving legal and ethical problems associated with sales in Nigeria.</li> </ul>