

# Language, Music, Education And National Development in Nigeria

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**Abstract.** The paper examines language, music and education as a necessity for human existence in all societies for human existence in all societies especially in Nigeria for growth, consciousness and National Development. It examines the role of language as possibly the most important and powerful of mankind's unique endowments, the means through which we regulate our social and interpersonal behavior and build up to stabilize our intellectual engagement with the world. This simply means that language is an important factor in the formation of concept and a *sin qua non* for effective communication. The trio of language, music and education refers to intimately related strands of a whole complex family of rules and regulations that cover all aspects of the life of a society.