



# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, SOCIAL  
SCIENCES AND CREATIVE INDUSTRIES  
DIPLOMA IN CRIMINOLOGY AND PENOLOGY**

**COURSE CODE: DCR 204**

**COURSE TITLE: SOCIAL DEVIANCE**

**DATE: 5/12/2023**

**TIME: 1430-1630 HRS**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

**Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions**

*This paper consists of TWO printed pages. Please turn over.*

### **QUESTION ONE**

- 1a.) Explain the association between social deviance and biological factors as postulated by Cesare Lombroso **(10 marks)**
- b.) Discuss the various classes of deviance that emanate from lack of conformity to norms in the society **(6 marks)**
- c.) Examine any seven (7) classes of crime that result from uncurbed social deviance **(14 marks)**

### **QUESTION TWO**

- 2a.) Explicate the implications of social deviance in the society **(10 marks)**
- b.) Assess how failed structures of governance may lead to anomie as envisaged by Emile Durkheim **(10 marks)**

### **QUESTION THREE**

- 3a.) Using the psychoanalytic theoretical model, explain Sigmund Freud's psychosexual stages of development and how they can lead to social deviance if not fulfilled. **(12 marks)**
- b.) Depression is one of the problems affecting the contemporary society. Explain some of the types of suicide cases that may arise if one is unable to deal with the problem. **(8 marks)**

### **QUESTION FOUR**

- 4.) Write lucid notes on the following course related terms:
- i. Instinctual drive
  - ii. Freaks
  - iii. Oedipus complex
  - iv. Social strain
  - v. Labelling theory **(20 marks)**

### **QUESTION FIVE**

- 5.) Using Karl Marx's views, examine the contribution of economic factors to social deviance in the society **(20 marks)**

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