



# **MAASAI MARA UNIVERSITY**

**REGULAR UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS**

**2023/2024 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**SECOND YEAR FIRST SEMESTER**

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY AND  
PENOLOGY**

**SCHOOL OF ARTS, HUMANITIES, SOCIAL  
SCIENCES AND CREATIVE INDUSTRIES**

**COURSE CODE: CRP 2113-1**

**COURSE TITLE: CRIMINAL LAW IN KENYA**

**DATE: 11/12/ 2023**

**TIME: 1100-1300 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**

**Critically examine the following**

- a) Rules of criminal responsibility **(12 Marks)**
- b) Right to a fair trial as envisaged in article 50 of the Kenyan constitution **(8 Marks)**

## **QUESTION TWO**

Critically analyze any three theories of criminal punishment **(15 Marks)**

## **QUESTION THREE**

- a) Describe any three General defenses that an accused person can explore as provided for by criminal law **(9 Marks)**
- b) Discuss any three sources of criminal law in Kenya **(6 Marks)**

## **QUESTION FOUR**

- a) Justify any three Purposes of criminal law in the society **(9 Marks)**
- b) Discuss any three types of Punishment as provided for in the Kenyan penal code **(6 Marks)**

## **QUESTION FIVE**

Describe any FIVE parties to a criminal offence **(15 Marks)**

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