



KENYATTA UNIVERSITY

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DIGITAL SCHOOL OF VIRTUAL AND OPEN LEARNING
SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DEGREE OF
BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SECURITY MANAGEMENT AND POLICE STUDIES
KPS 108: THEORIES OF CRIME AND DEVIANCE

DATE: Saturday, 24th October 2020

TIME: 8.00 a.m. - 10.00 a.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions.

1. (a) With examples, discuss the social disorganization theory explaining how it analyzes criminal behavior in Urban neighborhoods. (10 marks)
- (b) Analyze gender issues that could explain crime and deviance among the youth in Kenya. (10 marks)
- (c) Explain how the moral development theory accounts for criminal behavior in general. (10 marks)
2. "The low class poor people are likely to frequently violate the law compared to the wealthy and more affluent citizens". Discuss with examples. (20 marks)
3. Guided by any one theory other than the theories mentioned in this examination paper, discuss any five main factors attributed to corruption in Kenya. (20 marks)
4. Using any one theory of suicide, explain why there appears to be an increase in suicide among officers in the security sector in Kenya. (20 marks)
5. Analyze 5 dimensions of criminal behavior among students in Kenyan universities and suggest possible solutions. (20 marks)