



MASENO UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2015/2016

**THIRD YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE DEGREE
OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY WITH INFORMATION
TECHNOLOGY**

CITY CAMPUS-EVENING

ACS 311: CRIME AND COMMUNITY SAFETY

Date: 3rd December, 2015

Time: 5.30 - 7.30 pm

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Answer question ONE and any other TWO questions.



ACS 311: CRIME AND COMMUNITY SAFETY

YEAR 3 SEMESTER 2

KISUMU CITY CAMPUS (EVENING)

Answer question **ONE** and any other **TWO** questions.

1. (a) Discuss the factors underlying crime at all levels in the human society.
(20 marks)
- (b) Briefly discuss the techniques of situational crime prevention. (10 marks)
2. (a) Explain the meaning of timing of crime prevention strategies refer to
Explain the phases of crime prevention. (8 marks)
- (b) Discuss other crime prevention approaches other than situational crime
prevention. (12 marks)
3. (a) Name and explain FIVE alternative dispute resolution mechanisms.
(10 marks)
- (b) Account for the effectiveness of alternative dispute resolution mechanisms
in preventing crime relative to the conventional criminal justice
interventions. Discuss. (10 marks)
4. (a) Examine FIVE forms of non custodial sentences against a convicted
offender. (10 marks)
- (b) Explain why non-custodial sentencing may undermine community safety
despite being a convenient response to prison overcrowding. (10 marks)

5. (a) Evaluate the role of restorative justice in enhancing community safety.
(10 marks)
- (b) Briefly discuss the costs of criminal justice interventions over crime prevention strategies.
(10 marks)
6. Discuss the key features of effective crime prevention and community safety programmes.
(20 marks)