



MASENO UNIVERSITY
UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS 2013/2014

**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS FOR THE
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CRIMINOLOGY WITH
INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY
(MAIN CAMPUS)**

ACS 105: SOCIOLOGY OF CRIME

Date: 22nd November, 2013

Time: 11.00 a.m. - 1.00 p.m.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer ANY THREE questions.**

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REGULAR

Answer any **THREE** questions

1. Define deviant behavior and explain some of its major causes.
(23.3mks)

2. Explain how Sutherlands Theory of differential association helps in understanding criminal behaviour in present society.
(23.3mks)

3. Explain the arguments in favour of strain theories in regard to crime in Kenyan society. (23.3mks)

4. Discuss some of the socio-psychological explanations of criminal behaviour.

(23.3mks)

5. How applicable is socio-biology in the study of crime in present society.

(23.3mks)

6. Explain policy implications arising from recent developments in sociological criminology. (23.3mks)