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**SECOND YEAR EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF  
DEGREE OF BACHELOR OF COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

**CDEV 220: CRIME AND DEVELOPMENT**

**STREAMS: ODEL**

**TIME: 2 HOURS**

**DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 22 /07/ 2021**

**8.30 AM – 10.30 AM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS:**

- Answer Question one and any other Two.

1. a. Explain briefly the meaning of economic crimes. [5 Marks]
  - b. Elaborate briefly on the importance of social development for crime prevention. [5 Marks]
  - c. Explain briefly the meaning of police discretion in their fight against criminality. [5 Marks]
  - d. Briefly discuss your understanding of the implications of unemployment to security. [5 Marks]

Marks]

  - e. Giving relevant examples what constitutes juvenile delinquency. [5 Marks]
  - f. State factors affecting integration of ex-convicts in the society in Kenya. [5 Marks]
2. (a) Using examples from Kenya, differentiate between organized crime and white collar crimes. [10 Marks]

Marks]

  - (b) Clearly illustrate the contribution of youth unemployment to crime in Kenya. [10 Marks]
3. (a) Analyze with examples the impact of crime on the political discourse in Kenya. [10 Marks]

(b) Family background has a significant bearing on the development of criminality.  
Discuss this statement with relevant examples. [10  
Marks]

4. (a) Educational attainment is one of the social development factors that help in  
reducing crimes. In what ways does education help to control the levels of  
crime in the society. [10  
Marks]

(b) Terrorism is one of the most debilitating crimes perpetrated on a community.  
Discuss how terrorism has negatively affected development in Kenya.  
[10 Marks]

5. (a) Analyze the differences between the rational choice theory of crime and the  
behavioural theory of crime. [10  
Marks]

(b) Generally it has been observed that there are more men criminal offenders than  
women. What are the factors within the society that lead to this  
phenomenon.  
[10 Marks]

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