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**MASINDE MULIRO UNIVERSITY OF
SCIENCE AND TECHNOLOGY
(MMUST)**

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS EXAMS
2018/2019 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS
FOR DIPLOMA**

IN

**CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE/SOCIAL WORK
AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT**

COURSE CODE: DCR/DSC 050

COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL SCIENCES

DATE: 20/5/2019

TIME: 9:00-11:00AM

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Question ONE (1) is compulsory
Answer ANY TWO (2) OTHER questions

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating ►

Question one

- a) Explain sociology as a discipline expanding on its branches. (10 marks)
- b) With the aid of relevant examples, explain the importance of social sciences to either criminology or social work students. (20 marks)

Question two

- a) Discuss the branches of political sciences. (15 marks)
- b) Give 5 reasons why it is important to study political science to criminologists and social workers.

Question three

- a) Define:
 - i) Criminology (1 mark)
 - ii) Social Work (1 mark)
- b) Discuss the branches of each of the above (18 marks)

Question four

- a) Describe economics as a branch of social sciences. (10 marks)
- b) What is the significance of micro and macroeconomics and the importance of studying it.

Question five

- a) Giving their branches, explain the difference between a social science and a natural science.
(10 marks)
- b) Explain philosophy and its branches. (10 marks)