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

**UNIVERSITY EXAMINATIONS  
2021/2022 ACADEMIC YEAR**

**FIRST YEAR SECOND SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS**

**FOR THE DIPLOMA**

**OF**

**CRIMINOLOGY AND CRIMINAL JUSTICE**

**COURSE CODE: DCR 059**

**COURSE TITLE: CRIMINAL PSYCHOLOGY TODAY**

**DATE: 20/4/2022**

**TIME: 3.00-5.00PM**

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**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

Answer question one (compulsory) and any other two questions

TIME: 2 Hours

MMUST observes ZERO tolerance to examination cheating



### QUESTION ONE

- a) Discuss the origin of criminal psychology using one of the schools of thought you are familiar with in criminology (10mks)
- b) Discuss the role of criminal psychologists in a correctional set up (10mks)
- c) Discuss psychological approach to studying crime (10 mks)

### QUESTION TWO

Discuss the key issues in theories underlying criminal psychology today (20mks)

### QUESTION THREE

- a) Discuss the concept of offender profiling (10 mks)
- b) Discuss the role of *mens rea* in criminal psychology (10 mks)

### QUESTION FOUR

Discuss Freud's theory of psychosexual development making criminological predictions where possible (20 mks)

### QUESTION FIVE

- a) Discuss the five classifications of theory in psychology (10 marks)
- b) Discuss the emerging trends in criminal psychology (10 Marks)