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EXAMINATION FOR THE AWARD OF DIPLOMA IN CRIMINOLOGY & SECURITY STUDIES

SOCI 0101: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIOLOGY

STREAMS: Y1S1

TIME: 2 HOURS

DAY/DATE: THURSDAY 7/12/2017

2.30 P.M - 4.30 P.M.

INSTRUCTIONS:

- **Answer Question ONE and any other TWO Questions.**

QUESTION ONE [30 Marks]

- (a) Define the term sociology. [3 Marks]
- (b) Discuss the importance of studying sociology. [10 Marks]
- (c) How is sociology related to the following social sciences;
- (i) Psychology [2 Marks]
 - (ii) Anthropology [2 Marks]
 - (iii) Political science [2 Marks]
 - (iv) Economics [2 Marks]
- (d) Explain the role of gender in socialization. [10 Marks]

QUESTION TWO

- (a) Differentiate the following terms as used in sociology
- (i) Social control and sanctions. [4 Marks]
 - (ii) Status and roles. [4 Marks]
 - (iii) Values and norms. [4 Marks]
- (b) (i) What is deviance? [2 Marks]
- (ii) What are the causes of deviant behavior in the society today? [6 Marks]

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QUESTION THREE

- (a) Define socialization. [2 Marks]

- (b) Explain any two forms of socialization. [2 Marks]

- (c) Explain the role played by the following agents of socialization
 - (i) Family [4 Marks]
 - (ii) Peer groups [4 Marks]
 - (iii) School [4 Marks]
 - (iv) Mass media [4 Marks]

QUESTION FOUR

- (a) Define social stratification. [2 Marks]
- (b) (i) Differentiate between caste and class system [4 Marks]
 - (ii) What is meant by the term social mobility? [2 Marks]
 - (iii) Discuss causes of social mobility. [6 Marks]

- (c) Discuss the Marxist view of working class people. [6 Marks]

QUESTION FIVE

- (a) Explain why sociology as a subject is scientific. [10 Marks]
 - (b) Human behavior is influenced by nurture rather than nature. Discuss. [10 Marks]
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