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**END OF SEMESTER EXAMINATION FOR THE DIPLOMA IN
YOUTH MINISTRY**

SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER 2018

CAMPUS: ROYSAMBU

**DEPARTMENT: TRANSFORMATIONAL CHURCH AND YOUTH
LEADERSHIP**

COURSE CODE: DYM 109

COURSE TITLE: JUVENILE DELINQUENCY & DEVIANCE

EXAM DATE: FRIDAY 7TH DECEMBER, 2018

TIME: 9:00 – 12:00 AM

INSTRUCTIONS

- Read the instructions and questions carefully before you write the answers.
- Write your **STUDENT NUMBER** in the Answer Booklet given.
- This paper has two sections with six questions in total.
- Answer **ALL** questions in SECTION A and **any two** questions from SECTION B

SECTION A: Answer ALL Questions

1. Juvenile delinquency and deviance is a topic of interest among scholars and practitioners:
 - a. Distinguish between juvenile delinquency and juvenile deviance. (8 marks)
 - b. State *four* ways of measuring crime in the society. (4 marks)
2. List and briefly explain *five* factors that contribute to juvenile delinquency. (10 marks)
3. Rapid urbanization influences the young person:
 - a. Briefly explain *two* reasons why slum-dwellers engage in delinquent behaviour. Give examples to support your answers. (4 marks)
 - b. Briefly explain *two* ways in which developing countries are affected by delinquency. Give examples to support your answers. (4 marks)

SECTION B: Answer ANY TWO questions

4. The state of the family in the urban context is seen as creating a challenge to youth ministry:
 - a. Discuss how fatherhood affects the young person. (5 marks)
 - b. Give an overview of the McCord studies and list several findings from it. (10 marks)
5. There are **four** major theories of juvenile delinquency and deviance. State and discuss these theories and give an example of each. (15 marks)
6. Youth Workers should build their ministry on a solid biblical and theological foundation:
 - a. Discuss three texts from the Bible to show how they view the young person. (6 marks)
 - b. Explain two ways in which youth behaviour can be understood in light of the doctrine of redemption. (4 marks)
 - c. Write a philosophy of youth ministry including **vision, mission** and **three values**, in light of juvenile delinquency and deviance. (5 marks)
7. Age and gender have been correlated with crime:
 - a) State and explain *three* reasons why adolescents aged 14-16 years commit the most crime. (6 marks)
 - b) State and explain *two* reasons why statistics of crime among males and females differ. (4 marks)
 - c) Briefly explain *two* reasons why crime statistics of women are lower. Give examples to support your answers. (5 marks)