| Calendar | LO | Big<br>Question/Theme                                  | Exam Board Specification/Small Questions   | Assessment Opportunities and Criteria.<br>Teacher Feedback point (TFP)   |
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| Spring 1 | 1  | AC1.1 Compare<br>criminal<br>behaviour and<br>deviance | <ul> <li>Criminal behaviour <ul> <li>Social definition</li> <li>Legal definition</li> <li>Variety of criminal acts</li> <li>Sanctions</li> </ul> </li> <li>Deviance <ul> <li>Norms, moral codes and values</li> <li>Informal and formal sanctions against deviance</li> <li>Forms of deviance</li> </ul> </li> <li>Learners must have an understanding of: <ul> <li>How to define criminality and deviance</li> <li>Acts that are criminal</li> <li>Acts that are deviant</li> <li>Acts that are both criminal and deviant</li> <li>The implications of committing a criminal and/or deviant act.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ol> <li>Describe what is meant by the term 'deviance'<br/>(3 marks).</li> <li>Using examples from the scenario, explain<br/>behaviour that could be described as criminal,<br/>deviant, or both [5 marks].</li> <li>Explain with examples, what is meant by the<br/>term criminal behaviour [6 marks].</li> <li>Compare criminality and deviance with<br/>reference to relevant example (5 marks).</li> <li>Albert, 64, and Barbara, 62, are brother and<br/>sister. Until recently they had always lived with<br/>their mother, who had a long-term illness and<br/>lived in constant pain. Their neighbours describe<br/>the family as being dysfunctional and call them<br/>"weirdos". Throughout her life, Barbara has had<br/>to care for her mother and has been unable to<br/>work. However, Barbara has always yearned for<br/>a life of luxury and has turned to theft in order to<br/>obtain expensive items. Last week, Barbara<br/>found their mother dead. She suspects her<br/>brother of ending their mother's life, but she has<br/>not reported her suspicions to the police.</li> <li>(a) Briefly describe why Albert and Barbara's<br/>circumstances could be seen as criminal and<br/>deviant [4 marks].</li> </ol> |

| the con |            | <ul> <li>Social construction</li> <li>earners must understand and explain: <ul> <li>How laws change from culture to culture</li> <li>How laws change depending on place</li> <li>How laws change over time</li> <li>How laws are applied differently according to circumstances in which actions occur</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | 2.   | With reference to examples, analyse how laws<br>change due to time, place and culture [9 marks].<br>Explain how laws are applied differently<br>according to the circumstances in which actions<br>can occur [6 marks].<br>Discuss, using examples, how laws have<br>changed over time [7 marks].  |
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| biol    | ological L | <ul> <li>Biological theories</li> <li>earners must have an understanding of a ange of theories: <ul> <li>Genetic theories – XYY theory, twin studies and adoption studies</li> <li>Physiological theories – Lombroso's atavistic theory and Sheldon's somatotype theory</li> </ul> </li> </ul>                                | 1.<br>With refeature<br>marks<br>2.<br>Analys<br>accou | One theory of crime was based on the physical<br>measurements of Italian prisoners compared<br>with those of Italian soldiers. This theory<br>proposed that criminals had been born with<br>specific features. Another key theory argued<br>that an individual's body shape is correlated with<br>becoming a criminal.<br>eference to the text above, describe the main<br>es of <b>one</b> physiological theory of criminality [6<br>].<br>Jimmy, aged 22, has suffered from verbal and<br>physical abuse for most of his life. This is<br>because he has large ears, a large jaw and very<br>long arms. Jimmy never knew his father, and<br>lived with his mother and her succession of<br>boyfriends. Jimmy has recently undergone<br>some medical tests which have revealed he has<br>an extra Y chromosome. He has also been<br>hanging around with local criminals and is due<br>to appear before a local magistrates' court on a<br>second charge of grievous bodily harm.<br>se how one genetic theory of criminality may<br>nt for Jimmy's criminal behaviour [7 marks].<br>One theory of crime was based on the physical<br>measurements of Italian prisoners compared |

| 1 | AC2.2 Describe<br>individualistic<br>theories of<br>criminality | Individualistic theories<br>Learners must have an understanding of a<br>range of theories:<br>• Learning theories – Bandura's Social<br>Learning Theory and Sutherland's<br>Differential Association Theory<br>• Freud's Psychodynamic theory<br>• Eysenck's Theory of Criminal<br>Personality | <ul> <li>with those of Italian soldiers. This theory proposed that criminals had been born with specific features. Another key theory argued that an individual's body shape is correlated with becoming a criminal.</li> <li>With reference to the text above, describe the main features of one physiological theory of criminality [6 marks].</li> <li>4. Explain one genetic theory of criminality [5 marks].</li> <li>Paul, an unemployed local man, has been convicted of murder after getting into a fight with lan over an allegation of theft of money. Paul also has numerous previous convictions for drug dealing and theft. He has been in care since the age of 7, after his parents were given long custodial sentences. Ian's father, a local barrister, has started a campaign to bring back capital punishment for crimes of murder. His campaign has attracted the attention of local media and politicians.</li> <li>1. Describe any <b>one</b> individualistic theory of criminality (5 marks).</li> <li>2. Analyse how the theory described above can be applied to Paul's situation (5 marks)</li> <li>3. Identify one learning theory of criminality [1 mark].</li> <li>4. Describe the learning theory identified in question 1 [6 marks].</li> </ul> |
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| 2 | AC2.3 Describe<br>sociological<br>theories of<br>criminality    | <ul> <li>Sociological theories</li> <li>Learners must have an understanding of a range of theories: <ul> <li>Marxism</li> <li>Interactionism (Labelling)</li> <li>Strain theory</li> </ul> </li> </ul>   | Edna and Sidney are neighbours. Edna is obsessed<br>with cats and has 40 of them in her house. She has<br>lived in poverty for many years. Sidney is a wealthy,<br>elderly punk rocker who always dresses in punk rocker<br>clothes and styles his hair in a spiked multi-coloured<br>mohawk. He also regularly illegally downloads music  |

| <ul> <li>Functionalism</li> <li>Left realism</li> <li>Right realism</li> </ul> | <ul> <li>and plays it at high volume late at night. Edna and<br/>Sidney intensely dislike each other and regularly<br/>argue. Edna complains about the music and Sidney<br/>calls Edna 'a crazy old woman'. Many of their<br/>neighbours' shout abuse at Edna saying she is mad<br/>and needs locking up. Edna has never complained to<br/>the police about this. One night she found graffiti on<br/>her door saying 'mad woman'. When she heard<br/>Sidney's music she went to his house armed with a<br/>kitchen knife, and stabbed him in the heart. He died<br/>shortly after the attack.</li> <li>1. Describe <b>one</b> sociological theory of criminality [4<br/>marks].</li> <li>2. Analyse how the theory described above can be<br/>applied to Edna's situation [5 marks]<br/>This question is repeated a second time for the<br/>students to allow a different range of theories.</li> <li>3. Describe one sociological theory of criminality [6<br/>marks].</li> <li>4. Professor Baker is a highly respected<br/>criminologist. She has written a research paper<br/>on 21st-century crimes that focuses on theories</li> </ul> |
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|  | <ol> <li>Professor Baker is a highly respected</li> </ol>   |
|  | With reference to one theory of criminality, analyse<br>why people such as Harry commit white-collar crimes<br>[6 marks].   |

| Spring 2 | 3 | AC3.1 Analyse<br>situations of<br>criminality                           | Situations relating to:<br>Learners should be able to analyse a range of<br>different crimes and criminal behaviour.<br>Learners should be able to thoroughly apply<br>their knowledge of the theories to a scenario<br>which demonstrates an individual's criminal<br>behaviour. | <ol> <li>Daria, aged 14, has two convictions for theft.<br/>When Daria was 4 years old, her mother was<br/>sent to prison after being found guilty of leading<br/>an identity fraud gang. Daria's father resented<br/>having to look after her on his own and placed<br/>her in care. Daria has met many other young<br/>offenders while in care. She states that she<br/>enjoys stealing from shops as she likes the thrill<br/>of not being seen by the shopkeeper.</li> <li>Analyse how one learning theory can be applied to<br/>Daria's criminality [6 marks].</li> <li>Toby and George are best friends. Toby holds<br/>very strong views on how society has changed<br/>during the last 30 years and often expresses<br/>them very aggressively to George. Toby goes to<br/>the gym for several hours nearly every day. He<br/>uses weights and takes protein supplements to<br/>maintain his muscular body shape. George has<br/>a pronounced jaw, high cheekbones and large<br/>ears. He is also considering adding more tattoos<br/>to his long arms and short legs. Both men have<br/>criminal convictions.</li> <li>Analyse how one physiological theory of criminality can<br/>be applied to George [6 marks].</li> </ol> |
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|          | 3 | AC3.2 Evaluate<br>the effectiveness<br>of criminological<br>theories to | <b>Criminological theories</b><br>Learners should evaluate the strengths and<br>weaknesses of criminological theories in terms<br>of explaining crime.  | <ol> <li>Evaluate the effectiveness of either one<br/>physiological or one genetic theory in explaining<br/>the causes of criminality [6 marks].</li> </ol>  |
|          |   | explain causes of criminality   | <ul> <li>Biological – atavistic, somatotypes,<br/>XYY, twin Studies and adoption Studies</li> <li>Individualistic – social learning theory,<br/>psychodynamic theory and theory of</li> </ul>   | <ol> <li>Evaluate the effectiveness of a range of<br/>individualistic criminological theories to explain<br/>causes in criminality [8 marks].</li> <li>Evaluate the effectiveness of a sociological</li> </ol>   |
|          |   |   | <ul> <li>criminal personality</li> <li>Sociological – marxism, strain theory,<br/>labelling, right realism and left realism</li> </ul>  | theory in explaining the causes of crime [6<br>marks].   |

|   |  |   | <ol> <li>Evaluate the effectiveness of either one<br/>physiological or one genetic theory in explaining<br/>the causes of criminality [6 marks].</li> <li>Evaluate the effectiveness of sociological<br/>theories in explaining causes of criminality [9<br/>marks].</li> </ol>  |
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| 4 | AC4.1 Assess<br>the use of<br>criminological<br>theories in<br>informing policy<br>development | <ul> <li>Criminological theories</li> <li>Leaners should have an understanding of: <ul> <li>Informal policy making</li> <li>Formal policy making</li> <li>Examples of each one</li> </ul> </li> <li>Learners should be able to assess how a range of theories informed policy development.</li> <li>Biological – neurochemical, eugenics and death penalty</li> <li>Sociological – prison, CCTV, multiagency approach, restorative justice, penal populism and zero tolerance</li> <li>Individualistic – behaviour modification and psychoanalysis</li> </ul> | <ol> <li>Assess one crime control policy developed from<br/>individualistic theories of criminality [6 marks].</li> <li>Outline one example of how biological theories<br/>of criminality have informed policy development<br/>[3 marks].</li> <li>Grantville, a small rural town, was once a<br/>pleasant place to live. However, over the last 10<br/>years, crime has steadily increased. Offences<br/>such as prostitution, vagrancy, possession of<br/>cannabis and motoring offences such as<br/>speeding are now commonplace. Residents<br/>often do not report criminal acts. The local<br/>newspaper often reports stories about crime in<br/>the town and recently published the following<br/>headline:</li> <li>POLICE ARE LOSING CONTROL OF<br/>GRANTVILLE THE TOWN IS IN THE HANDS<br/>OF CRIMINALS</li> <li>The newspaper is also backing a local councillor<br/>who is running for the position of mayor of the<br/>town. The councillor, Mr Mackie, supports new<br/>policing policies such as zero tolerance. He<br/>intends to bring in such an approach to help<br/>reduce crime and restore law and order.</li> </ol> |

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| 4 | AC4.2 Explain<br>how social<br>changes affect<br>policy<br>development | <ul> <li>Social changes</li> <li>Learners must be able to: <ul> <li>Define social values, norms and mores</li> <li>Identify an example for each one</li> </ul> </li> <li>Learners should have an understanding of specific changes and how they have affected policy development. <ul> <li>Social changes – smoking, women's rights, homosexuality, death penalty,</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ol> <li>Smoking cigarettes was very popular in the<br/>1950s. It was promoted by some medical<br/>professionals and it was considered to be<br/>sophisticated. However, it is now less popular<br/>as advanced medical knowledge has made<br/>society aware of the negative consequences of<br/>smoking. Today, it could be argued that<br/>cigarette smoking is deviant and, in certain<br/>circumstances, illegal. Nevertheless, there are a<br/>number of campaigns that seek to legalise</li> </ol>  |

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| Summer 1 | 4 | AC4.3 Discuss<br>how campaigns<br>affect policy<br>making | <ul> <li>Campaigns <ul> <li>Learner must have an understanding of a range of campaigns:</li> <li>Newspaper campaigns – Sarah's Law and Bradford Road Safety</li> <li>Individual campaigns – Clare's Law, Double Jeopardy, Assisted Suicide, Anti-gun, Lillian's Law, Snow Drop Campaign and Brexit</li> <li>Pressure group campaigns – British Lung Foundation, CALM and Howard League for Penal Reform</li> </ul> </li> </ul> | <ol> <li>Explain, using examples, how campaigns for<br/>change have affected policy making [6 marks].</li> <li>Discuss, using examples, how campaigns by<br/>pressure groups may affect policy making [9<br/>marks].</li> <li>With reference to campaign and their methods,<br/>discuss how the residents' campaign may affect<br/>policy development [9 marks].</li> </ol>  |

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