



**NATIONAL OPEN UNIVERSITY OF NIGERIA**  
**FACULTY OF SOCIAL SCIENCES**  
**DEPARTMENT OF CRIMINOLOGY AND SECURITY STUDIES**  
**2024 1 EXAMINATION**

**COURSE TITLE: Crime Theory**

**COURSE CODE: CSS 352**

**CREDIT UNITS: 3**

**TIME ALLOWED: 2 HOURS**

**INSTRUCTIONS: Answer any 4 questions. All questions carry equal marks.**

1. a) What is criminal behaviour? 1b) Distinguish between criminality and delinquencies with vivid examples. 17 ½ marks
2. Explain Retributivism and state five (5) stands of Retributivism. 17 ½ marks
3. Discuss in detail the Marxist's view point of punishment. 17 ½ marks.
4. What are the points raised by the rational choice theory to explain crime? 17 ½ marks
5. Identify and discuss four stakeholders in crime control? 17 ½ marks.