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2024 I EXAMINATION-

COURSE CODE: CSS 861
COURSE TITLE: Restorative Justice, Victimization and Victim Assistance
CREDIT UNIT: 3
TIME ALLOWED: 3 HOURS
INSTRUCTION: ANSWER ANY FOUR QUESTIONS

1. Carefully outline and discuss three (3) benefits of Restorative Justice to the community, victims of crime, and offenders and communities (17.5 Marks)
2. Crimes come in different shades and forms in Nigeria. Discuss the assertion in relation to ten (10) types of crime (17.5 marks).
- 3a. Explain what you understand by Victim
- 3b. List and explain the types of victims
4. Discuss at least five (5) features of restorative justice programmes identified by United Nations (2006) (17.5 marks)
5. Discuss three benefits and four shortcomings of restorative justice (17.5 marks)