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Candidates will be required to answer THREE

questions

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Answer three questions from the list below:

- 1 In the aftermath of August's riots, David Cameron said: "This was not political protest or a riot about protest about politics. It was common or garden thieving, robbing and looting. And we don't need an inquiry to tell us that." Discuss.
- 2 Clarke (2005:39) suggests that situational crime prevention is implemented without any detailed knowledge of its scientific underpinning. **Discuss.**
- 3 Critically analyse the concept of 'governing through crime'.
- 4 Neighbourhood policing brings its own raft of new skill requirements in the form of "relationship building, sustaining community confidence and satisfaction, assembling self-governing, problem-solving crime-resistant communities and statutory partnership in difficult local circumstances." (McLaughlin, 2008: 269 cited in Fitzgibbon and Lea 2010). Discuss.
- 5 'Repeat victimisation requires more research to aid community safety'. Critically evaluate this statement.
- 6 What problems are associated with the monitoring and evaluation of crime prevention and community safety.
- 7 Understanding hate crimes is an essential part of crime control. Discuss.
- 8 The principle role of the probation service and social services agencies is public protection. Discuss.