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FIRST YEAR FIRST SEMESTER

**SCHOOL OF ARTS HUMANITIES, SOCIAL
SCIENCES AND CREATIVE INDUSTRIES**
DIPLOMA IN SOCIAL WORK

COURSE CODE: DSW 1103

**COURSE TITLE: INTRODUCTION TO SOCIAL
WORK**

DATE: 26/4/2023

TIME: 1430-1630

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

Answer Question ONE and any other TWO questions

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QUESTION ONE

(a) "Social Work profession promotes social change, the empowerment and liberation of people to enhance well-being. In regard to this statement discuss;

i. The concept of social justice. **(7marks)**

(b) The functions of social work are classified into four (4) major categories. State and elaborate the functions. **(8marks)**

(c) Discuss the philosophical foundation that strongly uphold social work as a noble profession. **(15marks)**

QUESTION TWO

(a) The profession of social work is grounded in value system that focuses on social justice and fairness. Discuss seven fundamental values of social work.

(14marks)

(b) Highlight six purposes the NASW Code of Ethics serves in the profession of social work **(6marks)**

QUESTION THREE

Describe the scope of social work in various practice settings. **(20marks)**

QUESTION FOUR

(a) Amongst the problems that we are facing as country is poverty. As a social worker you're call upon to critically analyze the causes of poverty and advice the government on measures of mitigating and eradicating the problem.

(20marks)

QUESTION FIVE

(a) State and discuss the generic principles of social work and there application in practice settings.

(20marks)

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