EXAMINATIONS OF DECEMBER 2007

CODE AND NAME OF COURSE: SOWK 1001 Introduction to Social Work

DATE AND TIME: December 2007                DURATION: 2 HOURS

INSTRUCTION TO CANDIDATES: This paper has 2 pages and 8 questions.

ANSWER QUESTION ONE (1) AND TWO (2) OTHER QUESTIONS.

1. You have been asked by your department of social services to attend a career show case at a secondary school where you are to meet the students and discuss the profession of social work. Most of the students are of the opinion that anyone can do social work. Refute such opinion drawing on the professional attributes of social work. (25 marks)

2. Identify and discuss the major events leading to the development of social welfare and social work in any one Caribbean territory. (25 marks)

3. “Most social workers engage in several practice roles.” (Sheafor & Horcejsi 2006)
   (a) Briefly describe the three broad functions of generalist social work practice according to Miley et al. (6 marks)
   (b) Describe the levels of intervention in social work practice. (6 marks)
   (c) Identify, define and discuss five (5) roles commonly used in the helping process. (13 marks)