

Assignments-2025

**Certificate in Social Work and Criminal Justice System
(CSWCJS)**



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Instruction for Assignment Submission: 2025

Dear Learner,

We hope that you have gone through the Programme Guide for CSWCJS carefully. We have explained there that it is important to complete the assignments within the stipulated time to become eligible to appear for the term-end examination of IGNOU. All the assignments of CSWCJS are Tutor Marked Assignments (TMAs) and are part of the continuous evaluation process. You will find that separate assignment has been provided for MSW–031 & MSW–032 (for students registered for January 2025 and July 2025).

Before you write the assignments, read the instructions provided in the Programme Guide and go through the course materials carefully. If you have any doubt or problems pertaining to the courses and assignments, contact the concerned academic counsellor at your Study Centre. You are requested to go through the course materials first and then prepare the assignment. You must follow the instructions for assignment preparation. Your responses should not be a verbatim reproduction of the textual materials/blocks provided for self-learning purposes. **Assignments are to be handwritten and duly signed by the enrolled learner.** Please submit your assignment at the Study Centre allotted to you before the due date as mentioned and obtain a receipt for the same.

You are expected to keep a copy of each for any future reference/use.

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Wish you all the best to complete the assignments within the above given time frame.

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Social Work and Criminal Justice (MSW 032)

Course Code: - MSW 032

Maximum Marks – 100

Note:

(i) Answer any **five** of the following questions in about **300** words each.

(ii) **All** questions carry **equal** marks.

1. Discuss meaning and types of 'Evidence'? Explain relevance of evidence in criminal justice system. 20
2. Explain Merton's Strain theory and modes of adaptation with the help of suitable examples in Indian context. 20
3. Evaluate role of 'Police' as an agency of criminal justice in India. 20
4. What do you mean by presumption of innocence? Critically evaluate the relevance of principle of presumption of innocence in criminal justice system. 20
5. What is the meaning of 'framing of charge'? Discuss importance of framing of charge in the criminal justice system. 20
6. Explain various stages involved in a criminal trial in detail. 20
7. Explain concept, meaning and philosophy of probation. Discuss historical evolution of probation in India. 20
8. Discuss various theories of punishment with suitable examples in Indian context. 20