Criminology Transition Summer Tasks

- 1. Research and write an explanation, using examples, of the difference between crime and deviance
- 2. Read the article (separate document) and analyse how the crime is presented in the article. Consider:
 - a. The language used. How does it make the victims and perpetrator appear? Use quotes from the article to explain your answer
 - **b.** How does it present the crime? For example, can you find examples of over-exaggeration or sensationalising the crime in the article? Report quotes to demonstrate examples of this
 - **c.** There are examples in the text of the media being invasive to victims. Explain how they have done this
- **3.** Watch the following clip (please be aware that it contains some violence and offensive language) and answer the questions that follow.

American Heist (2014) - The Bank Robbery Scene (5/10) | Movieclips - YouTube https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=oEddtexPCso

- **a.** What crime is being committed in the clip?
- **b.** Do you think this kind of crime occurs often?
- **c.** Do you think the portrayal in the film is realistic? Consider the nature of the crime, the criminals, their appearance and their actions.
- **d.** Why do you think the crime is shown this way in the film?