

Answer all questions

1. Briefly explain the importance of *R v Gullefer* [Source 1] to the development of the law of attempts. [16]

2. In Source One, lines 1-2 the author states that "*the criminal law does not punish people just for intending to commit a crime...*"

Discuss how accurately the statement above reflects the interpretation of the law on attempts by the courts [34]

3. (a) Dave wants to kill Louise and. He creeps up behind her and takes his hands out of his pockets intending to strangle her, when Simon, who is suspicious, pulls his hands away before he can lift them. He is charged with attempted murder [10]

(b) Dalvinder bets that his horse, Racing Diamond, will win the local race. After the race has started, he sees that his horse has gone lame and worried about losing his £1000 bet, throws a rock at the leading horses, wanting to confuse and startle them so they throw their jockeys and the race is abandoned. He manages to hit the leading course, but the race continues. He is charged with attempted theft. [10]

(c) Valentino escapes from prison. He tries to force open the door to a caravan in the hope of finding something of value but gives up when he sees a policeman, Joe. He is charged with attempted burglary [10]