

23.9 CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION (313)

23.9.1 Christian Religious Education Paper 1 (313/1)

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- 1 (a) Outline the differences in the two accounts of creation in Genesis 1 and 2. (10 marks)
- (b) From the story of the fall of human beings in Genesis Chapter 3, state the effects of sin. (6 marks)
- (c) Identify any four causes of evil in Kenya today? (4 marks)
- 2 (a) State the characteristics of the covenant between God and Abraham. (5 marks)
- (b) Explain the importance of God's covenant with Abraham. (10 marks)
- (c) What lessons do Christians learn from the incident when Abraham was willing to sacrifice his son Isaac? (5 marks)
- 3 (a) Describe the nature of the Canaanite religion. (10 marks)
- (b) Identify ways in which King Jeroboam contributed to religious schism between Judah and Israel. (4 marks)
- (c) What life skills do Christians need to use in order to fight corruption in Kenya today? (6 marks)
- 4 (a) Describe the characteristics of false prophets in the Old Testament. (7 marks)
- (b) State the teachings of Prophet Amos about the day of the Lord. (8 marks)
- (c) How can Christians assist the church leaders to perform their duties effectively? (5 marks)
- 5 (a) Explain the different occasions when Nehemiah prayed. (8 marks)
- (b) In what ways did Nehemiah demonstrate qualities of a good leader during his time? (7 marks)
- (c) What is the importance of prayer in the life of a Christian today. (5 marks)
- 6 (a) What changes have taken place in the rite of initiation in Kenya today? (8 marks)
- (b) Identify moral values taught to the youths during initiation to adulthood in traditional African communities. (6 marks)
- (c) Give reasons why female circumcision is being discouraged in Kenya today. (6 marks)

23.9.2 Christian Religious Education Paper 2 (313/2)

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- 1
 - (a) Outline what Angel Gabriel revealed about John the Baptist when he announced his birth to Zechariah. (6 marks)
 - (b) From the story of the early life of Jesus up to twelve years, identify ways through which he is seen as coming from a poor background. (8 marks)
 - (c) Give reasons why children should take part in church activities. (6 marks)
- 2
 - (a) Describe the temptations of Jesus in the wilderness before he began his public ministry. (8 marks)
 - (b) What lessons do Christians learn from the temptations of Jesus? (5 marks)
 - (c) Identify problems faced by new converts in the church today. (7 marks)
- 3
 - (a) Outline the events that took place on the Mount of Olives before the arrest of Jesus. (7 marks)
 - (b) Give reasons why Peter denied Jesus. (8 marks)
 - (c) Why is the death of Jesus important to Christians? (5 marks)
- 4
 - (a) Describe the healing of the Gerasene demoniac in Luke 8:26-39. (8 marks)
 - (b) State ways in which the Holy Spirit was manifested on the day of Pentecost. (6 marks)
 - (c) How are the gifts of the Holy Spirit misused in the church today? (6 marks)
- 5
 - (a) Outline the Christian teachings on marriage. (6 marks)
 - (b) How should Christians prepare for marriage? (8 marks)
 - (c) Give reasons why some Christians break their marriage vows? (6 marks)
- 6
 - (a) Explain how unfair distribution of wealth can lead to social disorder in Kenya today. (8 marks)
 - (b) Identify ways through which Christians promote justice in Kenya today. (7 marks)
 - (c) Give reasons why Christians in Kenya are against the death sentence. (5 marks)