

KCSE 2017 JKIM JOINT EXAMINATION

Kenya certificate of secondary education-(K.C.S.E)

NAME..... INDEX NO.....

SCHOOL..... DATE

313/1

CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Paper 1

Time: 2 ½ hours

INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES

1. Write your name, school and index number in the spaces provided above.
2. Sign and write the date of the examination in the spaces provided above.
3. This paper consists of **six** questions.
4. Answer **any five** questions in the spaces provided.
5. Each question carries **20** marks.
6. This paper consists of **2** printed pages.
7. Candidates should check to ensure that all pages are printed as indicated and no questions are missing.

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QUESTIONS	1	2	3	4	5	6	TOTAL SCORE
CANDIDATE'S SCORE							

1. a) Outline the teachings of the Genesis stories of creation. (10marks)
 - b) Explain the traditional African understanding about sin / evil. (5marks)
 - c) What are the great evils that face mankind today? (5marks)
2. a) State the achievements of King Solomon. (7marks)
 - b) King Solomon did more harm than good. Explain? (8marks)
 - c) What lessons can a modern Christian leader learn from the reign of King Solomon? (5marks)
- 3a) Narrate the preparations which took place before the sealing of the Sinai covenant. (8 marks)
 - b) Mention and Identify the roles of any three gods and two goddesses of the Canaanites. (6 marks)
 - c). what comparison exists between Solomon and Ahab as kings of Israel in relation to the covenant demands. (6 marks)
- 4a) Discuss the significance of traditional African wedding ceremonies. (10marks)
 - b) Describe the evidences to show that a woman is married to the whole clan in the traditional African communities. (5marks)
 - c) Bride wealth is an important aspect of traditional African marriage. Discuss its importance. (5marks)
5. a) Discuss how the construction of the temple of Jerusalem contributed to the failure of King Solomon. (8marks)
 - b) Suggest ways in which the people of Israel made the temple of God more or less a Canaanite temple. (7 marks)
 - c) Give qualities of King David that a modern leader should emulate. (5marks)
6. a) State the responsibility given to men and women in African Traditional Communities (10 marks)
 - b) Identify the importance of rites of passage in Traditional African Communities. (5marks)
 - c) What factors have led to individual land ownership today? (5 marks)