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FORM ONE

MIDTERM 2024 EXAM

TIME: 1HR 30 MINUTES

1. State the national goals of education. (5MKS)

- *National unity*
- *National development*
- *Individual development*
- *Social equality*
- *Respect and development of cultural heritage*
- *International consciousness*

2. Give reasons why the bible is referred to as a library? (5MKS)

- *The Bible is a collection of 66 books.*
- *The Bible was written using different literary styles e.g. poetic, prayers.*
- *The different books were written by different authors from different backgrounds.*
- *The books were written at different times in history over along span of time.*
- *The books in the Bible are arranged in order from the Old Testament to the New Testament.*
- *The books were written in different places.*
- *The books of the Bible cater for different audience e.g. priests, women, men etc.*
- *The books are arranged according to different subjects for example: books of law, books of history, wisdom writings, among others.*

3. Name five versions of the bible used in Kenya today. (5mks)

- *The Revised Standard Version.*
- *The Good News Bible.*
- *The Jerusalem Bible.*
- *The New International Version.*
- *The New King James Version.*
- *The Living Bible.*
- *The Gideon Bible.*
- *The Common Bible.*
- *The African Bible.*

➤ *The New American Bible.*

4. State five reasons why Christians should read the Bible. (5MKS)

- *It is the word of God.*
- *It makes them identify with God/Jesus as well as enhancing their unity.*
- *To recite prayers from it e.g. the Lord's Prayer.*
- *It has guidelines and rituals e.g. the Lord's Supper and marriage.*
- *It is a source of belief about God/Jesus/Holy Spirit and the church.*
- *It outlines church leadership, e.g. roles of pastors, evangelists and deacons.*
- *It is a source of Christian customs, e.g. giving of offerings, dedication of children and celebration of Eucharist.*
- *It is a source of miracles/ healing and other blessings.*
- *To strengthen their faith and hope in God.*

5. Outline five ways of dealing with the evil doers in Traditional African Society. (5MKS)

- *Imposing heavy fines.*
- *Performing cleansing rituals.*
- *Killing of the evil doers.*
- *Cursing of the evil doer.*
- *Administering of oaths on suspects.*
- *Wearing of protective charms.*
- *Ex-communicating the evil doers from the community.*
- *Ridiculing them through songs.*
- *Denying them leadership positions.*

6. Narrate the call of Abraham according to Gen 12:1-9. (5mks)

- *God called Abraham in Haran after the death of his father.*
- *He commanded Abraham who was 75 years old then to leave his family to an unknown land. During the call, God made the following promises to him:*
 - *A great nation.*
 - *Many blessings.*
 - *A great name.*
 - *A source of blessings.*

- *Blessing to those who bless him.*
- *Curse to those who curse him.*

- *Abraham obeyed and set off for the unknown land with his wife, nephew Lot, servants and his flock.*
- *In Canaan God appeared to him at Bethel and Sechem where he was shown the land that would belong to his descendants.*
- *Abraham built two altars at the two places and worshipped God.*

7. Identify five promises God give to Abraham. (5mks)

- *God would give him land to dwell in. His descendants would also be given the land of Canaan to dwell in.*
- *God would make Abrahams name famous.*
- *God would establish an everlasting covenant with Abraham and his descendants He shall be their God.*
- *God would be a 'shield' to Abraham that He would protect him.*
- *God would make Abraham's descendants a great nation.*
- *God would give Abraham and his wife Sarah a son of their own.*
- *God would make his descendants to be enslaved for 400 years in a foreign land.*
- *However God would deliver / free them and go back to their land with a lot of wealth.*
- *God would punish the nation that enslaves Abraham's descendants.*
- *God would make some of Abraham's descendants' kings.*
- *God would bless Abraham.*
- *God would bless those who blessed him.*
- *God would curse those who cursed him.*
- *God would make all the families of the earth receive blessings through Abraham.*
- *Abraham would live long and die in peace.*
- *He would have many descendants.*

8. State five examples of Modern covenants in Kenya today. (5mks)

- *Baptism/sacraments.*
- *Marriage.*
- *Ordination.*
- *Oath of loyalty to state/ oath of allegiance.*
- *Trade agreements/ treaties.*

- *Peace treaties.*
- *Land buying contracts.*
- *Employment contracts.*

9. List the animals that Abraham offered to God for sacrifice. (5mks)

- *Three year old heifer.*
- *Three year old she-goat.*
- *Three year old ram.*
- *Turtle dove.*
- *Young pigeon.*

10. Give the similarities between the Jewish and African practice of circumcision. (5mks)

- *In both cases, it promotes one into full membership of the community.*
- *In both cases, it is a mark of identification of a person to a particular community.*
- *In both, it is carried out on male children.*
- *In both cases, circumcision has a religious significance.*
- *In both cases, special people/ religious leaders/heads of the community carry out the operations.*
- *In both cases, it unites the members with the ancestors.*
- *In both cases, members receive new names.*
- *In both cases, the rite is carried on from generation to generation/ is compulsory/ whoever fails to observe it is considered an outcast.*
- *In both cases, the ritual is a communal affair.*
- *In both cases, it involves the cutting of the foreskin.*