COMPETENCE BASED CURRICULUM JUNIOR SCHOOL CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION MARKING SCHEME

Please Note: Facilitators are advised to go through the marking scheme as answers given could not be exhaustive.

- 1. What are the Similarities between biblical account and African creation stories? List five.(5 mks)
 - a) In both, God is the sole creator.
 - b) Man is the climax of creation.
 - c) God is supreme.

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- d) In both, man was given a wife for company.
- e) God is portrayed as a potter.
- f) God is the provider
- g) Creation of human took place at the end of the creation of things.
- 2. Mention five Ways in which Christians protect and care of animals, fish and birds. (5 mks)
- a) Constructing good houses for domestic animals
- b) Fencing our farms well to keep away wild animals.
- c) Feeding animals, fish and birds.
- d) Providing clean water for them to drink or taking them to rivers and streams to drink water.
- e) Protecting wild and domestic animals, fish and birds from bad people who kill them.
- f) Ensuring that domestic animals are comfortable in places where they stay, eat and sleep.
- g) Treating animals when they get sick.
- h) Creating orphanage, game parks, game reserves and national parks for wild animals.
- i) Lobbying the government to make and implement laws that protect animals, fish and birds.

- j) Creating sanctuaries for different types of birds.
- k) Educating citizens on the importance of protecting animals, fish and birds.
- 3. State five reasons why Christians take care of animals, fish and birds. (5 mks)
 - a) To obey God's commands of taking responsibility over animals, fish and birds.
 - b) To preserve God's living creatures on land, sea and air.
 - c) To set a good example to other citizens on the need to take care of living creatures.
 - d) To ensure the preservation of animals, fish and birds so that they do not become extinct.
 - e) To ensure that animals, fish and birds are available as sources of food for human beings.
 - f) To ensure that they continue with the responsibility of being co-creators with God by conserving the environment.

4. Name four effects of Misusing Natural resources. (4 mks)

- a) Leads to soil degradation.
- b) Leads to deforestation.
- c) Damages the ecosystem.
- d) Leads to Water shortage.
- e) Leads to pollution of air and water.
- 5. Identify four ways that the Bible is used in different places and occasions. (4 mks)
 - a) The Bible is used when taking oaths in courts of law.
 - b) It is used in schools and colleges for learning, during graduation ceremonies, prayers and research.
 - c) It is used in statehouse or during state functions, during the swearing in ceremonies and prayers.
 - d) It is used in churches and during crusades for preaching.
 - e) It is used at home for personal use during prayer time and home study
 - f) In hospitals when praying for the sick
 - g) Some Christians use the Bible before travelling to pray for journey mercies

6. State the number of books in the following Divisions of the Bible. (2 mks)

- a) Old testaments 39 books
- b) New testaments 27 books
- 7. Why are there two divisions of the Bible. (2 mks)
 - a) The two divisions were written at different times in human history
 - b) The two divisions were addressed to different people and individuals
 - c) The messages contained in the two testaments address different issues that were of specific concern to the people addressed.

8. Name five Major Prophets Book writer. (5 mks)

- a) Isaiah -Isaiah
- b) Jeremiah- Jeremiah
- c) Lamentation-Jeremiah
- d) Ezekiel -Ezekiel
- e) Daniel -Daniel

9. Mention three life skills needed to maintains healthy relationships. (3 mks)

- a) Assertiveness.
- b) Decision making.
- c) Critical thinking.
- d) Problem solving.
- e) Communication.

10.Name four commonly abused drugs in Kenya. (4 mks)

- a) Tobacco-
- b) Khat or Miraa
- c) Clue sniffing
- d) Cocaine
- a) Morphine
- b) Bhang-marijuana or cannabis sativa.
- c) Heroine

11.State five reasons why young people abuse drugs today.(5 mks)

- a) Idleness-
- b) Frustrations
- c) Having too much money
- d) Financial stress
- e) Bad examples from adults
- f) Negative peer influence
- g) Availability of Drugs in the Kenyan markets
- h) Media influence.
- i) Parental neglect of children
- j) Permissiveness and decline in moral values

12.Give two examples of social media platforms used by young people today.(2 mks)

- a) Instagram.
- b) WhatsApp.
- c) Twitter.
- d) Tiktok.
- e) Facebook.
- f) Snap chat.

- g) Messenger.
- h) Telegram.
- i) YouTube.

13.State five dangers of Chatting or Meeting with online strangers. (5 mks)

- a) They can pose dangers like kidnapping, raping and killings.
- b) They can introduce us to antisocial behaviour like cyber bullying.
- c) They can recruit us to criminal groups, for example terrorism.
- d) They can cause distress to our family members.
- e) They can introduce us to drug and substance use.
- f) They may convince us to drop out of school.
- g) They may introduce us to age inappropriate content online.
- h) They may introduce us to ungodly groups.
- i) They may lure us into subscribing to inappropriate sites.
- j) They may lead us to steal from our parents in order to buy more data bundles.

14.List five ways in which social media is misused today.(5 mks)

- a) Cyber bullying.
- b) Stalking.
- c) Time depletion.
- d) Perpetuating criminal activities.
- e) Trolling.
- f) Clout chasing.
- g) Spreading fake news.
- h) Gossip.
- i) Impersonation.
- j) Pornography.

15. Discuss the meaning of studying CRE. (2 mks)

- a) CRE involves the study of religious beliefs and practices of Christians.
- b) Christian Religious Education is a subject that deals with God and how he reveals Himself to human beings.
- c) It is the study of how human beings depend on God and how God intervenes to save human beings.
- d) CRE is a subject studied in Kenyan schools to develop the mind, behaviour and character of the learners.
- e) It is also a subject that shows God's relationship with man.

16.List four Importance of studying CRE. (4 mks)

- a) It makes one understand that God the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit operate as one.
- b) It helps one dispute knowledge and attitude s to make the right decisions in life.

- c) Enables one think critically and make moral decisions on challenges affecting one's life and the society
- d) One becomes exposed to cultural heritage, enhancing national unity through respect for each community.
- e) One develops as a whole person, body, soul and spirit
- f) One becomes courageous in the study of creation one is empowered to utilize the ability to control God's creation
- g) It helps you relate with each other well through care and hospitality
- h) The moral values you acquire helps you to take care of the environment
- i) One acquires respect for oneself and hence living a productive life
- j) One acquires the principle of sharing and social justice, enabling them to coexist with others
- k) One acquires the skills that enable him or her promote economic development
- 1) It enables one to acquire ICT skills as they search for more knowledge
- m) One develops communication skills through discussion and debate with other learners.

17.How CRE helps us to relate well with others. Mention two reasons (2 mks)

- a) It has helped developed skills as ability to listen
- b) It helps acquire values such as respect for self and others
- c) It helps someone to make moral decisions. This helps people to associate with the right people
- d) Obedience to God's command of loving our neighbours teaches us to care about others.

18.List three Moral and religious values acquired from studying of CRE. (3 mks)

- a) Humility
- b) Respect
- c) Hard work
- d) Discipline
- e) Honesty
- f) Integrity
- g) Responsibility
- h) Unity
- i) Love
- j) Hospitality

19.Fill the created things according to the first creation account.(7 mks) Day God's creation

a) First

Day and light and darkness

- b) Second
- c) Third
- d) **Fourth** stars)
- e) Fifth
- f) sixth
- g) seventh

- Sky/dome/firmament Earth (land, plants and water bodies Heavenly bodies (sun, moon and
- Sea creatures and birds
- Land creatures and man
- God rested and called the day Sabbath

20.Discuss the events in the second Biblical account of creation Genesis 2; 4-25. (10 mks)

- a. In the second account of creation, there was no one to cultivate the land when God created the universe.
- b. God took soil from the ground and formed man. God breathed life into him
- c. Human beings were created first.
- d. Man was created out of dust
- e. God breathed life into man's nostrils
- f. Man was put into the Garden of Eden.
- g. The tree of knowledge and life giving stood in the middle of the garden.
- h. Men was commanded to use everything in the garden except tree of knowledge of good and evil
- i. The forbidden fruit from the tree was not supposed to be eaten.
- j. Eating from the tree would result to death.
- k. God gave man the responsibility to take care of the environment
- 1. God created all birds and all animals
- m. Man was given the responsibility of naming all the creatures
- n. He named all the birds and animals, but none was suitable helper for him
- o. Adam became lonely.
- p. A woman was created out of Adam's rib for companionship and a helper.
- 21.Name five Attributes/nature of God from the Genesis stories of creation. (5 mks)
 - a. God is omnipotent/ all powerful
 - b. God is orderly and perfect
 - c. God is omnipresent/ everywhere
 - d. God is transcendent
 - e. God is the sustainer/ provider
 - f. God is the sole creator
 - g. He is a moral God
 - h. He is a loving God
 - i. He is a spirit
 - j. He is everlasting/ self-existence

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- k. God is source of goodness
- 1. God is Holy
- m. God is a worker
- n. There is only one God
- o. The sole giver of life.

22.Mention five Similarities in the two biblical accounts of creation. (5 mks)

- a) In both accounts, God is the sole creator
- b) In both God created male and female
- c) In both, human beings are special
- d) In both God provides for human beings
- e) In both, human beings are given domination over the rest of the creation
- f) The uniqueness of human beings is brought forth in the second accounts
- g) Man shares in the life of God since he is made in the likeness of God
- h) Creation involves both the living and non-living things.

23.List 3 differences in the two biblical accounts of creation? (6 mks)

First Creation Account	Second Creation Account
1 st Days on the order of creation are	2 nd There is no mention of the days on
given as 6 and God rested on the	order of creation
seventh day.	
1 st Marriage is made for procreation	2 nd Marriage is made for
1 st Man was created last	companionship
1 st There is creation of light, sun, moon	2 nd Man was created first
and starts as well as creation of fish and	2 nd Not found in the second account
creeping things	2 nd The Garden of Eden is planted.
1 st There is no planting of Garden of	2 nd Man was created first from dust of
Eden	the earth. Woman was then created from
1 st God was pleased with His creation.	man's rib.
1 st Man and woman were created at the,	2 nd There is no mention of this in the
same time.	second account.

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- a. There is a chronological order of events in the first account of creation as opposed to the second
- b. In the first account, male and female are created at the same time whereas in the second account man is created first then woman is out of his ribs
- c. In the first account, creation is out of the command "let there be", yet, in the second, man is made out of dust

- d. In the first account, man names what he creates as opposed to the second where man is given the opportunity to name the animals
- e. A Sabbath day allocated for rest appears on the first while in the second account it wasn't mentioned
- f. The Garden of Eden mentioned in the second account wasn't in the first
- g. In the second creation account are four rivers (Tigris, Euphrates, Gihon and Pishon), which were not mentioned in the first
- h. Man was given a responsibility to till the land in the second but not in the first
- i. In the second account, the forbidden tree appears but this misses in the first account
- j. In the first account, God created human beings for procreation while in the second
 - b) account they were created for companionship
- a. The second account of creation is human centered while the first does not shore this. It is man centered
- b. In the first account God created in union with the spirit (Holy Trinity) while in the second account God is alone
- c. In the first account human beings were created last while in the second they came first
- d. The first account takes six days to be complete unlike the second where days were not mentioned
- e. In the first account, God appreciates everything he creates. We are not told this in the second.

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