

GUCHA SOUTH EVALUATION TEST (GSET)
Kenya Certificate of Secondary Education

313/1

CHRISTIAN RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Paper 1

July/August 2016

Time: 2½ Hours

1. a) What is meant by the expression "The Bible is the word of God." (5 marks)
- b) Identify eight historical books in the Old Testament. (8 marks)
- c) Why do some christians find it difficult to read the Bible. (7 marks)
2. a) How did God instill confidence to Moses so as to accept His call. (5 marks)
- b) With reference to Exodus 12, identify the instructions Moses gave to the Israelites concerning the Passover. (8 marks)
- c) State the attributes of God learnt from the ten plagues. (7 marks)
3. a) State six factors that led to the division of the kingdom of Israel. (6 marks)
- b) Identify six ways used by the Israelite kings to bring people back to God. (6 marks)
- c) State eight ways in which national unity can be promoted by leaders of today. (8 marks)
4. a) Identify seven roles of prophets in the Old Testament (7 marks)
- b) What was the Jewish understanding about the 'Day of the Lord' (6 marks)
- c) How do christians prepare for the second advent of Christ. (7 marks)
5. a) Give six reasons why Jeremiah was not willing to accept God's call to become a prophet. (6 marks)
- b) Give reasons why Nehemiah carried out religious reforms in Judah. (6 marks)
- c) State the moral values that christians can acquire from the life of prophet Jeremiah. (8 marks)
6. a) List five occasions when seers were consulted in traditional African communities. (5 marks)
- b) Give seven reasons why the birth of a child is a joyous event in traditional African communities. (7 marks)
- c) List eight moral values promoted during funeral ceremonies in traditional African communities. (8 marks)

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1. a) How did Jesus fulfill the prophecy of Isaiah on the suffering servant ? (8 marks)
- b) How did Jesus prepare his disciples for his coming death ? (6 marks)
- c) In what ways is the persecution of christians being carried out today? (6 marks)
2. a) Describe Jesus' healing of a man with an evil spirit. (8 marks)
- b) Give seven reasons why Jesus taught using parables. (7 marks)
- c) State lessons learnt from healing of the Centurion's servant. (5 marks)
3. a) With reference to the story of the rich man and Lazarus, explain the teachings of Jesus about responsibility for others. (8 marks)
- b) In what ways did Jesus show his love and concern for the needy ? (7 marks)
- c) Give five reasons why christians should not trust in material possessions. (5 marks)
4. a) With reference to the day of Pentecost outline Peter's message to the people. (6 marks)
- b) Identify the fruits of the Holy Spirit taught by St. Paul in Galatians 5 : 22-23. (7 marks)
- c) State seven problems that christians have faced that undermine their unity in the church today. (7 marks)
5. a) Explain christian teachings on male-female relationships. (8 marks)
- b) State seven effects of incest. (7 marks)
- c) Give five life skills a christian can use to solve social problems in the society. (5 marks)
6. a) State eight effects of irresponsible sexual behaviour. (8 marks)
- b) Give seven factors that have led to the misuse of drugs in Kenya today. (7 marks)
- c) State five positive ways of spending leisure today. (5 marks)

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