

**P245/3**  
**CHRISTIAN**  
**RELIGIOUS**  
**EDUCATION**  
(Christianity in East  
African Environment)  
Paper 3  
July / August 2013  
2½ hours



**WAKISSHA JOINT MOCK EXAMINATIONS**

**Uganda Advanced Certificate of Education**

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**2 hours 30 minutes**

**INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES:**

- *Attempt any **four** questions.*
- *All questions carry equal marks.*
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1. "In Traditional Africa, every activity was religious" Discuss. (25marks)
2. "The conflict between Christianity and Traditional religion was inevitable"  
Assess this statement. (25marks)
3. (a) Explain ways how female genital mutilation was practiced among some Africans. (13marks)  
(b) What was the importance of this practice? (12marks)
4. (a) Examine the causes of divorce in traditional Africa. (13marks)  
(b) Account for the increased cases of divorce today. (12marks)
5. (a) Examine the justification the missionaries had to establish the ex-slave communities in East Africa in the 19<sup>th</sup> century. (12marks)  
(b) How successful were they in the evangelization of the ex-slaves? (13marks)
6. Account for the increased Christian missionary interests in East Africa at the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> century. (25marks)
7. To what extent was colonialism responsible for the spread of the church in East Africa? (12marks)
8. (a) Explain the role of missionaries in trying to provide medical services to the people of East Africa. (15marks)  
(b) Discuss the obstacles the church in East Africa is facing in its effort to provide medical services. (10marks)
9. (a) Account for the death of Bishop James Hannington in 1885. (13marks)  
(b) How did his death affect the spread of the church in East Africa? (12marks)
10. (a) Examine the major teachings of Buddha Gautamah. (15marks)  
(b) Explain reasons why Buddhism had limited impact on East Africa. (10marks)
11. "Whereas the church boasts of big followers, these are Christians merely in names" Discuss. (25marks)
12. (a) Account for the high levels of corruption in your country. (13marks)  
(b) Advice on how to overcome corruption in your society. (12marks)

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Turn Over



1. "Africans did not have religion before Christianity" Discuss. (25 marks)
2. (a) Analyse the implications of initiation in the African Traditional religion experience. (15 marks)  
(b) Examine the relevance of initiation to a Christian. (10 marks)
3. (a) Examine the African traditional understanding of death. (13 marks)  
(b) In what ways do Christians remember the departed today? (12 marks)
4. To what extent is African traditional understanding of marriage similar to Christianity. (25 marks)
5. Assess the factors that helped Christianity to easily penetrate the East African interior. (25 marks)
6. (a) Discuss the role of missionaries in provision of education services in East Africa. (12 marks)  
(b) Why did the government become interested in controlling education after 1920? (13 marks)
7. Examine the role of Canon Apollo Kivebulaya in the spread of Christianity in East Africa. (25 marks)
8. (a) Account for the rise of New religious movements in East Africa. (13 marks)  
(b) As a Christian suggest ways how the Church can address the problem of divisionism? (12 marks)
9. Discuss the causes and consequences of religious persecution in Buganda towards the end of the 19<sup>th</sup> century. (25 marks)
10. To what extent has enculturation of Christianity been realized in East Africa? (25 marks)
11. (a) Compare Islam and Bahai faith. (15 marks)  
(b) Explain reasons why Bahai faith has few followers in East Africa. (10marks)
12. (a) Show the contribution made by the church in providing medical services in Uganda. (13 marks)  
(b) What limitations has the Church faced in this endeavor? (12 marks)

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1. (a) Discuss the meaning of festivals in Traditional Africa. (13marks)  
 (b) Why does Christianity condemn some of African festivals? (12marks)
2. (a) Discuss the values that were attached to courtship in African Tradition. (12marks)  
 (b) Explain the factors that have undermined courtship in modern society. (13marks)
3. Comment on the significance of morals in Traditional Africa. (25marks)
4. (a) In what ways was sex education imparted among the Traditional Africans. (13marks)  
 (b) Discuss the challenges your society is facing while trying to impart sex education. (12marks)
5. Examine the role of Krapt and Rebmann in the spread of Christianity in East Africa. (25marks)
6. Account for the success and failure of Christian missionaries in East Africa. (25marks)
7. To what extent has the world council of churches tried to bring about unity of Christians in East Africa? (25marks)
8. (a) Discuss the characteristics of the sprinter churches in East Africa. (12marks)  
 (b) How did these churches contribute to the spread of Christianity in East Africa? (13marks)
9. (a) "The church has experienced a revolution in its worshiping rituals" Comment. (13marks)  
 (b) Account for the revolution in worship today. (12marks)
10. Justify the fact that Muteesa I who invited missionaries died neither a Christian nor a Muslim convert. (25marks)
11. (a) Examine the features of Judaism. (15marks)  
 (d) Why did the faith get few followers in East Africa? (10marks)
12. "Mass media has contributed to the spread of sexual immorality in East Africa"  
 Discuss (25marks)

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1. a) "Unlike Christianity and other religions in East Africa, the traditional African religion has no sacred writings". Explain this statement. (15 marks)
- b) Discuss the ways African worship was practiced. (10 marks)
2. a) How were adolescents initiated in Traditional Africa? (13 marks)
- b) Account for the condemnation of circumcision by Christian missionaries in East Africa. (12 marks)
3. a) With reference to a society you know, show how sex education was provided for in traditional African society? (13 marks)
- b) Discuss the obstacles faced today in Uganda when trying to provide similar education. (12 marks)
4. Examine the traditional African understanding of God. (25 marks)
5. a) Examine the ways in which the deceased were remembered in the traditional African religious experience? (15 marks)
- b) How do believers recall the lives of the deceased members today? (10 marks)
6. a) Account for the fact that relations between Bombay Africans and Missionaries deteriorated from 1879 onwards. (13 marks)
- b) Comment on the steps which were taken to improve the situation between missionaries and Bombay Africans. (12 marks)
7. a) Explain the circumstances that led to the killing of Bishop Hannington in Busoga. (13 marks)
- b) Examine the impact Hannington's death had on the spread of Christianity in Uganda. (12 marks)
8. "Krapf and Rebman played a key role in the spread of Christianity in East Africa" Discuss. (25 marks)
9. Why was the spread of Islam in the interior of East Africa slower than that of Christianity and yet Islam was introduced earlier? (25 marks)
10. a) Analyse the main teaching of Bahai faith. (13 marks)
- b) What impact has the Bahai faith had on the people of East Africa? (12 marks)
11. a) Account for the growing cases of corruption in Uganda. (13 marks)
- b) How can the church address the above challenge? (12 marks)
12. "The church in Uganda complements government in bringing about development". Comment on the statement. (25 marks)

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