

FORM FOUR CLUSTER KCSE MODEL1

CRE PAPER 1 ANSWER

1. (a) Provisions given by God to man in creation stories. (7 mks)

- Man was provided with the Garden of Eden.
- God provided man with a company/helper, wife
- God provided man with the gift of life/breath.
- He provided man with love /perfect happiness.
- He provided man with wealth/the rest of the creation.
- He provided Adam and Eve with the power to procreate.
- He gave man authority/dominion over the other creatures.
- He gave man all types of foods.
- He provided man with water from the four rivers. (1x7=7mks)

(b) Consequences of sin Genesis. (6mks)

- An enmity between the offerings of man and the serpent
 - The serpent was cursed it would crawl and eat dust.
 - Human beings became mortal started dying.
 - Woman would experience pain during childbirth.
 - Man and woman were embarrassed due to their nakedness.
 - Man and woman were expelled from the comfort of the garden of Eden.
 - Man became afraid of God.
 - Woman became inferior to man.
 - Man would sweat to get his food.
 - The ground was cursed to produce thorns and weeds.
 - Human beings started blaming each other.
 - Human beings developed the feeling of killing one another. (1x6=6mks)
- (c) Ways in which the youth show disobedience to God. (7mks)
- Failure to attend church services/to worship.
 - Disrespecting their parents/elders.
 - Indulging in drug abuse.
 - Failure to marry/pre-marital pregnancies.
 - Joining terrorist groups/killing innocent people.

- Engaging in pre-marital sex.
- Failure to work/staying idle.
- Engaging in corruption/theft.
- Polluting the environment through smoking.
- Poaching/killing wild animals.
- Doing normal work on the days of worship. (1x7=7mks)

2. (a) How God's presence was revealed to the Israelites during the making of Sinai covenant.

- Thunder.
- Lightning.
- A thick cloud on the mountain.
- A very loud trumpet blast.
- Smoke and fire.
- An earthquake.
- God speaking to Moses. (1x7=7 mks)

(b) How the Israelites worshipped God in the wilderness.

- The Ark and the Tabernacle.
- Observance of the Sabbath.
- Observed many festival's e.g. feast of unleavened bread, feast of weeks, and feast of Booths.
- Building Altars.
- Observing the Ten Commandments.
- Recognizing the religious leaders.
- Sacrifices and offerings.
- Prayers, songs and dances. (1x8=8 mks)

(c) How God reveals himself to Christians today.

- Through the scriptures or word of God.
- Through signs and miracles or extraordinary happenings.
- Through the Holy Spirit.
- Through prophecy.
- Through visions and dreams.
- Natural happenings e.g. Tsunami etc. (1x5=5marks)

3. (a) How King Ahab broke the covenant way of life in the story of Naboth's vineyard.(6mks)

- He coveted Naboth's vineyard.
- He failed to respect the Jewish law or land ownership.
- He allowed his wife to make false accusation against Naboth.
- He allowed his wife to forge a letter in his name accusing Naboth's of blasphemy
- He allowed Naboth to be stoned to death.
- He grabbed the land belonging to Naboth's family.
- He considered himself above the law.
- He oppressed the weak and the lowly. (6x1=6mks)

(b) Achievement of Prophet Elijah during the contest at Mount Camel. (7mks)

- He won the contest on behalf of God
- He proved to the crowd that Israelites God has power over nature.
- He proved that there is only one God to be worshipped.
- He ridiculed Baals prophet for worshipping non –existent gods.
- He made the people to confer/acclaim that truly God is God.
- He brought to an end the worship of Baal and other idol worship.
- He physically killed the false prophet of Baal.
- He brought to an end the drought a punishment for peoples disobedience to God. (7x1=7mks)

(c) Lessons Christians learn from the failures of King Saul. - Christians should have Faith in God by being patient to avoid sinning.

- Christians should respect other people's positions and responsibilities.
- Christians should control their trust for wealth as it leads to sin.
- God is pleased more with obedience to the law than being presented with an empty sacrifice.
- Leaders should carry out their duties responsibly and be ready to face the consequences of decisions they make.
- Christians should not consult mediums but instead put their trust in God.
- Christians should respect themselves and other people.
- They should avoid evil deeds and thoughts such as murder, hatred and jealous.(7x1=7mks)

4. (a) In what ways were the prophets of God important in Israel. (7mks)

- They acted as mediators between God and people.
- God spoke to prophets to communicate about the future.

- They preached practical monotheism and condemned idolatry.
- They condemned all forms of social evils and rituals sins.
- They acted as conscience of King's.
- They acted as priests.
- They foretold the punishment that would come to people for not obeying God.
- They gave people hope of being restored to God. (7x1=7mks)

(b) Historical background to Prophet Amos. (6mks)

- He was from the village called Tekua.
- He was a shepherd by profession.
- He was in charge of other shepherds.
- He grew sycamore trees.
- He prophesized during the reign of Jeroboam II of Israel and Uzziah of Judah.
- He was a native of Judah but was sent to proclaim the message to the people in the North. (6x1=6mks)

(c) What lessons do Christians learn from the religious message of Prophet Amos. (7mks)

- Outward religious practices are not more important than inward piety.
- Christians should not think highly of themselves and what they offer but should concentrate on what God offer.
- Christians way of worship should be directly related to their way of life
- Christians should learn the teachings of Jesus so as to worship God in truth and spirit.
- External observances should be a true reflection of their inner heart.
- True worship means living one's whole life in accordance with God's law.
- Christians should offer true worship of praise and obedience. (7x1=7 mks)

5. (a) Why Jeremiah was unwilling to accept God's call. (7mks)

- He felt that he was too young/inexperienced.
- He did not have the message to give to the people.
- Lack of confidence, courage/He was scared
- He did not know how to speak
- He was afraid of confronting kings/rulers.
- The task was too difficult/overwhelming.

- He feared the Israelites would reject/persecute him.
- He doubted if people would believe him. (1x7=7 mks)

(b) Jeremiah's symbolic acts related to judgement and punishment. (6mks)

- His own personal life e.g. He was not to marry.
- Symbolic act of the linen waistcloth.
- Jeremiah's visit to the potter's house.
- Breaking the earthen flask before the elders
- The vision of the basket of bad figs.
- Wearing the wooden ox-yoke around his neck. (1x6=6mks)

(c) How the church leaders communicate God's message to the people in Kenya today.

- Use of print media.
- Holding public meetings/crusades/conventions
- Through songs of praise.
- Through conducting pastoral care/counselling.
- Through carrying out spiritual healing/prayers.
- Door to door evangelism/house visits.
- Providing material support to the needy.
- Through leading exemplary lives
- Through electronic media. (1x7=7 mks)

6. (a) Six ways in which the rain makers acquired their skills. (6mks)

- Through fellow rainmaker/apprenticeship.
- Studying sky and noticing the changes
- By learning to perform rainmaking/rituals
- By observing the habits of animals, insects and birds.
- By observing the behavior of trees and plants.
- By using body senses - By inheritance. (6x1=6mks)

(b) Moral values that strengthened kinship in traditional African communities. (7mks)

- Co-operation/unity.
- Loyalty/obedience.

- Hospitality
- Courtesy
- Tolerance/perseverance
- Generosity.
- Sharing.
- Responsibility.
- Faithfulness.
- Honesty.
- Courageousness/bravely. (7x1=7 mks)

(c) Effects of modern changes on African traditional medicine. (7mks)

- Medicine is chemically prepared thus herbal medicine is unpopular.
- People are treated in hospitals and dispensaries but not medicine men's homes.
- People today trust medics as compared to medicine men.
- Doctor's /medics are trained from institutions while in the traditional African the skill was inherited.
- Traditionally African believed in magic and revelation from the spirits but today people believe in analysis and research.
- Today blood transferring and organ transplant is acceptable while in African traditional society it was not possible.
- New discoveries have been made e.g. test tube babies etc. while in Traditional African societies people believed in God's power for procreation. (7x1=7 mks)